Dear Regents, and University of Michigan community,

My name is Devin Woodruff, and I proudly serve as the President of the Rackham Student Government, working alongside my Vice President, Catreen Marji, in the Woodruff/Marji Administration for the 2026–2027 academic year. We are both pursuing dual master's degrees: Devin is a dual-degree student at the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy (MPP) and the Marsal Family School of Education (Higher Education), and Catreen is pursuing a dual master's in international and Regional Studies (focusing on Middle Eastern and North African Studies) alongside a Master of Social Work (MSW).

Our vision is built on four central pillars focused on graduate student success and advocacy:

- **Affordability:** Graduate students should not have to live in survival mode. We are fighting to expand microgrants, broaden tax assistance, advocate for affordable housing and expanded transit options, and increase financial transparency.
- **Representation & Governance:** Graduate voices belong at every decision-making table. We are pushing for graduate representation on the Board of Regents, transparent leadership town halls, and stronger structures for student advocacy and equity.
- **Professional & Academic Futures:** Graduate education should open doors, not close them. We are creating dedicated career pipelines, expanding networking opportunities, and prioritizing robust mental health and wellness programming.
- **Inclusive Community & Student Support:** Every graduate student deserves to feel seen, supported, and valued. We are championing disability cultural spaces, support for student parents and caregivers, and robust funding for student organizations.

Beyond advocacy, we are actively building community on campus. We kicked off the year with a Welcome Week boba and ice cream event drawing over 600 graduate and professional students, and then another big event which had hundreds of students was a pancake and waffle breakfast in Rackham.

We are keeping that momentum going this semester by hosting lunch with Rackham Dean Mike Solomon in November. As well as our main fall event - Fall Feast on November 23rd from 5:00 to 8:00 PM in Rackham (providing holiday food and connection for students who cannot travel home), and a hot cocoa event in December.

A critical priority for our administration is addressing the severe housing and cost-of-living pressures facing our graduate and professional students. While developments like Munger Graduate Residences are a positive step, our community urgently needs more deeply affordable housing options and financial relief. As future campus developments are planned, we ask the Regents to consider the development of Wolverine Village 2.0 or other university-

held properties to build dedicated housing for graduate and professional students, alongside addressing the affordability crisis, childcare needs, food security, and professional development.

I look forward to continuing these vital conversations with you all. I warmly invite the Regents and members of the community to visit RSG; our meetings are held bi-weekly on Thursdays at 7:00 PM in Rackham.

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Best Regards,



Devin William Woodruff

Rackham Student Government President 26-27

Central Student Government
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Central Student Government (CSG) Report

November 2026

President Grasso, members of the Board of Regents, and Executive Officers of the University, it is my pleasure to submit the following report on behalf of the University of Michigan Ann Arbor's Central Student Government (CSG):

Campus Climate

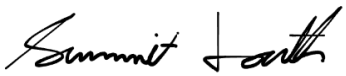
Over the past month, many within the student body have continued to express concern with the acts of sexual violence that have been on campuses across the country. Students of a diversity of backgrounds consistently cite concerns that not only relate to their personal safety, but also whether the university has been doing anything to prevent instances of sexual misconduct of all forms.

It has been the place of the Central Student Government to convey the clear-cut message to students and their parents that this university holds no priority higher than the safety of the student body, and that sexual violence prevention is foundational to that mission.

Through the Central Student Government's social media, as well as the through the student networks that exist through our Department of Constituent Affairs, we have adamantly promoted the premier prevention and survivor support services that our Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center (SAPAC) makes available to all students. These resources range from a variety of prevention-focused workshops – such as those on Consent, Bystander Intervention, and Masculinity and Well-Being – to survivor support resources, such as SAPAC's counseling services, their support of survivors through the Title IX and criminal reporting processes, and their cross-campus advocacy on behalf of survivors as it relates to emergency financial aid, employment, housing, and medical treatment. These resources are in addition to the required trainings that all students must undergo, as well as the mandatory trainings tailored to fraternity and sorority members specifically.

Our university leads peer institutions in sexual misconduct prevention and survivor empowerment efforts, however many students continue to be unaware of these effective resources. It is for this central reason that I urge *all* university students, faculty, and staff to inform themselves and the broader student body of these resources, as many in our University of Michigan family have continuously done. To optimize the safety of the student body – it truly requires an ingrained and consistent culture of advocacy and communication across the entirety of the university.

I wish you all an incredible November, and Go Blue,



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Student Body President

Programming

Tabling Initiatives

To increase the visibility of the CSG, and to inform students of campus-wide resources, CSG has tabled at the following events over the past month:

- Native American Heritage Month
- Channeling Concern Into Change – Learn, Reflect, Create, Heal (Hosted by SAPAC and Wolverine Wellness)

Parent Family Weekend Tye-Dye Event

On October 23rd, CSG's Programming team organized an event where students and their families could Tye-Dye specially branded Central Student Government shirts in front of the Bell Tower. The event had an incredible turnout, with over 600 people registering for the event.

Hail-O-Ween 5k

On October 25th, CSG's Programming team hosted a 5k at Nichols Arboretum during parent-family weekend, where students and their families could run, walk, or jog through the arboretum to be med with free snacks and hot chocolate at the end. The event featured over 150 participants, including guided runners for whom the marathon's route was specially marked.

Mahmoud Khalil Speaking on his book, "No Land to Stand On: Notes from Detention"

On November 5th, CSG hosted Mahmoud Khalil – a Palestinian graduate student known for his activism at Columbia University, and later for his detention by Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) – to discuss his new book "No Land to Stand On: Notes from Detention." Throughout the event Mahmoud was asked about his personal experiences as a student who had been detained by ICE, and he had the opportunity to talk to students about the complex relationship that exists between academic institutions and the federal government.

Policy

- The Medical Deserts and Healthcare Accessibility Commission is currently working on the creation of a mobile urgent-care unit, which would ideally treat patients with colds and minor injuries, as well as providing vaccinations. The Policy team has met with University Health Services (UHS) Director Ernst about the topic, and planning for the unit continues.
- The Basic Needs policy team is working with Beyond The Diag on the possibility of a Housing Accountability Platform, as well as on hosting a **Housing Fair, which is set to**

happen this month on November 10th, from 12:00-3:00 in the Rogel ballroom in the Michigan Union! The housing fair would be an opportunity for students to learn about and discover affordable housing resources.

- The Academic Policy team is currently updating the Central Student Government's internal shared-resources library, adding resources from departments across our massive university.
- The Director of Policy has been continuously advocating to administrators in favor of creating a Center for Survivors of Domestic Violence, similar to the effective and centralized Center at Michigan State University.
- The Director of Policy has also been working with Student Legal Services (SLS) to assess the feasibility of CSG donating funds to SLS for the purpose of subsidizing student consultations.

Communications

The communications team is currently working on a social media series that they have titled "MythBusters," where members of the Central Student Government clear up misunderstandings about university policies, and inform students of university resources, in a positive and enthusiastic environment.

The communications team also worked with the communications teams of the Rackham Student Government, the Associated Students of Michigan State University, and the Council of Graduate Students at Michigan State University on a variety of different pieces of media in anticipation of the Michigan-Michigan State rivalry game on November 7th.

Finances

Since the passage of the Central Student Government's Fall 2026 Consolidated Budget on September 9th, the Student Organization Committee (SOC) has received 333 funding applications, and has allocated $156,361.99 (as of November 5th), with 83.34% of applications receiving some amount of money.

Student General Counsel

The Student General Counsel is responsible for appointing CSG's University Elections Commission (UEC), which is tasked with administering CSG's elections, which occur in the month of November. The Student General Counsel has been assisting the UEC in their day-to-day operations, such as candidate information sessions, candidate headshots, and election-day programming.

Constituent Affairs

The Constituent Affairs Department is currently re-launching the Central Student Government's BRIDGE Program, which is a CSG-led initiative that seeks to close the gap in communication and input that often exists between student governments and the student organizations that they are accountable to. Due to university policies that make it excessively burdensome for CSG to distribute gift cards, the Constituent Affairs Department has remodeled the "take your constituent to coffee" program into one large BRIDGE event that seeks to connect students to members of CSG to discuss pertinent student issues such as student safety, affordability, and freedoms.

First-Year Internship Program

On Tuesday, September 29th, The First-Year Internship Program had its first intern meeting since first-years had been accepted to the program. The First-Year Internship Program received 160 applications, the most since the program's existence, and has an incoming cohort of 27 interns – again, the most since the program's existence.

A major flaw that currently exists within the program is that the individualized element of each CSG leadership position being able to have one or two interns lets to an extremely low acceptance rate into the intern program – this year it was 16.88%. Because of this, the First-Year Internship Program Director – Syndey Maunu – has created a continued interest form that those who didn't make it into the program can fill out. Whenever there is a vacant position within CSG, or new positions are created, the individuals on this form will be contacted of such an availability.

Chief Diversity Officer

Night Around the World

The Chief Diversity Officer is currently collaborating with Trotter/MESA and the School of Literature, Science, and Arts Unit Student Government on hosting Night Around the World. A massive-scale cultural celebration on campus that involves the hundreds of identity student organizations on campus. **Night Around the World will be held on November 12th from 6:00-8:00 PM on the diag.**

Student Equity Task Force

The Chief Diversity Officer is also collaborating with the Central Student Government's Assembly on the creation of a Student Equity Task Force, which had its first meeting on November 4th. The Task Force's main goal is to determine points of inequity within the

Student Government, and then determining ways of ensuring a more inclusive environment for students within CSG.

Government Relations

Collaboration with Campus Voter-Outreach Organizations

CSG's Government Relations Department has pursued close partnerships with Turnup Turnout (TUT) and the university's own Ginsburg Center to collaborate on multiple voter outreach initiatives – such as "walk to the polls," tabling, and social media collaboration.

Additionally, on October 28th, in collaboration with TUT, CSG held a "Walk to the Polls" event, where members of CSG jointly walked from the CSG Office in the union to the Art Museum to cast their votes.

Association of Big Ten Schools

CSG's Government Relations Department is responsible for maintaining CSG's participation in the Association of Big Ten Schools, and as such, has been responsible for planning the upcoming fall conference at the University of Wisconsin Madison, deciding topics of discussion during the conference, and engaging in "Red Zone" sexual assault awareness initiatives.

United Michigan Student Governments

CSG's Director of Government Relations, Somer Qureshi, has recently been appointed as Interim-Director of Legislative Affairs for the United Michigan Student Governments, reflecting CSG's dedicated involvement to the organization. Because of this, CSG has been increasingly involved in deciding the organizations advocacy priorities, as well as planning the organization's fall conference, which is taking place at Western Michigan University.

University Council

The University Council, consisting of the student government leaders from each of the University of Michigan's degree-granting units (e.g., Ross, Engineering) has convened twice during the month of October to discuss their priorities for the school-year – those being confronting gender-based discrimination on campus and assisting international students.

Assembly

The Central Student Government Assembly, the primary legislative body of the student government, has pursued a partnership with the University's Center for Entrepreneurship (CFE). Specifically, the partnership consists of CSG funding the Zell Lurie Institute, 10,000 Pitches (10KP), and the Project Jain Tech Lab with the stated intention of reducing financial barriers for student-innovators.

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Student Government of University of Michigan-Dearborn

November 2026 Regents Report

President Grasso, Members of the Board of Regents, and Executive Officers of the University, it is our honor to submit the following report to you on behalf of the administration of the University of Michigan-Dearborn's Student Government (SG).

University of Michigan Board of Regents Candidate Debate:

Student Government successfully hosted the Regents candidate debate, with three candidates participating. The moderated discussion gave students an opportunity to learn about the Regents and their role at the University through questions and answers on issues affecting our campus.

We thank all three candidates, Paul Brown, Lena Epstein, and Amir Makled, for taking the time to participate and answer students' questions. We also extend our thanks to Regent Carl Meyers for attending. It was wonderful to have him join us, and we appreciate everyone who supported the event.

Supporting the Student Food Pantry:

Our 5K fundraiser with the Department of Public Safety is scheduled for November 14. Collaboration with DPS has been going well as we prepare for the event.

We hope for a strong turnout and look forward to raising funds for the campus food pantry while bringing students, faculty, and staff together in support of this effort.

Statewide Student Government Collaboration:

Our delegation attended the United Michigan Student Governments conference at Western Michigan University on October 24. Although the final constitution was not signed, we made progress in addressing issues with the constitution and bylaws.

We hope to resolve the remaining items at the next conference in March 2027 and continue building a productive partnership among Michigan's student governments.

Academic and Inclusion Initiatives:

Our bake sale to support inclusion events went well. We are preparing for Cultural Bash on November 4 to help students from different backgrounds feel included in our campus community. We also plan to offer LSAT, MCAT, and DAT mock examinations toward the end of November.

International Week:

Student Government is collaborating with the Office of International Affairs on International Week.

Through these events, we hope to bring students together and connect international students with opportunities and support on campus.

Board of Regents Meetings on Our Campus:

As raised during the debate, we kindly ask the Board of Regents to consider holding additional meetings on the Dearborn campus. We would appreciate more opportunities for our students to share their experiences and concerns directly with the Board.

To Conclude:

We are pleased with the progress made this month and look forward to our upcoming events supporting student inclusion, academic preparation, and the food pantry.

We look forward to continuing this work, strengthening our partnerships across campus and throughout Michigan, and ensuring that the voices and concerns of UM-Dearborn students remain central to our efforts.

Go Blue, Go Dearborn!

Rupinder Singh

Rupinder Singh
UM-Dearborn Student Body President

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Student Government of University of Michigan-Flint

November 2026 Regents Report

President Grasso, members of the Board of Regents, and Executive Officers of the University,

As we continue through the fall semester, the University of Michigan-Flint Student Government remains committed to strengthening our campus community, expanding student engagement, and building meaningful partnerships that extend beyond the university and into the communities we call home.

Civic Engagement and Community Outreach

Over the past several weeks, Student Government has been proud to advance our civic engagement initiatives and encourage students to recognize the importance of having their voices heard. We have successfully tabled throughout the University Center, engaging with students and encouraging them to participate in the voting process. Through these conversations, we hope to reinforce that student voices matter not only on our campus but also within our local communities and beyond.

In partnership with the Arab American Heritage Council (AAHC), Student Government also hosted a phone banking initiative that resulted in **more than 5,000 calls to community members**. This initiative provided students with an opportunity to participate in meaningful civic outreach and help encourage community members to make their voices heard. We also invited registered student organizations to participate in the initiative, offering an opportunity to win a prize in recognition of their involvement and encouraging collaboration across our campus organizations.

Campus Engagement and University Partnerships

Student Government has also continued prioritizing opportunities for students to connect, build relationships, and enjoy their university experience outside the classroom. Last month, we were excited to host our annual Homecoming Dance, which saw a wonderful turnout and provided students with an opportunity to celebrate together, connect with their peers, and enjoy the spirit of Wolverine pride. We are grateful to everyone who attended and helped make the evening such a success.

Looking ahead, we are particularly excited to partner with the Department of Public Safety for an upcoming laser tag event in November. We hope this initiative will provide students with an enjoyable opportunity to engage with one another while also strengthening relationships between students and the departments and individuals who serve our campus community.

Looking Ahead

As we approach the final weeks of the fall semester, Student Government remains focused on fulfilling our commitment to student empowerment, campus engagement, and community service. We hope to continue creating opportunities that bring students, faculty, and staff closer together while encouraging our university community to become more actively involved in the city of Flint and the communities we call home.

Our university is strongest when the people who make up our campus feel connected, represented, and empowered to make a difference. We look forward to finishing the semester with meaningful initiatives, stronger partnerships, and continued opportunities to ensure that the University of Michigan-Flint remains an engaged and active part of the greater Flint community.

Go Flint and Go Blue!

Sincerely,



Samantha Jarbou
Student Body President
University of Michigan-Flint