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## Creation of the Cedric Bandoh Distinguished Leadership Award

Whereas, Cedric Bandoh has served The University of Houston and its Student Government Association with the utmost distinction, and the end of his tenure marks an immeasurable loss to those who have been fortunate enough to serve with him; and

**Whereas,** Cedric Bandoh served the students of the University of Houston as a two-term Student Body President of the 49<sup>th</sup> and 50<sup>th</sup> Administrations of the Student Government Association, Chief of Staff of the 48<sup>th</sup> Administration of the Student Government Association, and Undergraduate At-Large Senator of the 47<sup>th</sup> Administration of the Student Government Association; and

Whereas, Cedric Bandoh's terms of office have been characterized by the motto "Service Above Self" through his direction of numerous University initiatives, development and guidance of student programs, and collaboration with other national student leaders on the National Campus Leadership Council; and

Whereas, the Student Government Association wishes recognize the involvement and leadership of students who exemplify the character of Cedric Bandoh's contributions in a prominent and privileged form.

Therefore be it enacted by the 50<sup>th</sup> Senate of the Student Government Association of the University of Houston:

That the *Cedric Bandoh Distinguished Leadership Award* be created and awarded annually to a University of Houston student who best exemplifies the model and measure of leadership demonstrated by Cedric Bandoh, and

**Be it further enacted,** that a plaque be made to display the names of all recipients in the Student Government Association Senate Chamber to honor both their and Cedric Bandoh's commitment to distinguished leadership at the University of Houston.

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