

AS Structure Review

Likes and Dislikes of Student Government Structures

Likes:

- Separation of administrative functions/programming and governance/advocacy work.
- Senate or check and balance to Board of Directors/Executive branch.
- Intentionality of involving first-year students.
- System for recruitment and leadership development
- Separate programming structure with a nonprofit, semi-corporate model.

Neutral/Mixed:

- Position terms longer than one year (potentially better for programming).
- Population/departmental representation.
- Uncertain role/purpose of a judicial branch.

Dislikes:

- Evergreen State College model
- All positions elected on one ticket/ slates / parties
- Excessive emulation of the federal government model.
- Unilateral appointments to leadership positions.
- Taxation without representation (Student fees = taxes).