UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME DU LAC
Student Senate

**Resolution SS 2122-10** 

ON BEHALF OF THE ENTIRE STUDENT UNION David Haungs, *Judicial Council President* 

## A RESOLUTION TO BESTOW EMERITUS STATUS ON THOMAS DAVIS II

*Whereas,* Thomas Davis faithfully and dutifully served as Judicial Council President for the second half of the 2020-2021 term, putting forth his utmost efforts to ensure the consistent and ethical operation of the Student Union within its constitutional mandate;

*Whereas,* Thomas led Judicial Council to a fair and engaging Student Body Election cycle with increased turnout and no instances of misconduct almost immediately after his confirmation, and introduced new means of engaging voters throughout his term as Judicial Council President;

*Whereas*, Thomas ably represented the concerns of students from the Peer Advocacy perspective to University administration in the midst of the Campus Compact;

*Whereas*, Thomas's leadership in Judicial Council was not limited to his term as President, but also included two years as the Student Union Parliamentarian;

*Whereas*, as Student Union Parliamentarian, Chairman of the Committee on the Constitution, and Judicial Council President, Thomas contributed to a process of constitutional reform, bylaw review, and improved adherence to constitutional standards that bettered the operations of many Student Union Organizations and set a model for Judicial Council that persists to this day;

*Whereas*, Thomas has earned and developed a reputation for an unrivaled knowledge and skilled interpretation of parliamentary procedure and constitutional text;

*Whereas,* in his position as Off-Campus Council President, Thomas has continued to be an invaluable resource to Judicial Council through his continuous advice and service on the Committee on the Constitution;

*Whereas,* Thomas's contribution to the Student Union has thus stretched far beyond his service in Judicial Council; therefore, be it

## Resolved by the Student Senate of the University of Notre Dame du Lac,

That, in recognition and appreciation of his dedication and contribution to the University of Notre Dame du Lac, the title of Judicial Council President Emeritus be bestowed upon Thomas Davis.

Man / Allan Njomo

Allan Njomo Student Body President