

**Resolution SS1415-08****November 12, 2014**

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**RESOLUTION ADDRESSING THE STUDY AREAS AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS  
AROUND CAMPUS**

*Whereas*, academic study is a fundamental component of any college experience;

*Whereas*, study space on campus has been promoted in residence halls;

*Whereas*, the LaFortune Student Center and Debartolo Hall have extra space that is presently not available for student study;

*Whereas*, students feel that the study space available in The Hesburgh Library and other academic buildings is not sufficient in meeting student demand;

*Whereas*, MBA and Law students have voiced concerns that undergraduate students are increasingly taking up study areas in their graduate buildings;

*Whereas*, more space and availability would alleviate student demand;

*Whereas*, encouraging studying in Debartolo Hall would ease the transition southeast as the Crossroads project opens for student use;

*Whereas*, the need for study space fluctuates at different times throughout the semester;

*Therefore, be it resolved* that Student Government would like to work with the building managers of Debartolo Hall, LaFortune Student Center, and The Hesburgh Library to seek solutions to students' increasing need for available study areas.

