RESOLUTION
To Stop The Restriction of Technology Use in Classrooms

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Resolved,

SECTION 1. Stop the restriction of technology in classrooms.

WHEREAS, Students are being restricted from using technology in the classroom; and,

WHEREAS, Technology, given the era and time in which we are living, can be used as an instrument to further an individual's education; and,

WHEREAS, Almost all students are 18 years of age or older and therefore capable of making high priority decisions such as choosing to smoke, gamble, vote etc.; and,

WHEREAS, Students are held responsible for their retention and comprehension of all information discussed in the classroom; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That instructors should have the power to deliver information in the most necessary and proper manner they so choose, as students should be allowed to receive it with the same lack of restriction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That students who are following the rules and utilizing the tools and resources available to them through technology should not be punished by the misconduct of the minority; and be it further

RESOLVED, The ECU SGA Senate, which reflects the opinion of the student body of East Carolina University, does not support the restriction of technology in any East Carolina University classroom.
RESOLVED, upon passage of this resolution a copy of the resolution shall be given to the President of the Faculty Senate to be shared with the Faculty Senate.

SECTION 2. DATE EFFECTIVE.

This Resolution shall be effective upon its signing by the President of the Student Body.