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Student Government Association Briefs

Post-Election Discussion

In light of the presidential election, the Universities of Wisconsin are preparing for how proposed policy changes in Title VI and Title IX could affect public universities. According to the U.S. Department of Justice, Title VI prohibits discrimination based on race, color, national origin. Title IX prohibits sex-based discrimination, and specifically "protects transgender students from discrimination on the basis of gender identity." Title IX also protects students from sexual harassment.

Religious & Cultural Awareness

SGA has passed an endorsement for a religious and cultural observance statement to be put into syllabuses to promote greater visibility of the AP1003 policy. AP1003 requires that instructors accommodate students who may miss exams or other academic requirements due to religious obligations. This statement will be included in UWS syllabuses starting either Spring or Fall of 2025.

Outside UWS Representation

SGA members Usman Ahmad and Daniela Castiblanco Diaz have been accepted to represent UWS at Harvard's Model United Nations.

About the SGA: Student Government Association, or SGA, is dedicated to supporting and advocating for students. SGA has many roles on campus. SGA creates and implements projects for the betterment of the student body, and they represent UW-Superior students at other UW-System shared governance platforms. SGA also mediates student affairs, allocates funds to student clubs, and manages misconduct within those clubs. SGA seeks to cultivate a welcoming environment on campus, promote student involvement, and train students for leadership.

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Election Results

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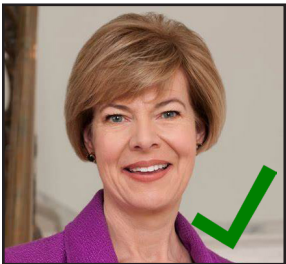


Kamala Harris/Tim Walz
70,383,093 votes
47.9%



Donald Trump/J.D. Vance
74,312,688 votes
50.6%

Wisconsin US Senate



Tammy Baldwin
1,672,418 votes
49.4%



Eric Hovde
1,643,302 votes
48.5%

Wisconsin US House District 7



Kyle Kilbourn
156,572 votes
36.4%



Tom Tiffany
273,611 votes
63.6%

Election Results from WPR

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Students, faculty, staff, supporting community and family members gathered outside at the UWS campus flag pole, raising the flag up to half-staff in honor of all veterans.

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Student & Community Veterans Honored at UWS Veteran's Day Ceremony

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"Veteran's Day reminds us if everyone's courage, resiliency, and unwavering commitment to protect our freedoms -- not just for a day, but for generations to come," opened Associate Chancellor Harry Anderson.

The University of Wisconsin-Superior hosted a Veteran's Day ceremony in conjunction with an award presentation of the Henry Blomberg Excellence in Service Awards on Monday, Nov. 11. The ceremony opened with the presentation of colors and UWS senior Seth Gudmunsen sang the national anthem.

"It's very important that we do this year, but

to remember why we do is another thing," said Interim Veteran and Nontraditional Student Programs Coordinator Gabriel Sexton. "There's a lot of students here that are veterans. I think one of the biggest things you can do is thank them for all of the freedom that you have, and that we get to enjoy."

Before the award ceremony, guest speaker SSGT Jake Theivagt, a UWS graduate, about the history of the day. Veteran's Day start at the end of World War 1, and was originally called "Armistice Day." The day would later be recognized as a nationally in 1938. But it wasn't until 1954 under presi-



Interim Veteran and Nontraditional Student Programs Coordinator Gabriel Sexton opening UWS' Veteran's Day ceremony on Monday, Nov. 11.

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dency of the Eisenhower Administration where the day was renamed and looked to recognized all veterans who served in any U.S. conflict.

After the ceremony, students, staff, and sup-

porting family and community members gathered outside with the color guard to bring the campus flag to half-staff to honor all veterans.

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Henry Blomberg Excellence in Service Award

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Attention, attention! Veterans Day just passed around the corner, and the University of Wisconsin-Superior held a special ceremony for these extra special people. The term veteran implies that someone has served in the military, air, or naval service and was honorably released. Many, during their time of service, go above and beyond their duties and receive commendable awards for their actions.

UWS does something similar. The award is called the Henry

Blomberg Excellence in Service Award. It is a mix of academics and veteran status. Blomberg graduated from Superior Normal School (now UW-Superior) in 1916 and then joined the Wisconsin National Guard. After being wounded in battle in 1918, he was awarded the second-highest military honor: the Distinguished Service Cross.

The award ceremony occurred Monday, Nov 11, in the UWS Yellowjacket Union Atrium. Five individuals—current students, staff members, or alumni—received this honor this year.



From Left to Right: Michalle Poppy, Michelle White, Tom Culbert, and Scott Vosen with their awards. Mike Erickson not pictured.

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Interim Veteran and Nontraditional Student Programs Coordinator Gabriel Sexton said, "I think it's awfully great. This year we had quite a bit of people nominated and it's kind of rewarding knowing that there are so many people to pick from. It's a really good thing we have going here, it shows that our campus is pretty military friendly."

The list includes Petty Officer First Class U.S. Navy Mike Erickson, E-4

Specialist U.S. Army Michelle White, E-4 Specialist U.S. Army Scott Vosen, Sergeant U.S. Army Mechalle Poppy, and U.S. Air Force Tom Culbert.

Nontraditional student and veteran White said, "I was truly shocked to receive the award since I live over five hours away. It truly is an honor. I am so thankful to my family and friends who have supported not only my military experience, but my...

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