

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
Academic and Student Affairs Committee  
October 30, 2024**

**SUBJECT:** 2024 Intellectual Diversity Survey Results

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**PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION**

For information

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution, Section 1001.706(13)(b), Florida Statutes

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Section 1001.706(13)(b), Florida Statutes, requires an annual assessment of the intellectual freedom and viewpoint diversity of faculty, students, and staff to be conducted at each institution and for those assessments to be compiled and published annually by the Board of Governors. In collaboration with the Florida College System, a student survey and an employee survey were developed and administered to students and employees in each system. The results by institution were compiled and are being presented to the Board as information prior to publishing on the Board's website.

Dr. Samuel J. Abrams, Faculty of Politics at Sarah Lawrence College and Senior Fellow at the American Enterprise Institute will provide an overview of the results.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:**

None

**Facilitators/Presenters:**

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