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GSA Presidential Statement on New Director of Climate Action Position

May 29th, 2019 --- I am pleased to announce the creation of a new GSA cabinet position, the Director of Climate Action, for the 2019-2020 school year.

The Director shall represent GSA on all issues related to climate change and addressing the ongoing climate emergency. The Director shall encourage UCLA divestment from fossil fuel companies. The Director shall be responsible for overseeing the Sustainable Resource Center. The Director shall sit on the ASUCLA Sustainability Committee and the Campus Sustainability Committee and shall be a liaison to other student and campus groups relating to sustainability.

The position provides for a $1,500 a quarter stipend, which approximates a wage of $15 an hour.

This position encompasses the responsibilities of the position formerly known as the Director of the Sustainable Resource Center. While the sustainable resource center will remain, this new position refocuses the centers efforts towards addressing climate change and the myriad crises that climate change is presenting and will present in the near future.

Any graduate student who will be at UCLA for the 2019-2020 school year may apply for the position at https://t.co/l2Au5oG1Sk. Positions will be filled on a rolling basis, and initial hiring offers will be made in coming weeks.

Sincerely,
Zak Fisher