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**To:** The Honorable Student Body of the University of South Florida Tampa Campus  
**From:** Student Government Leadership  
**Subject:** Week of January 11<sup>th</sup> Updates  
**Date:** January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021

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This week's update for the Federal and Local Student Government is as follows:

**Federal Student Government**

- Met with Dr. Tadlock in St. Pete to express our priorities for the spring semester.
- Met with Dr. Dosal and Dean Crume in Tampa to continue conversation on how to aid students in academic relief. We also expressed our spring semester priorities in this initial meeting.
- After 4 years of work, the Syllabus Archive launched this week and is available for students to use on their canvas!
- Met with the Alumni Association to further progress our platform initiative of creating a mentorship program accessible to all USF students.
- Made significant progress on solidifying out legislative agenda to lobby in Tallahassee this spring semester.
  - Several SG members have been working to review K-12 History educational standards to propose revisions to the Florida Department of Education with the priority being the addition of increased education on Black History.

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**Local Student Government**

- Converting USF SG's annual Day at the Capitol trip to a virtual Florida Politics Series! Join us on February 4<sup>th</sup> on Microsoft Teams from 4-5pm for a panel of experts on Lobbying, Influence, and the Media.
- Began funding departments in CAFC for the next fiscal year.
- Currently accepting applications for a new Chief Judge for the Tampa Circuit Court. Apply via Handshake by 1/26/21 at 5pm!
- Continuing to work on a voter registration proposal with campus partners.

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