

From: [Robert Kyle Alagood](#)
To: [Weiss, Jack](#)
Subject: Re: Law Center Diversity: Student Concerns
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2014 8:08:23 AM

Dear Chancellor Weiss:

Thank you for acknowledging my letter. I am happy you are seriously considering my concerns. I respect that as Chancellor, you are often unaware of issues and concerns brewing at the student level, which led me to write you directly. My aim was to ensure you are aware of growing student concerns with diversity, because I and other student leaders who have made similar observations want to cooperate with you and faculty to help make LSU Law an even greater institution.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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From: "Weiss, Jack" <jmweiss@law.lsu.edu>
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Subject: RE: Law Center Diversity: Student Concerns

Dear Mr. Alagood: Thanks for your letter. Let me give some thought to how best to address your concerns. I will be back in touch with you after I've done so. Best regards. JMW

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From: Robert Kyle Alagood
Sent: Sunday, October 19, 2014 11:39 PM
To: Weiss, Jack
Cc: Hood, Christina
Subject: Law Center Diversity: Student Concerns

Dear Chancellor Weiss:

I am part of a growing coalition of students who hope to meet with you, faculty, and administration to

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discuss our concerns with diversity at the LSU Law Center. The attached letter reflects my own views on diversity and proposes faculty, administration, and the diversity coalition leadership meet to discuss my concerns and proposals. Although the letter is mine alone, the coalition of student leaders with whom I am working agrees there is a problem with the Law Center's valuation of diversity as a factor in decision-making. The coalition supports the proposed reforms, and its leaders and I ask to meet with Law Center faculty and administration to pursue next-steps.

Thank you in advance for your time and consideration. I look forward to working with you to continue recruiting a diverse student body and better cultivate students' success once they join our law school family.

Sincerely,

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