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## PRESIDENTIAL MEMORANDUM

Date: July 16, 2019  
To: The Student Government Association & The Student Body  
From: Rochard Moricette | Student Body President and University Trustee  
Subject: Chief Justice and Associate Chief Justice Appointments | Judicial Branch Outlook

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Salutations,

As we prepare for the 2019-2020 academic year, it is my duty as the Student Body President to ensure that the Student Government Association is properly composed to carry out its duties and responsibilities. Per the power vested in me by the Student Body Constitution Article IV in Section 5:

*D. Appoint the Chief Justice, Associate Chief Justice, and Justices to the Judicial Branch of the Student Supreme Court and Traffic Court when vacancies exist, subject to Student Senate approval by a two-third (2/3) vote.*

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Melissa Lavoile and Titilayo Okuwa as the next Chief Justice and Associate Chief Justice of the Student Supreme Court. Both candidates meet the qualifications for their respective positions and I wholeheartedly believe in their ability to lead the Judicial Branch of the Student Government Association. These candidates are subject to Student Senate approval by a two-thirds vote.

Additionally, the Judicial Branch vacancies will be advertised from August 5<sup>th</sup> to the 16<sup>th</sup> and are as followed: Four Supreme Court Justices, Solicitor General of the Supreme Court, Clerk of Courts, and three Traffic Court Justices. Interviews will be granted to qualified candidates between August 19<sup>th</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup>. A list of appointments will be forwarded to the 49<sup>th</sup> Student Senate President, President Pro-Tempore and Elections and Appointments Committee Chairperson by August 26, 2019. I encourage all interested Rattlers who seek to contribute to the efforts of the Judicial Branch to apply for those vacancies once they are advertised.

Rattler Regards,

*Rochard Moricette*

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Rochard Moricette  
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