

## Questions for the CSSA

- 1) In your statement to the SRA on October 6, you stated that MAC CSSA “has no affiliation to other CSSAs sharing the same name, *nor any government.*” However in your statement signed February 13th you stated that “On the morning of Feb 12, we notified the Chinese consulate in Toronto.” Could you elaborate on the discrepancy between these two statements?
- 2) In your statement to the SRA on October 6, you stated that MAC CSSA “has no affiliation to other CSSAs sharing the same name, *nor any government.*” However, in your response to SRA questions in June, you stated that MAC CSSA “had cooperation with the Chinese Embassy with regards to Chinese cultural exchange as well as safety education for international students.” Can you clarify your relationship with the Chinese Consulate?
- 3) Do you understand why some Chinese students feel endangered by the MAC CSSA’s act of reporting a Uyghur activist to the Chinese Consulate? (Example: <https://www.hrw.org/zh-hans/news/2019/03/04/327835>)
- 4) You have been previously asked “Did your club play a leadership role in releasing the Feb. 13 statement and contacting the Chinese consulate in Toronto in response to the Feb. 11 MSA/MMPJ event featuring Rukiye Turdush? If yes, what were the reasons behind this.” The SRA did not receive a direct answer, it was reported by another signatory of the Feb.13 statement that, “MSA [MELD Student Association] received an invitation from the former president of the CSSA and our former president finally agreed to authorize the signature.” **Did your club play a leadership role in releasing the Feb. 13 statement and contacting the Chinese consulate in Toronto in response to the Feb. 11 MSA/MMPJ event featuring Rukiye Turdush? If yes, what were the reasons behind this?**
- 5) If, in the future, students (whether Chinese or non-Chinese) decide to publicly criticize the Chinese government, what will you do? For example, what would you do if students criticize the Chinese government for the June 4, 1989 Tiananmen Square Massacre? (More info: <https://www.hrw.org/zh-hans/news/2019/05/30/330635> )

- 6) What would the MAC CSSA executive do if a Chinese student threatened to report the MAC CSSA executive to the Chinese Consulate for failing to inform the consulate of political activity on campus that criticized the Chinese government?
- 7) Did MAC CSSA receive any support, advice, or guidance from other CSSA organizations on how to respond to the SRA's September 22 decision?
- 8) Did MAC CSSA receive any support, advice, or guidance from any Chinese government officials (such as from the Embassy or Consulate) on how to respond to the SRA's September 22 decision?
- 9) Has the Chinese Consulate attempted to provide MAC CSSA with any support, advice, or guidance since the SRA's September 22 decision?