

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF UKRAINIAN  
UNIVERSITY STUDENTS, FACULTY, AND STAFF**

***RATIONALE:***

**WHEREAS** Russia's invasion of Ukraine is an attack on human rights and democracy and a violation of international law that is taking the lives of innocent civilians; and

**WHEREAS** President Putin has used historical falsehoods and propaganda to justify Russia's attack on Ukraine's sovereignty; and

**WHEREAS** National University of Kyiv Mohyla-Academy [has suspended all lectures](#) and their students are joining the Ukrainian Armed Forces; and

**WHEREAS** students from Ukraine studying in the United States and Ukrainian Fulbright participants are under severe stress due to their families, friends, and loved ones facing military aggression in Ukraine, and may not be able to return to their homes in the foreseeable future; and

**WHEREAS** American academics across the nation are [speaking out against Russian aggression](#) and in support of Ukraine.

***RESOLUTION:***

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that NDSU Faculty Senate condemns in the strongest terms Russia's unprovoked and unjustified attack on sovereign Ukraine; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the NDSU Faculty Senate stands in firm support with university students, faculty, and staff in Ukraine; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the NDSU Faculty Senate stands in firm support with university students, faculty, and staff in Russia who oppose the war.

**Adopted by the NDSU Faculty Senate on March 21, 2022.**