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**Resolution in Support of Movement between Countries by International Students, Faculty, and Staff**

**Whereas** there have been executive orders from the President of the United States regarding those from countries outside the United States and movement of those from countries other than the United States within and outside the United States; and

**Whereas** universities, including the University of Cincinnati, have opened their doors to international students, faculty, and staff to promote learning and exchange across the globe in our growing international world; and

**Whereas** movement between countries may be central to research efforts and exchange of ideas that promotes knowledge; and

**Whereas** movement between countries is important to retain family contact and the maintenance of professional, community, and family relationships; and

**Whereas** movement and travel between countries is critical to cultural understanding and growth and maintenance of international relationships and exchange of academic ideas;

**Therefore**, be it resolved that although international students, faculty, and staff must remain cognizant of and follow the executive orders of the President of the United States, the Faculty Senate supports the travel and movement between countries of international students, faculty, and staff to promote the exchange of ideas, diversity, and cultures that are fundamental to the inclusive nature of international exchange for our university.