Tell Legislators: Higher Ed Is Not a Political Pawn

Politicians in [our state] are trying to use higher education to score political points by passing bills that interfere with how colleges and universities operate. These bills:

* mandate or prohibit content in the classroom
* empower partisan political appointees to determine campus policy
* limit the freedom to learn, teach, and conduct research
* limit educators’ right to join together and advocate for higher education

Here are a few of the measures recently enacted or proposed in [our state]:

* example from your state
* another example from your state

This is not an isolated example. A wave of similar legislation has been introduced in Florida, Ohio, and Texas, with more on the way.

The AAUP is working with our allies to defend higher education. Together, we can protect quality education in this country and ensure that our students have the opportunity to learn the truth about our history.

[If applicable, insert info about what your chapter or conference is doing—keep it short]

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