

2019 Session Bill Summary

The following is a summary of all legislation tracked by the University that passed in the 2019 legislative session.

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Category	Bill Number	Bill Name	Sponsor	Status
Academics	HB 1139	Expanding the current and future educator workforce supply	Santos	Partial Veto
	HB 1148	Concerning architect registration	Kirby	Gov Signed
	HB 1621	Concerning basic skills assessments for approved teacher preparation programs	Ybarra	Gov Signed
	HB 1734	Requiring accreditation standards for college in the high school programs	Leavitt	Gov Signed
	SB 5023	Concerning an ethnic studies curriculum for public school students	Hasegawa	Gov Signed
	SB 5166	Providing religious accommodations for postsecondary students	Hasegawa	Gov Signed
	SB 5410	Establishing a systemwide credit policy regarding advanced placement, international baccalaureate, and Cambridge international exams	Mullet	Gov Signed
Capital Planning & Development	HB 1318	Making the public art capital budget language permanent for efficiency	Tharinger	Gov Signed
	HB 1724	Concerning the mitigation of public facilities in certain cities	Santos	Gov Signed
	HB 1743	Addressing the methodology for establishing the prevailing rate of wages for the construction of affordable housing, shelters, and low-income weatherization and home rehabilitation	Ormsby	Gov Signed
	HB 1849	Revising the lease terms for managing first-class unplatted tidelands and shorelands	Lekanoff	Gov Signed
	HB 1923	Increasing urban residential building capacity	Fitzgibbon	Gov Signed
	SB 5010	Concerning protected lands not being assessed local fire district levies	Rolfes	Gov Signed
	SB 5600	Concerning residential tenant protections	Kuderer	Gov Signed
Facilities	HB 1112	Reducing greenhouse gas emissions from hydrofluorocarbons	Fitzgibbon	Gov Signed
	HB 1147	Concerning access of broadcasters to a geographic area subject to the declaration of a national, state, or local emergency	Chapman	Gov Signed
	HB 1257	Concerning energy efficiency	Doglio	Gov Signed
	HB 1290	Concerning reviews of voluntary cleanups	Peterson	Gov Signed
	HB 1295	Concerning public works contracting procedures	Tharinger	Gov Signed
	HB 1512	Concerning the electrification of transportation	Fey	Gov Signed
	HB 1543	Concerning sustainable recycling	Mead	Gov Signed
	HB 1772	Concerning motorized foot scooters	Macri	Gov Signed
	HB 2042	Advancing green transportation adoption	Fey	Gov Signed
	SB 5012	Concerning governmental continuity during emergency periods	Takko	Gov Signed
	SB 5035	Enhancing the prevailing wage laws to ensure contractor and owner accountability and worker protection	Saldaña	Gov Signed
	SB 5106	Concerning the creation of a work group to study and make recommendations on natural disaster mitigation and resiliency activities	Das	Gov Signed
	SB 5116	Supporting Washington's clean energy economy and transitioning to a clean, affordable, and reliable energy future	Carlyle	Gov Signed
	SB 5284	Concerning smoke detection devices	Lias	Gov Signed
	SB 5418	Concerning local government procurement modernization and efficiency	Takko	Partial Veto
	SB 5471	Extending the validity of temporary elevator licenses, expanding membership of the elevator safety advisory committee, allowing homeowners to remove conveyances, and eliminating paperwork	King	Gov Signed
SB 5723	Increasing safety on roadways for pedestrians, bicyclists, and other roadway users	Saldaña	Gov Signed	

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Financial Aid & Tuition	HB 1311	Concerning college bound scholarship eligible students	Bergquist	Gov Signed
	HB 1688	Concerning resident student status as applied to veterans	Morgan	Gov Signed
	HB 1893	Providing assistance to certain postsecondary students	Entenman	Gov Signed
	HB 1973	Establishing the Washington dual enrollment scholarship pilot program	Paul	Gov Signed
	SB 5119	Including highway workers employed on a transportation project by a contractor in the tuition and fee exemption for children and surviving spouses of highway workers	Palumbo	Gov Signed
Financial Management	HB 1301	Exempting certain leasehold interests in arenas with a seating capacity of more than two thousand from the leasehold excise tax	Kirby	Gov Signed
	HB 1667	Concerning public records request administration	Springer	Gov Signed
	HB 2167	Relating to tax revenue	Tarleton	Gov Signed
	HB 2168	Relating to tax preferences	Tarleton	Gov Signed
	SB 5278	Concerning reporting suspected fraud and theft of payment cards	Mullet	Gov Signed
	SB 5581	Improving the effectiveness and adequacy of state tax laws	Rolfes	Gov Signed
Human Resources	HB 1087	Concerning long-term services and supports	Jinkins	Gov Signed
	HB 1399	Concerning paid family and medical leave	Robinson	Gov Signed
	HB 1408	Clarifying the written consent requirement for survivorship benefit options	Volz	Gov Signed
	HB 1533	Making information about domestic violence resources available in the workplace	Mosbrucker	Gov Signed
	HB 1537	Concerning sunshine committee recommendations	Springer	Gov Signed
	HB 1575	Strengthening the rights of workers through collective bargaining by addressing authorizations and revocations, certifications, and the authority to deduct and accept union dues and fees	Stonier	Gov Signed
	HB 1692	Protecting information concerning agency employees who have filed a claim of harassment or stalking	Jinkins	Gov Signed
	HB 1696	Concerning wage and salary information	Dolan	Gov Signed
	HB 1930	Concerning reasonable accommodation for the expression of breast milk in the workplace	Doglio	Gov Signed
	HB 2144	Concerning funding of law enforcement officers' and firefighters plan 2 benefit improvements	Sullivan	Gov Signed
	SB 5022	Granting binding interest arbitration rights to certain higher education uniformed personnel.	Keiser	Partial Veto
	SB 5233	Creating an alternative process for sick leave benefits for workers represented by collective bargaining agreements	Keiser	Gov Signed
	SB 5258	Preventing the sexual harassment and sexual assault of certain isolated workers	Keiser	Gov Signed
	SB 5297	Extending collective bargaining rights to assistant attorneys general	Hunt	Gov Signed
	SB 5311	Eliminating, revising, or decodifying obsolete or inactive statutory provisions that concern the office of financial management	Hunt	Gov Signed
SB 5350	Concerning the purchase of an optional life annuity benefit for certain public retirement system members	Conway	Gov Signed	
SB 5355	Recovering service credit withdrawn from the public employees' retirement system for certain law enforcement officers and firefighters	Holy	Gov Signed	
SB 5360	Addressing plan membership default provisions in the public employees' retirement system, the teachers' retirement system, and the school employees' retirement system	Conway	Partial Veto	
Information Technology	HB 1071	Protecting personal information	Kloba	Gov Signed
	HB 1908	Repealing the electronic authentication act	Graham	Gov Signed
	SB 5511	Expanding affordable, resilient broadband service to enable economic development, public safety, health care, and education in Washington's communities	Wellman	Gov Signed

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Operations	HB 1166	Supporting sexual assault survivors	Orwall	Gov Signed
	HB 1909	Concerning the confidentiality of industrial insurance claim records	Graham	Gov Signed
	HB 1913	Concerning the presumption of occupational disease for purposes of workers' compensation by adding medical conditions to the presumption, extending the presumption to certain publicly employed firefighters and investigators and law enforcement, and other provisions	Doglio	Gov Signed
	HB 2020	Exempting the disclosure of names in employment investigation records	Dolan	Gov Signed
	SB 5163	Concerning actions for wrongful injury or death	Hasegawa	Gov Signed
	SB 5497	Establishing a statewide policy supporting Washington state's economy and immigrants' role in the workplace	Wellman	Gov Signed
	SB 5851	Enhancing educational opportunities for vulnerable children and youth using funding distributed from the Puget Sound taxpayer accountability account	Froct	Gov Signed
Other	HB 1064	Concerning law enforcement	Goodman	Gov Signed
	HB 1196	Allowing for the year round observation of daylight saving time	Riccelli	Gov Signed
	HB 1554	Concerning dental hygienists	Thai	Gov Signed
	HB 1732	Concerning identifying and responding to bias-based criminal offenses	Valdez	Gov Signed
	SB 5433	Providing postsecondary education opportunities to enhance public safety	Wilson	Gov Signed
	SB 5714	Concerning the reliability of evidence in criminal proceedings	Dhingra	Gov Signed
Research	HB 1415	Modifying funding of the medical marijuana authorization database	Schmick	Gov Signed
	SB 5212	Concerning the adoption of dogs and cats used for science or research purposes	Palumbo	Gov Signed
	SB 5276	Authorizing hemp production in conformance with the agriculture improvement act of 2018	Ericksen	Gov Signed
	SB 5330	Analyzing state regulatory impact on small forest landowners	Braun	Gov Signed
	SB 5786	Concerning research in public institutions of higher education	Brown	Gov Signed
	SB 5597	Creating a work group on aerial pesticide applications in forestlands	Rolfes	Gov Signed
State Funding	HB 1102	Concerning the capital budget	Tharinger	Partial Veto
	HB 1109	Making 2019-2021 biennium operating appropriations	Ormsby	Partial Veto
	HB 2158	Creating a workforce education investment to train Washington students for Washington jobs.	Hansen	Gov Signed
	SB 5993	Reforming the financial structure of the model toxics control program	Froct	Gov Signed
	SB 6004	Relating to fiscal matters	Rolfes	Gov Signed
Student Interest	HB 1138	Concerning the armed forces exceptions for giving notice of termination of a tenancy	Ryu	Gov Signed
	SB 5800	Concerning homeless college students	Randall	Gov Signed

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UW Medicine	HB 1012	Concerning the use of child passenger restraint systems	Bergquist	Gov Signed
	HB 1016	Concerning hospital notification of availability of sexual assault evidence kit collection	Caldier	Gov Signed
	HB 1049	Concerning health care provider and health care facility whistleblower protections	Macri	Gov Signed
	HB 1065	Protecting consumers from charges for out-of-network health care services	Cody	Gov Signed
	HB 1155	Concerning meal and rest breaks and mandatory overtime for certain health care employees	Riccelli	Gov Signed
	HB 1175	Concerning authorization of health care decisions by an individual or designated person	Kilduff	Gov Signed
	HB 1224	Concerning prescription drug cost transparency	Robinson	Gov Signed
	HB 1239	Protecting the confidentiality of health care quality and peer review discussions to support effective patient safety	Cody	Gov Signed
	HB 1394	Concerning community facilities needed to ensure a continuum of care for behavioral health patients	Schmick	Gov Signed
	HB 1432	Concerning hospital privileges for advanced registered nurse practitioners and physician assistants	Cody	Gov Signed
	HB 1450	Concerning restraints on persons engaging in lawful professions, trades, or businesses	Stanford	Gov Signed
	HB 1490	Amending the application of the occupational disease presumption for cancer for Hanford site workers	Ormsby	Gov Signed
	HB 1517	Concerning domestic violence	Goodman	Gov Signed
	HB 1531	Concerning medical debt	Jinkins	Gov Signed
	HB 1593	Establishing a behavioral health innovation and integration campus within the University of Washington school of medicine	Chopp	Gov Signed
	HB 1607	Concerning notice of material changes to the operations or governance structure of participants in the health care marketplace	Caldier	Gov Signed
	HB 1668	Creating the Washington health corps to support health care professionals who provide service in underserved communities	Slatter	Gov Signed
	HB 1726	Concerning services provided by health care professional students	Riccelli	Gov Signed
	HB 1753	Requiring a statement of inquiry for rules affecting fees related to health professions	Riccelli	Gov Signed
	HB 1777	Exempting certain existing ambulatory surgical facilities from certificate of need	Cody	Gov Signed
	HB 1907	Concerning the substance use disorder treatment system	Davis	Gov Signed
	HB 1931	Concerning workplace violence in health care settings	Leavitt	Gov Signed
	HB 2024	Concerning deductions of incentive payments under the medicaid program	Robinson	Gov Signed
	SB 5000	Concerning online access to health care resources for veterinarians and veterinary technicians	Palumbo	Gov Signed
	SB 5054	Increasing the behavioral health workforce by establishing a reciprocity program to increase the portability of behavioral health licenses and certifications	O'Ban	Partial Veto
	SB 5127	Increasing the traumatic brain injury fee	McCoy	Gov Signed
	SB 5181	Concerning certain procedures upon initial detention under the involuntary treatment act	Kuderer	Gov Signed
	SB 5380	Concerning opioid use disorder treatment, prevention, and related services	Cleveland	Gov Signed
	SB 5386	Concerning training standards in providing telemedicine services	Becker	Gov Signed
	SB 5387	Concerning physician credentialing in telemedicine services	Becker	Gov Signed
	SB 5405	Concerning nondiscrimination in access to organ transplants	Padden	Gov Signed
	SB 5425	Concerning maternal mortality reviews	Cleveland	Gov Signed
	SB 5432	Concerning fully implementing behavioral health integration for January 1, 2020	Dhingra	Gov Signed
	SB 5490	Transferring duties of the life sciences discovery fund	Froctt	Gov Signed
	SB 5526	Increasing the availability of quality, affordable health coverage in the individual market	Froctt	Gov Signed
	SB 5627	Establishing the healthy energy workers board	Brown	Gov Signed
	SB 5688	Concerning athletic trainers	Cleveland	Gov Signed
	SB 5734	Concerning the hospital safety net assessment	Cleveland	Gov Signed
	SB 5741	Making changes to support future operations of the state all payer claims database	Keiser	Gov Signed
	SB 5846	Concerning the integration of international medical graduates into Washington's health care delivery system	Saldaña	Gov Signed
SB 5889	Concerning insurance communications confidentiality	Dhingra	Gov Signed	
SB 5903	Concerning children's mental health	Darneille	Gov Signed	