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**Date:** September 16, 2024  
**To:** *The Mercury* Leadership (Stipend Positions)  
**From:** Lydia Lum, Director of Student Media  
**Subject:** *The Mercury* Strike

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Because you have publicly indicated on *The Mercury* website your refusal to perform the duties required of your respective roles with UT Dallas' student newspaper, *The Mercury*, we request that you turn over all passwords and access to the newspaper's social media accounts. Such accounts are considered the property of the university and do not belong to individual students.

A special meeting of the Student Media Operating Board will be convened to evaluate your continued participation with *The Mercury* and your eligibility for the privileges associated with your positions.