

Constitution of Bridges International

Article I: Name

The name of this organization shall be Bridges International

Article II: Object

Bridges International is affiliated with Campus Crusade for Christ. We are an interdenominational Christian student group seeking to declare God's glory among the nations and His marvelous deeds among all peoples. Our social and educational activities build bridges of understanding between the many cultures represented by international and graduate students at NCSU.

Article III: Membership

Bridges International has an open-door policy. All members of NCSU as well as interested persons outside of NCSU are welcome to attend our various ministry activities. There are no "members" in the sense of meeting requirements or being accepted into membership. Bridges International was formed by Christians who agree in their belief that man's only access to God is through Jesus Christ and faith in His deity, His death as full payment for man's sins, and His resurrection. While this is the foundation for our Bible studies, those holding other beliefs are welcome to attend.

Article IV: Officers

Bridges International does not have officers. However, a small group of participants with a strong commitment to the maintenance of the organization agree to be named as a servant team for the purpose of financial responsibility and communication with the NCSU administration.

Article V: Meetings

Regular meetings will be held weekly for all who are interested. Special meetings may be called whenever necessary.

Article VI: Advisor

The advisor to Bridges International will be chosen by the servant team and the full-time staff members of Bridges International. The advisor will be a member of the NCSU faculty.

Article VII: Committees

Regular committees may be established and special committees may be set up as they are needed.

Article VIII: By-Laws

Due to the unstructured nature of Bridges International and its purpose, unlike most other student organizations, by-laws are not seen as necessary. Because it exists as a Christian ministry, the organization does not operate on the basis of rules or prescribed format which would be subject to change and, thus, require by-laws.

Article IX: Finance

The various expenses incurred by Bridges International are funded by community churches and individuals. However, in the future, funds may be requested from the Student Activity funds through procedures established by NCSU.

Article X: Servant Team Practices

Campus Crusade for Christ International reserves the right to review and revise the Bridges International constitution, servant team practices, meetings and other related leadership positions from time to time as deemed necessary. The Bridges International chapter at NCSU adopts and adheres to the practices and beliefs of the Campus Crusade for Christ's stated purposes and objectives and statement of faith.