

## **Modern Dance Club Constitution**

### **Article I. Name and Purpose**

Section 1. This organization shall be known as the Modern Dance Club.

Section 2. The purpose of this organization shall be:

- A. to promote interest in modern dance among students, faculty, staff, and alumni of NCSU.
- B. to provide support for students and faculty involved in the performance and production of modern dance.

### **Article II. Membership**

Section 1. Membership shall be open to all regularly enrolled NCSU students who are interested in Modern Dance.

Section 2. No person interested in modern dance shall be denied membership so long as he or she complies with the member responsibilities outlined in Article VIII.

### **Article III. Officers**

Section 1. The elected officers of this club shall be the President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Section 2. The officers shall be elected by the club members to a term of one year, at the first meeting of each Fall semester.

### **Article IV. Dues**

Section 1. Dues for the club shall be in the form of special assessments voted on by a majority of the club members present and voting.

### **Article V. Amending the Constitution and By-laws**

Section 1. Amendments to the constitution or by-laws shall be presented by members of the organization in writing and read at a regular meeting, but shall not be voted upon until the next regular meeting. Two-thirds (2/3) of the members must be present and the vote shall be carried by a two-thirds (2/3) majority.

Section 2. All amendments to this constitution or by-laws shall be subject to the approval of the Student Senate.

Section 3. Any article of this constitution, or part thereof, that is in direct violation of the Student Government Constitution or By-laws shall be null and void, and declared unconstitutional by the President of the Student Government. Any difference of opinion between the President and the Modern Dance Club shall be arbitrated by the Student Senate, whose decision shall be final.

### **Article VI. Meetings**

Section 1. The club shall meet as determined by the club membership each semester.

Section 2. All meetings shall be conducted by parliamentary procedure.

**Article VII. Committees**

Section 1. The President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer shall make up the Executive Committee.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall appoint special committees as needed.

**Article VIII. Responsibilities of Members**

Section 1. Each member is expected to attend all meetings of the Modern Dance Club unless excused by the President.

Section 2. Each member is expected to contribute with time, energy, and creativity to the planning and execution of Club-sponsored activities.

**Article IX. Ratification**

Section 1. This constitution shall be ratified upon the two-thirds (2/3) majority approval of the Modern Dance Club, and upon the approval of the Office of Student Development.