

# **AIGA—NCSU Student Chapter Constitution 5<sup>th</sup> April 2004**

## **Article I: Name and Purpose**

- Section 1
  - This organization shall be known as the NC State AIGA Student Chapter.
- Section 2
  - The purpose of this chapter is to strengthen the design community. We aim to bridge the gap between the professional world of design and student life and allow a stronger understanding and appreciation for all aspects of design.

## **Article II: Membership**

- Section 1
  - Membership shall be open to regularly enrolled students who are currently or will become a member of the National AIGA organization. Non-AIGA members are welcome to join discussion, help plan for functions and involve themselves with our chapter; however, they will not be privileged to travel with our Chapter to functions, nor receive any of the benefits that this chapter may receive.
  - (There must be 10 registered AIGA members at all times within the organization)
- Section 2
  - There will be no more than 6 (six) board members at one time elected
  - For each board member there will specific responsibilities given to them that they must uphold.

## **Article III: Officers**

- Section 1
  - The elective officers for this club shall be restricted to only current freshmen, sophomores, or juniors are allowed as candidates.
  - Elections for officers will be held in the first two weeks of the spring semester for the next school year.
- Section 2
  - The elected candidates must be willing to fulfill the full term to their elected office. At no time before their term of one year is up can he or she discard their position as an elected officer unless given permission by the club.

## **Article IV: Dues**

- Section 1
  - Dues are in accordance with the requirements for the National AIGA organization for student members: \$65.
  - NCSU requires a \$2.00 fee for belonging to the university and be allowed web space, room space and other privileges offered through the university.

**Article V: Amending the Constitution and by-laws**

- Section 1
  - Amendments to the constitution or by-laws shall be presented by members of the club in writing and read at a regular meeting but shall not be voted upon until the next regular meeting, and then only after informing each member of the proposed amendments. A majority of 2/3 of the members present and voting shall be required.

**Article VI: Meetings**

- Section 1
  - The members of the board should be willing to meet every week at a specified time and date.
  - All members of the chapter should be willing to meet at least once every month at a specified time and date.

**Article VII: Committees**

- Section 1
  - An AIGA representative should keep in contact with the design council graphic rep for information on department/college issues.