University Service & Leadership Consultants

Constitution and Bylaws

Article I Name & Purpose

Section I: This organization shall be known as the Service and Leadership

Consultants

Section II: The purpose of this organization shall be the advancement of service and

leadership in the greater university community. Consultants will actively participate in the planning and implementation of a variety of activities advancing the mission of both the organization and the Center for Student

Leadership Ethics and Public Service.

Article II Membership

Section I: Membership shall be open to all regularly enrolled students at both the

undergraduate and graduate levels of study. Membership however, will be limited to those individuals selected through the process detailed in the

following section.

Section II: A comprehensive selection process shall occur in the spring semester of

each year with the objective of filling vacated positions within the organization. The selection process will consist of an initial application designed by current consultants and approved by the organization's advisor. Selected applicants may be asked to complete a personal interview conducted by current members, prior to final selection.

Substantial efforts will be made to advertise available positions.

Article III Officers

Section I: Officers shall be elected at the organization retreat in the spring of each

year, by the nomination and vote of all present members. Offices shall

include one president, vice-president, treasurer and secretary.

Section II: All officers shall serve a term of one year. Any vacant positions shall be

filled by the consensus of organization members.

Section III: The duties of the officers shall be limited to those administrative in nature.

Specific definition of the duties of officers is determined at the time of election each spring through the consensus of organization members.

Article IV Dues

Section I: Servant and Leadership Consultants shall pay no regular dues to the organization. Participation in certain activities may require minimal

expenditures on the part of the member. Members will be expected to participate in fundraising endeavors and possible grant writing to provide

an operating budget for the activities of the organization.

Article V Amending the Constitution and Bylaws

Section I: Amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws of the organization must be presented at a regular meeting of the organization. Constitutional amendments may only be proposed by an active member and require a

second for consideration. Proposed amendments may only be considered at the meeting immediately following their introduction. Constitutional

amendments are amendable and debatable, and require the approval of 2/3 of the standing membership.

Article VI Meetings

Section I: Service and Leadership Consultants are expected to attend a training and

orientation retreat in the spring semester of each year. The retreat will be held on a weekend to be determined by the organization's advisor with input from group members. Attendance is mandatory for newly elected

consultants.

Section II: Organization members shall establish a regular time and date for meetings during the retreat. The officer team may change the frequency and time of

meetings over the course of the year to meet the needs of the organization.

Any member may propose an item for inclusion on the meeting agenda, but items must be submitted to the secretary at least two days prior to the

meeting in question.

Article VII Committees

Section I: Standing committees shall be comprised to aid in the duties of the

organization at the discretion of its members. Committee chairs shall be named by group consensus with members selected at the discretion of the chair. The duties and authorities of a committee shall be determined at

the time of formation.

Article VIII Advisor

Section I: The organization advisor will be appointed from the staff of the North Carolina State University Office of Student Leadership, Ethics and Public

Service.

Article I Name & Purpose

Section I This organization shall be known as the Service and Leadership Consultants.

Section II The purpose of the Service & Leadership Consultants are to serve as role models with a focus on strengthening university organizations, promoting personal development and providing support for active service engagement.

Article II Membership

Section I Membership shall be open to all students regularly enrolled in North Carolina State University.

Section II Means of membership selection. Consultants shall be selected through the means of a competitive application process possibly including an interview segment in the spring of each year.

Section III Term of Membership. Individuals selected as Service and Leadership Consultants shall remain members of the organization until said individual graduates or declines further membership.

Article III Officers

Section I The elective officers of this club shall be the Consultant Chair and four Program Co-Chairs.

Section II Officers shall be selected through a nomination process in the spring of each year and serve a term of one year.

Article IV Amending the Constitution and By-laws

Section I Amendments to the constitution or by-laws shall be presented by a member of the consultants at an official meeting of the organization. Amendments require a vote of 2/3 majority and the approval of the director of the NCSU Student Leadership Ethics and Public Service.

Article V Meetings

Section I

Consultant meetings shall be called on a consistent basis at a time most convenient for the majority of members. The officers, working in conjunction with the CSLEPS staff, will organize meetings and present a detailed agenda for business. Meeting attendance is mandatory.

Article VI Duties

Section I

Consultant duties include the presentation of workshops in the Leadership Development Series, assistance with the organization and implementation of university community outreach activities and the design of creative and effective programs for the betterment of university organizations.