

Constitution

ARTICLE I. NAME

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be the University Bible Fellowship.

ARTICLE II. PURPOSE

Section 1. The purpose of this organization shall be:

1. to encourage Bible study and fellowship in the word of God among NCSU students.
2. to encourage prayer for NCSU students and for the fulfillment of the world mission command of Jesus Christ.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

Section 1. Membership in this organization shall be open to all NCSU students.

Section 2. There shall be no dues.

ARTICLE IV. OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of the organization shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer.

Section 2. Duties and Powers:

- a. The duties of the President shall be to preside at all meetings, call special meetings, and appoint committees.
- b. The duties of the Vice-President shall be to perform all duties of the President in his/her absence.
- c. The duties of the Secretary shall be to keep an accurate, permanent record of the organization, to take charge of all correspondence, to notify The Technician and publicity officers of meetings and activities, and to make necessary reports.
- d. The duties of the Treasurer shall be to keep accurate and complete records of all monetary transactions, to collect money when necessary, and to disburse fund money in accordance with the regulations of the University.

- Section 3. Election of officers:
- a. The officers shall be elected at a regular meeting of the organization one month before the end of the academic year.
 - b. Officers must take an oath of office in which they state that they believe the Bible is the Word of God and in which they pledge to obey it personally and to encourage all organization members to do the same.
 - c. Candidates will be nominated from the floor.
 - d. Voting shall be by ballot.
 - e. A majority of 2/3 of all votes cast shall be necessary for election.
 - f. Notify Department of Student Development of officer changes.
 - g. In case of a vacancy in any office, the Executive Committee will nominate three candidates, one of whom will be chosen by a majority vote in a general election.

ARTICLE V. MEETINGS

- Section 1. The University Bible Fellowship at NCSU will meet weekly on the day of the week most convenient for members to be decided by majority vote.

ARTICLE VI. QUORUM

- Section 1. 2/3 of the voting members of this organization shall constitute a quorum to transact business.

ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS

- Section 1. Proposed amendments shall be submitted in writing and read at a regular meeting and shall be acted upon at the following meeting.
- Section 2. This Constitution may be amended by a majority vote of 3/4 of those eligible to vote.

ARTICLE VIII. RATIFICATION

- Section 1. A 2/3 majority of those present at the first meeting of the newly formed organization will

be necessary to ratify this constitution.

ARTICLE IX. NONDISCRIMINATION STATEMENT

Section 1. This organization will admit students without regard to their race, creed, sex, handicap, or national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and other activities generally accorded to members of this organization.

By-laws

1. An Executive Committee will consist of the President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. The Executive Committee will plan group activities. The Executive Committee will have the authority to appoint voting members and also to rescind the privilege of any voting member on unanimous agreement of the committee. The Executive Committee will have the authority to expel any member, but only by unanimous agreement of the Executive Committee. Decisions of the Executive Committee along with sufficient explanations will be made known to all members by the Secretary, either in written form or orally, during regular organization meetings.
2. Honorary members, primarily visiting members of University Bible Fellowship International, may be admitted to the organization. They must be nominated from the floor, receive the recommendation of the Executive Committee, and approval of voting members with a simple majority vote. The duration of their membership will be determined by decision of the Executive Committee.
3. There will be two kinds of members of this organization: voting members and non-voting members. Voting members must declare before the organization at a regular meeting that they believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God and that they want to live by it and teach others to do the same. In addition they must attend at least three consecutive meetings before they can be considered.
4. "Robert's Rules of Order" will be followed during meetings.
5. By-laws can be amended. Amendments must be drafted by the Executive Committee and accepted by the voting members of the organization with a 2/3 majority vote.