

SECTION 800.23

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

1. All organizations on campus must have an advisor from the College staff.
2. All organizations on campus must have the approval of the Student Senate and the appropriate administrator before campus facilities can be used for meeting purposes.
3. If an organization is sending a faculty member on a trip, it is expected to pay regular reimbursement rates for expenses as would be paid on an official trip.
4. Faculty members should not be expected to subsidize organizations by providing free transportation, etc.
5. The advisor to the group should direct it to request funds from the Student Senate in a sufficient amount to cover costs or should conduct fund-raising projects to raise needed funds. Fund-raising projects require approval of the President.
6. Student organizations may not be denied funding, or have their funding limited, based on the organization's political viewpoints, membership, or based on a requirement in the organization's constitution or bylaws that leaders or voting members of the organization shall (1) adhere to the organization's viewpoints or sincerely held beliefs; or (2) be committed to furthering the organization's viewpoints or mission.
7. LRSC may not deny student organizations funding from the student activity fee based on the viewpoints of the student organization; however, LRSC may create content-neutral criteria which permit the distribution of limited funds to student organizations. Student activity fee funding may not be reduced based on outside funding received by a student organization.
8. LRSC may not treat a student organization differently (i.e., more favorably or more negatively) than other student organizations with respect to the provision of any right, benefit, or privilege based on a requirement in the organization's constitution or bylaws that leaders or voting members of the organization shall (1) adhere to the organization's viewpoints or sincerely held beliefs; or (2) be committed to furthering the organization's viewpoint or mission.

History

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