



Educating for Tomorrow's Media

DRAFT: BEA STUDENT MEDIA CLUB CONSTITUTION

*CONSTITUTION OF _____ STUDENT MEDIA CLUB OF
THE BROADCAST EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (BEA)*

PREAMBLE

- Strive to provide students with real-world applications and opportunities, and to connect with the industry.
- Uniting students, faculty and industry professionals.
- Foster and share passion and knowledge for media.

ARTICLE I: Name

The name of this organization shall be the _____ Student Club of the Broadcast Education Association

ARTICLE II: Membership

1. Membership is open to all students interested in media.
Membership shall not be denied for reasons of age, race, color, creed, sex, national origin, or disability.
2. Membership shall consist of a minimum of five (5) undergrad and/or grad students.
3. The Club advisor shall be a faculty or staff member of the institution and involved in the teaching of media/communication and shall be a member of BEA.
4. The Club membership cycle is one full year: August 1 – July 31

ARTICLE III: Executive Board

1. The Officers of the Club shall form the Executive Board.
2. The Executive Board shall include at least a President, Vice President, and Secretary. In addition, other positions can include, but are not limited to: Public Relations, Historian and Event Coordinator(s).
3. An Officer can fill more than one position if necessary.
4. The Officers of the Club shall be elected in the manner prescribed by the Club.

ARTICLE IV: Meetings

1. Club meetings should be held weekly or bi-weekly.
2. Club must be meet two (2) times per month.
3. One meeting per year shall be the election of officers meeting.

ARTICLE V: Campus Involvement

1. Club shall hold a minimum of two (2) events per marking period (semester/trimester).
2. Club should actively seek to benefit media/communication majors.
3. Club should actively contribute to student body.
4. Outreach with community partners and state broadcast associations.
5. Participate in BEA district/regional conferences or the annual convention

Examples include, but are not limited to: filming/promoting PSAs, hosting workshops, inviting speakers to campus, spread awareness, partnering with local media outlets and state associations or organizations.

ARTICLE VI: Policy Compliance

The Club shall be subject to and will comply with all policies of _____.

ARTICLE VI Constitutional Amendments

Amendments to this Constitution may be adopted by approval of a majority of members and enter into effect once approved by the BEA.

Signature of Academic Advisor _____ Date _____

Signature of Student Media Club President _____ Date _____

BEA Board Approval:

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