

## Registered Student Organization (RSO) Recognition Process

The following are procedural steps which must be followed in order to achieve student organization registration:

- 1. Notify the Office of Student Engagement that you are interested in starting a new recognized student organization.
- 2. Before you move forward with any additional steps, you need to obtain names and email addresses of at least seven (7) members who are interested in joining the organization --- you may hold informal meetings to discover potential members and to discuss the purpose of the organization. Student Activities & Organizations will allow two different recruitment events to discover potential.
- 3. Create a constitution (see sample <u>Guide for Writing a Constitution</u>) that pertains to the intended organization. Once you have completed the constitution, please email it to the SGA President Pro-Tempore at

- sga.ppt@gcsu.edu. The Senate Rules & Oversight committee will review the constitution for the necessary items.
- AFTER you received the signed and approved constitution back, you will complete the Registration form on GC Connect.
- 5. Obtain an on-campus advisor and have them complete the advisor agreement form found here.
- 6. At least officer of the organization must attend the required RSO Leader training offered once a year.

Once all of these steps are completed, the organization will be approved and become an official RSO. Each organization is required to complete a renewal every year.

Please contact <a href="mailto:studentengagement@gcsu.edu">studentengagement@gcsu.edu</a> if you have any questions