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# SPURS UPdates

Student Org Newsletter

 **Leadership and  
Service Center**  
University of South Carolina

## OCTOBER 2021

Hello, student organization leaders!

Below is the Student Organization Newsletter for the month of October 2021. Please reach out to us at [atpsc@sc.edu](mailto:atpsc@sc.edu) or 803-777-7130 if you have any questions or if there is anything that you need.

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# UNIVERSITY UPDATES

## Caring for Ourselves, Protecting Our Community

What should you do if you or a member of your student organization experiences symptoms of COVID-19? The university has a plan in place to care for students who test positive for COVID-19 and for students who have been exposed. There are [necessary procedures](#) that every university community member must adhere to in order to get the care they need and to protect the campus community.

If you have additional questions or concerns that have not been addressed on this site, contact the Coronavirus Phone Bank at (803) 576-8511 or submit an inquiry through the [online form](#).

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# STUDENT ORG RESOURCES

## Garnet Gate Roster Update

Verified records of student organization memberships are collected in each student's My UofSC Experience, a university platform which records the many experiences, both for credit and not for credit, that students engage in while at UofSC.

In order for your organization members to have their involvement included in My UofSC Experience, it is your responsibility to verify your roster is up to date for Fall 2021 and that it reflects your active membership. The accuracy and integrity of these student records is essential. Only records of membership that have been verified will be collected in My UofSC Experience. Please ensure your organization rosters are updated with current membership and verified by October 15th.

Click [here](#) for a video on how to complete this process through the manage portal in Garnet Gate

## Fall Renewal

If you missed the renewal process, your organization will need to re-register in order to be recognized as an organization on campus. Please visit this [link](#) to fill out the New Student Organization Intent Form to begin the process of registration.

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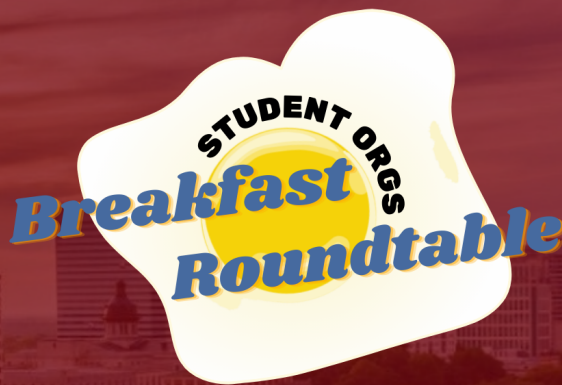
# FINANCIAL RESOURCES

## Student Org Funding Requests

Student organizations may [request funding](#) for programming, conferences, competitions, and tournaments using the Garnet Gate budget request form. Organizations are encouraged to work with their [Comptrollers](#) as a resource throughout the allocation process. We know you have great ideas for programs this year – let's make those a reality!

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# STUDENT ORG EDUCATION



Breakfast & Mingle | 8:30A - 9:00A  
Workshop & Information | 9:00A - 10:00A

Join your fellow student org leaders for an opportunity to mingle, collaborate, and learn about how to expand your leadership skills within your organizational role!

 **Leadership and Service Center**

## *Up Next:*

**Thursday, October 21st**

*Event Planning*

Ready to start planning some events? Learn more about event planning and the steps to ensure your organization has everything in order to hold an amazing event! We'll discuss the process of reserving rooms, requesting funds, and general event planning tips and tricks!

CAPSTONE CAMPUS ROOM

**Thursday, November 18th**

*B&B: Balance & Burnout*

It's the end of the semester, finals are coming, projects are wrapping up, and you're still working hard for your organization! Come learn how to combat burnout and balance your time between your academics and co-curriculars!

CAPSTONE CAMPUS ROOM

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# LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

**CAMP COCKY LEADERSHIP RETREAT**  
2021

CLIMBING WALL,  
LOW & HIGH ROPES COURSE,  
HEATED ROOMS & MORE!

**NOVEMBER 13-14, 2021**

**CAMP COCKY IS A FREE OVER-NIGHT, ACTION-PACKED WEEKEND, PROVIDING YOU WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP YOUR LEADERSHIP SKILLS WHILE LEARNING HOW TO LEAD WITH OTHERS, PARTICIPATE IN EXCITING AND CHALLENGING ACTIVITIES, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY, HAVE FUN!**

**REGISTRATION OPENS OCTOBER 11!  
SCAN TO REGISTER:**

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University of South Carolina

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT [WWW.SC.EDU/LEADERSHIPANDSERVICE](http://WWW.SC.EDU/LEADERSHIPANDSERVICE)

## Student Leadership and Diversity Conference Educational Session Applications

Educational Session Applications for the 2022 Student Leadership and Diversity Conference (SLDC), themed "Generation: YOU" are now open! SLDC is a regional conference that trains and educates student leaders on topics spanning leadership and diversity. Students participate in sessions on topics including developing a leadership identity, exploring social justice and inclusion, creating initiatives and methods to foster sustainable positive change, and maximizing your student leadership experience.

"Generation: YOU" focuses on the power of individuals to create positive social change in communities and learn how to be inclusive within your leadership style to bring together diverse, multi-generational, thoughts and perspectives.

Staff, faculty, students, graduate assistants, and community members are encouraged to apply to present for the conference which will occur in February. Applications open on October 4 and close on November 5. If you have questions or concerns, please reach out to Kayla Young ([kaylay@email.sc.edu](mailto:kaylay@email.sc.edu)) or Kimberly Seibles ([seiblesk@email.sc.edu](mailto:seiblesk@email.sc.edu)). The application can be found at this [link](#).

# SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES



## Service Saturday

Service Saturday is a monthly service day where volunteers can choose from a range of service sites. Take this opportunity to engage with the Columbia community! Interested in serving? Register at this [link](#).

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# New and Reactivated ORG SHOUTOUT

**The Pre-Occupational Therapy Club**  
**The Charcuties Club**  
**Carolina Cricket Club**  
**Scuba Club**  
**Statistics Club**  
**Geology Club**  
**Gamecock Wrestling Club**  
**Gamecock Photo Club**  
**Style Club**  
**Veterans in Law Society**  
**BioMed Engineering Society**  
**Bates House Book Club**



JAMIE AYRES



CHERITH MOORE



KAYLA YOUNG



JOSHUA CAUBLE

# MEET YOUR STAFF

## LEADERSHIP AND STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

*Feel free to stop by the Leadership and Service Center, which is located in the Russell House across from the Einstein Bros Bagels, at any time for any assistance and needs for your student organization or even yourself! Additionally, please feel free to come in and use the space to study or host organization meetings. Don't hesitate to reach out to us if you have any further questions or concerns!*

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