

POLICIES FOR STUDENT CULTURAL AFFAIRS

A. Scheduling and Calendar

1. The Student Life Committee may make evaluations of building-use policies and assignments for student organizations in order to provide an equitable use of College facilities. It shall act as an appeals board on questions involving such assignments of these facilities.
2. Campus Events shall maintain a college event calendar following appropriate College guidelines. This calendar shall list events sponsored by student organizations as well as other all-college events, whether sponsored by student or faculty groups. All organizations planning all-campus or public programs shall consult the calendar when planning schedules. Student Senate and the Student Development Office shall receive periodic updates of the campus calendar for review or public posting. In addition, the Student Development Office shall use the calendar as a resource when it reviews scheduling policies and evaluates building use.

B. Review and Appeal

1. The Student Life Committee may consider or review, with the right of approving or denying any event planned or sponsored by student organizations. Such review shall be conducted only when requested by a member or Advisor of the sponsoring organization, by a member of the Student Life Committee, or by an administrator with responsibility in this area.
2. Public or all-campus events sponsored by chartered student organizations or student groups sponsored by academic departments shall require the prior approval of the Dean of Student Development. Approval is granted by securing the Dean's signature on the Event and Activity Form available in Campus Events. The Dean of Student Development may consult the Student Life Committee before granting such approval, but need not do so. Organizations have the right to appeal an adverse ruling of the Dean of Student Development to the Student Life Committee.

C. Channels of Communication

Chartered student organizations shall normally deal with the Student Senate, the office the Dean of Student Development, and the Student Life Committee. However, any student organization wishing to appeal a decision of the Student Life Committee, or wishing to present a charter revision or change in policy which the Student Life Committee has refused to approve, may, with Student Senate endorsement, present its case directly to the Faculty Senate. In such cases the student organization shall communicate with the chairperson or secretary of the Faculty Senate, who shall place the item upon the agenda of the next faculty meeting.