

**APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RECOGNITION**  
**AS A STUDENT ORGANIZATION**  
University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

Name of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

General Purpose Statement: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of Student Filing Application: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Organizations seeking permanent recognition must first apply for temporary recognition, which will be granted for a period of 30 days beginning with the date of application. Temporary recognition allows the organization to reserve space on campus and post signs (with the approval of the University Center Information Center or the Student Involvement and Employment Office). All other privileges accorded student groups are reserved for permanently recognized student organizations. During the temporary period, the organization is expected to prepare materials required by the university.

If materials are not submitted to the Student Involvement and Employment Office by the deadline date, the group will lose temporary recognition and may not reapply until the following semester.

Acting on behalf of and as an initial member of the above named organization, I certify that I have read the following statements and that our organization will remain in compliance with them.

1. The purposes and activities of both local and affiliated student organizations must be lawful, and the purposes and activities of a local student organization must not conflict with university regulations.
2. The membership of both local and affiliated organizations must be open, without regard to age, race, creed or religion, color, handicap, sex, national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation, or political affiliation. (Fraternal, residential and honorary groups may define membership accordingly.)
3. The participating membership of a recognized student organization must include at least five (5) student members. Only students in good academic standing (cum. GPA of 2.0 or above) may hold officer positions.
4. Non-student members cannot hold office, handle finances, ride in university vehicles, or act as agents of the state in any way for the student organization. In addition, they need to carry their own insurance in instances where activities might be involved.
5. Temporarily recognized student organizations shall not allow instances of reckless conduct during activities sponsored by the organization. Reckless conduct is defined as an act which
  - creates a situation of unreasonable risk;
  - carries a high probability of causing death or great bodily harm to another;
  - demonstrates a conscious disregard for the safety of another and a willingness to take risks recognized as having a high probability of perpetrating an injury; and
  - is otherwise considered as reckless conduct by the university and/or the Policy and Advisory Committee for Student Organizations (PACSO).

I understand that if, at any time, our organization does not comply with these established criteria, our recognition status may be reviewed by the Student Involvement and Employment Office and/or the Policy and Advisory Committee for Student Organizations (PACSO) for possible suspension or revocation of recognition.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(Student Filing Application)

Co-Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(Student Involvement and Employment Office)

**FOR OFFICE USE**

Temporary Recognition Begins: \_\_\_\_\_

Temporary Recognition Ends: \_\_\_\_\_