

RULE NINE: SENATE LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

9.01 Purpose of the Senate Leadership Council (SLC)

The Senate Leadership Council (SLC) shall be created:

1. To provide an opportunity for the students of the University of Central Florida to become involved with the Student Government Association.
2. To develop student leaders to become future Student Senators.
3. To provide an opportunity for students to interact with the Student Senate, and inform them of the daily duties of a Student Senator.

9.02 Senate Leadership Council Chair

- A. The Legislative Assistant, appointed by the Speaker of the Senate as outlined per Title III, shall serve as the Senate Leadership Council Chair and shall be responsible for the Senate Leadership Council Program.
- B. The Senate Leadership Council Chair shall:
 1. Be responsible for preparing and executing all programs and presentations dealing with the Senate Leadership Council Program.
 2. Be responsible for submitting to the Student Senate a detailed program layout by the sixth (6th) meeting of each Senate session.
 3. Be responsible for preparing and producing applications for the ensuing year's Senate Leadership Council.
 4. Be responsible for holding a "Senate Leadership Council Meet & Greet" prior to the conclusion of the Fall Semester.
 5. Be responsible for establishing a "Mentor-Mentee" distribution between members of Senate and members of the Senate Leadership Council.
 6. Be responsible for presenting a final report to Senate, including but not limited to the successes and failures of the program that year, the current number of SLC members who at that time have become senators, and any recommendations to change Senate Rule 9 and/or improve the program itself, at the last senate meeting of the Spring Semester.

9.03 Application Process

- A. Applications for the Senate Leadership Council must be available by the first (1st) freshman orientation via paper copy located in the Student Government Association office and via the SGA website.
- B. The deadline for applications will be no later than the third (3rd) Friday at 5:00pm, after the start of the new Senate session.

9.04 Membership Selection

- A. The interview process shall begin immediately following the conclusion of the application process.
- B. By the second (2nd) meeting of the Senate session, there shall be an ad-hoc committee named the Senate Leadership Council Committee, created upon the confirmation of the Legislative Assistant.
 1. The Committee shall consist of nine (9) Senators elected by a majority vote of the

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Student Senate, a President Pro Tempore representative, and the Legislative Assistant.

2. The Senate Leadership Council Ad-Hoc Committee shall set its own standards and procedures for the membership selection process.
 3. The members of the Senate Leadership Council Committee shall be responsible for interviewing the applicants of the Senate Leadership Council.
 4. The members of the Senate Leadership Council Committee shall be responsible for selecting the members of the Senate Leadership Council.
- C. The interview and selection process must be completed no later than the fifth (5th) meeting of the Senate session.

9.05 Senate Leadership Council Membership and Program Requirements

- A. Senate Leadership Council Members must meet the eligibility requirements as established in Title X: The Installation and Eligibility Requirement.
- B. All Senate Leadership Council members must be financially trained by the third (3rd) week of the Spring Semester, or they lose membership to the Senate Leadership Council.
- C. Members of the Senate Leadership Council must be responsible for creating and implementing a service project.
- D. The Senate Leadership Council Program shall include presentations and workshops on the following:
 1. Senate Rules
 2. Student Body Constitution and Statutes
 3. Senate Committees
 4. Robert's Rules of Order
 5. Bill/Resolution Writing
 6. At least three (3) mock Senate sessions
- E. The membership of the Senate Leadership Council shall be open to all University of Central Florida students.

9.06 Senate Leadership Council Sessions

The Senate Leadership Council Session shall begin on the first (1st) meeting of the Senate Leadership Council during the Fall Semester and shall end the last Senate meeting of the Spring semester.

HISTORY:

Res 42-19 (04/08/10) Res 43-35 (9/1/11)