

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

# NSO PROCESS


PITCH MEETINGS/PRESENTATION PREPARATION





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This presentation contains what should be included on each slide according to the five categories on our NSO Rubric. Please address the following questions in your presentation. Please answer all the questions as they address common reasons for denial or deferral within the New Student Organization (NSO) process.



# INTRODUCTION & UNIQUENESS OF MISSION

What is the purpose of your proposed student organization?

What makes your proposed student organization different from existing ones?

- Ex: We are the only organization to offer scuba diving techniques

If there are current student organizations with a similar mission, how are you different from them?

- Ex: There might be another scuba diving organization on campus, but we focus on a specific element of the process.

**\*\*Please be aware that having a similar mission to an existing organization may impact your chance of becoming an NSO. Consider joining forces with these organizations to address the issue together, or highlight your unique approach in your presentation.**



# SUSTAINABILITY

What is the current graduation year of the majority of your Executive Board? Per NSO Process requirements, there must be at least two non-graduating seniors on the Executive Board at the presentation.

How will future organization leaders complete all NSO/RSO requirements for years to come?

Have you consulted with faculty, staff, or umbrella organizations at SU regarding your proposed student organization? What was their feedback? Did they suggest joining an existing organization or creating a new one?

**\*\*Please note that if you have not spoken with the program director, staff member within the department, or umbrella student organization, this may hinder your chances of becoming an NSO.**



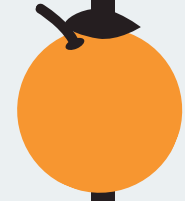
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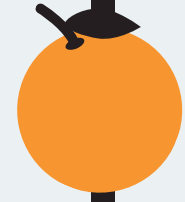
How will your proposed new student organization impact the community?



What contributions will your members make and how will they continue to contribute to the SU community?



Will this proposed student organization develop a new community on campus?



What makes members want to join your proposed student organization?

**\*\*Please note that a negative impact on the community or insufficient interest in your mission may affect your NSO application.**

# ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

What does your Executive Board look like? Per the NSO requirements, do you have at least four Executive Boards members?

What is the process of selecting an Executive Board? Will you hold elections? Will you appoint new Executive Board members? How will this process be conducted in future years?

**\*\*Please note that if there is no Executive Board structure (President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer), your chances of becoming an NSO may be hindered**



# ACTION PLAN

What are your short-term and long-term goals for this proposed new student organization?

What events or projects are you planning to engage with? Have you reached out to campus partners, other student organizations, or other organization that may be able to help you?

What are some challenges that may arise (ex: fundraising, recruitment, Executive Board management)? How will they be addressed?

**\*\*Please be aware that if you do not have short-term and long-term goals developed in collaboration with campus partners or other student organizations, your chances of becoming an NSO may be hindered.**