

Lehigh University Student Senate XXIX



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LU Bhangra

Lehigh University Bhangra is made up of 13 members, 9 of which are first-years. They introduce Punjabi culture to the Lehigh Community via high energy traditional folk dance. They have had successful fundraising events such as a fundraiser at The Goose, and boast an impressive second-place finish at Spec Spec, which also raised \$300 for the organization. They are looking forward to fundraising more heavily in the coming semester and performing at colleges throughout the nation. They seek preliminary recognition to promote the club and for access to funds necessary for traditional attire worn during performances.

It is the recommendation of the Club Affairs Committee that Student Senate XXIX accept LU Bhangra for preliminary recognition.

PASSED

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IEEE Power and Energy Society

The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Power and Energy Society is a club composed of 50 to 60 members. A majority of their members are graduate students as they are also by the Graduate Student Senate. They have two executive boards within the club, one for undergrad students and another for grad students. The Society has had several professional networking events and talks hosted by executives of energy companies. They also have research opportunities for students in both engineering disciplines and in economics. Thus far they have held events catered primarily towards graduate students, as they have only been able to allocate their funds towards those events. They seek preliminary recognition with the hopes that they will be able to gain additional undergraduate membership as well as access funds that can be allocated towards events that include undergraduate students.

It is the recommendation of the Club Affairs Committee that Student Senate XXIX accept IEEE Power and Energy Society for preliminary recognition.

PASSED

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We Are One

The We Are One club aims to get people from different backgrounds to come together to get to know each other and meet people with different life experiences. Their main goal is to learn about people one wouldn't normally meet and to hopefully in the future hold an event in Lamberton to learn more about people. They currently have 37 people interested in this club. In addition, they hope to utilize the Africana department, have breakout groups and bring in speakers that do not fit the Lehigh mold. They are seeking Student Senate recognition for legitimacy since if it remains a social group people will not take it seriously and there will be no vested interest.

It is the recommendation of the Club Affairs Committee that Student Senate XXIX to deny We Are One for preliminary recognition.

PASSED

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Lehigh University Art History and Society Club

The Art History and Society Club aims to bridge the gap between the colleges and discuss art in different disciplines. They currently have five interested members, four of which are first years. During their meetings they hope to start with a short lecture on a specific topic concerning artistic movements and/or covering cultural relevance and possible societal impact. Following the lecture, they hope to hold group discussions led by a presentation leader and then end with an interactive element such as art projects, food, or games. An example meeting would involve examining how a country's flag is created to represent the identity of those people and then the corresponding interactive element would be members designing their own individual flags. They plan to hold

different events such as faculty lectures, joint meetings with Lehigh debate society, fieldtrips, and make and takes. They are seeking Student Senate recognition for legitimacy as well as funding so that they can hold the events they want to host. Being recognized by Student Senate would also provide a means of reaching people across all the university's colleges.

It is the recommendation of the Club Affairs Committee that Student Senate XXIX accept the Lehigh University Art History and Society Club for preliminary recognition.

PASSED

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Inactive Clubs

These clubs have not reregistered for the upcoming year, hosted events this past year, responded to their Club Affairs liaison, and have and no recent fiscal activity.

These clubs are:

1. Happy and Healthy Living Club
2. Bowling Club
3. Microfinance Club
4. Aspiring Lawyers
5. Alpha Pi Mu
6. Gender Equality for Leadership Club
7. American Institute of Architecture Students
8. International Society Pharmaceutical Engineers

It is the recommendation of the Club Affairs Committee that Student Senate XXIX to dissolve these inactive clubs.

PASSED