
SENATOR APPLICATION

2018-2019 SENATE SESSION

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

NAME: _____ EMAIL: _____@LIVE.MISSOURISTATE.EDU

CLASS: _____ M#: _____

MAJOR(S): _____ MINOR(S): _____

UNIVERSITY INVOLVEMENT:

ORGANIZATION:

POSITION HELD:

SENATOR INFORMATION:

PLEASE INDICATE THE APPROPRIATE REPRESENTATION:

AT-LARGE CLASS REPRESENTATIVE (REQUIRES 50 SIGNATURES FROM THE CLASS YOU REPRESENT)

AT-LARGE STUDENT BODY REPRESENTATIVE (REQUIRES 50 SIGNATURES FROM ANY STUDENTS)

STUDENT ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVE: _____

(MAY ONLY HAVE 2 REPRESENTATIVES PER ORGANIZATION)

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR TOP THREE COMMITTEE PREFERENCES, 1 BEING THE HIGHEST, 3 THE LOWEST.

(REFER TO COMMITTEE SHEET FOR INFORMATION ABOUT EACH)

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

ADMINISTRATION SERVICES

UNIVERSITY ADVANCEMENT

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

INFORMATION SERVICES

INTERNAL AFFAIRS

SUSTAINABILITY

STUDENT AFFAIRS

SENATOR REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS:

(FROM ARTICLE I, SECTION 3 OF THE SGA BYLAWS)

-SENATORS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND ALL SENATE AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

-SENATORS ARE REQUIRED TO SERVE ON A STANDING COMMITTEE AND SERVE ONE OFFICE HOUR A WEEK AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE DIRECTOR

-SENATORS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND A PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE TRAINING SESSION WITHIN FOUR WEEKS OF BEING SWORN IN.

-MORE THAN 3 UNEXCUSED SENATE ABSENCES MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL FROM THE OFFICE OF SENATOR.

-MUST MAINTAIN A GPA ABOVE A 2.0

MEETINGS ARE HELD EVERY **TUESDAY** AT
5:30 P.M. IN PSU 313.



PLEASE RETURN APPLICATIONS TO
THE **SECRETARY OF SENATE**
MAILBOX IN PSU 123

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SGA COMMITTEES

Academic Affairs Committee

Meeting Time: After Senate, 6:30-7pm in PSU 314C

The Academic Affairs Committee will address issues concerning the teaching, research, and service functions of Missouri State University by providing educational and service programs—undergraduate, graduate, outreach, credit and non-credit—to meet the needs and interests of our students and citizens.

Projects- free textbook exchange program, create more learning opportunities for financial aid, increase number of printers on campus, and explore the idea of meeting with professors during college visits

Administrative Services Committee

Meeting Time: Before Senate, 4:45-5:15pm in PSU 314B

The Administrative Services Committee will address issues that deal with constructing and maintaining a safe, secure, well-maintained, competently-staffed, efficient, functional environment conducive to, and for the purpose of, developing educated persons.

Projects- increase security measures throughout campus, increase administrative public forums, and help instill outdoor hammock park

Information Services Committee

Meeting Time: Before Senate, 4:45-5:15pm in PSU 314A

The Information Services Committee will address issues that deal with constructing and maintaining a safe, secure, well-maintained, competently-staffed, efficient, functional environment conducive to, and for the purpose of, developing educated persons.

Projects-, updating the MSU mobile app, help make technology more accessible for international students, and improve tabs on my Missouri state

Public Affairs Committee

Meeting Time: After Senate, 6:30-7pm in Karls Hall room 232

The Public Affairs Committee will address issues promoting the general welfare of students at the university, community, state, and federal levels as well as promote all political affairs related to the welfare of higher education

Projects- Public Affairs on campus and in the community, help form major specific conferences, and voting

Diversity and Inclusion Committee

Meeting Time: After Senate, 6:30-7pm in Karls Hall room 103

The Diversity and Inclusion Committee will work to promote equity and diversity within the university community as well as the local community. The committee will be charged with advancing the understanding of equity and diversity and researching the needs and concerns of students.

Projects— increase multicultural resources, create monthly forums, and increase MRC programs and awareness for them

Internal Affairs Committee

The Internal Affairs committee will address issues concerning the internal functioning of the Senate, including executive appointments, removal of senators, and new organization petitions and constitutions.

Projects—Student Organization Constitutions, SGA Constitution and Bylaw revisions

Research and Development Committee

Meeting Time: After Senate, 6:30-7pm in Cheek Hall room 212

The Research and Development Committee will focus on the advancement, implementation, and maintenance of university-wide technology.

Projects- helping aid other Directors with project research, student opinion research, and utilize surveys thoroughly

Student Affairs Committee

Meeting Time: After Senate, 6:30-7pm in Sicheluff Hall room 222

The Student Affairs Engagement Committee will focus on the advancement and welfare of the student body especially regarding student services, engagement, and retention.

Projects- Residence Life, student needs, increase mental health awareness and resources, and introduce more food options on campus (vegetarian, gluten free, organic, etc.)

Sustainability Committee

Meeting Time: After Senate, 6:30-7pm in Karls Hall room 104

The Sustainability Committee will address the promotion and advancement of sustainable practices and behaviors on the Missouri State campus. This will include researching proposals to submit to the Sustainability Commission as well as proposing university policies that uphold the commitment to sustainability.

Projects- expansion of trees and plants on campus and in the community, construction of birdhouses, instill motion sensors on campus, and create more solar technology on campus

University Advancement Committee

Meeting Time: Before Senate, 4:45-5:15pm in PSU 312A

The University Advancement Committee will work to promote the university throughout the community, state, and national levels as well as research any means of improving Missouri State athletics, student pride, and other aspects of our university.

Projects—Bear wear Fridays, student pride, campus traditions, athletics, food truck Friday, and shading for the student section

