

The following is an excerpt from the [SGA Constitution](#) as of May 9th, 2011. It was copied from Article VIII (Bylaws), Section 14 (Recognized Organizations), item C (Criteria for Recognition).

C. Criteria for Recognition

1. The organization desiring recognition shall submit for approval, a constitution and by-laws of said organization.
2. The organization shall have a faculty advisor.
3. The organization must be approved by the Student Affairs Committee of Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology.
4. Organizations seeking recognition by the Student Government Association shall proceed as follows:
 - a. Once being approved by the Student Affairs Committee the organization must wait one full academic quarter before it can come before Student Senate to gain probationary status.
 - b. An organization may then be recognized as a probationary status club by a majority vote of the Student Senate.
 - c. An organization on probationary status may ask for full recognition after a two quarter probationary status period.
 - d. While on probationary status the organization must find a senator willing to be their club “sponsor”.
 - e. For a student organization on probationary status to gain full recognition of the Student Government Association, it must receive a two-thirds vote of the Student Senate.
 - f. A student organization shall be required to submit a budget for the two quarter probationary period.
 - g. To be eligible for full recognition of the Student Government Association, a club must request such full recognition no more than two quarters after its two quarter probationary period has passed.
 - h. Any student organization seeking probationary club status may only be voted on for probationary club status by the senate two times within one academic year. Said organization is also limited to two senate votes regarding the awarding of full club status within one academic year.