

### Criteria for New School of Business Student Organizations

Note: From here on student organizations who would like to be considered for addition to the collection of School of Business Student Organizations will be referred to as “petitioning groups.” The process of adding them will be referred to as “acceptance”. Each acceptance and petitioning group will be handled on a case by case basis, with decisions resting on the organization’s provided circumstances.

- All petitioning groups must first have a definite/distinct purpose prior to consideration for acceptance.
- All petitioning groups must clearly differentiate themselves from other SOB student orgs. Distinction will be judged by the UBLC in order to limit competition between student organizations. If not, acceptance will be denied and a “trial run” with the similar existing SOB organization will be strongly encouraged.
- All petitioning groups must present a “plan” that will be reviewed by the UBLC prior to be considered for acceptance.  
This plan shall include but is not limited to:
  - mission statement
  - relation to the School of Business
  - agenda for the semester
  - membership requirements
  - annual budget
- No minimum number of members will be specifically defined. Acceptable membership for petitioning groups will be judged on a case by case basis with consideration given to their plan.
- All petitioning groups must be able to send representation to all UBLC meetings. Exceptions will be made by a case by case basis by the executive board of UBLC.
- All petitioning groups must have a faculty advisor (within the School of Business) prior to consideration for acceptance.
- All petitioning groups must be registered as a University of Wisconsin student organization prior to consideration for acceptance.
- The final decision will be based on a vote by UBLC with approval by the UBLC Advisory Committee.
- If a petitioning group is denied they must wait one year prior to petitioning again.