Starting a New Student Organization

Have a unique idea for a student organization and five founding members? Set yourself up for success by completing the new organization recognition process!

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1. Fill Out the New Organization Interest Form
   Find this form on the forms tab on GobblerConnect. Upon completion, you will be contacted about the next step!

2. Schedule a New Organization Interest Meeting
   Set up a 30 minutes meeting with a SECL staff member to discuss your organization, and review the rest of the process.

3. Attend a New Organization Orientation
   Bring your executive board (at least three people) to learn about policies and processes relevant to student organizations.

4. Create a New GobblerConnect Profile
   Submit a New Organization registration on GobblerConnect.

5. Set Goals for your Organization
   Complete a goal action plan and meet with an Engagement Ambassador to finalize two goals for the first year.

6. Review for Approval.
   As a Registered Student Organization, you can start reserving spaces and requesting funds from Student Budget Board.

7. Complete the Registration Process
   Attend a New Organization Mandatory Annual Registration Training (MART) in Spring 2019 and fill out the registration packet to maintain recognition.