

Prairie View A & M University
Student Government Association

General Application Packet



“Take the challenge ... join the Student Government Association!”



Prairie View A&M University Student Government Association Information Sheet

Read all the information contained in this packet carefully.

Must be Typed or Legibly hand written

Name _____ Student ID (Last 4 digits) _____

Campus Address (*Place and Building*) _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Classification _____ Major _____

Present Hours _____ Total Hours Completed _____ I have at least a 2.5 GPA? _____

SGA Position Desired (*One position*) _____

Which Branch of SGA is this position? Executive Legislative Judicial

PLEASE ATTACH A DETAILED RESUME.

Please Read Carefully Before Signing Below
Release of Personal Information

I hereby authorize with my signature below for Prairie View A&M University and the Director of Student Activities and Leadership or designee to review and verify all personal records (i.e. academic, financial, citizenry, etc.) relevant to requirements for membership into the Student Government Association.

Signature _____ Date _____

***** *Applications that do not meet the requirements set by Prairie View A&M University, the Department of Student Activities and Leadership, or the Student Government Association will be denied and you will be considered ineligible to join the Student Government Association.* *****

If your application was denied, you may file an appeal with the SGA Judicial Panel.

Fill out an appeals form in the SGA Office at r223 in the MSC 2nd floor, and leave it with the Chief Justice. You will be notified in 48 hours if the appeal was accepted or rejected.

Prelude

The Student Government Association (SGA) of Prairie View A&M University has been organized to mirror the organizational chart of the University's Administration. General requirements for holding office have been provided, as well as a brief description of the offices available.

Student Government Association

“Is the highest-ranking student organization at Prairie View A & M University and is officially chartered to speak on the behalf of the student body to the University Administration, as well as all internal and external organizations.” *SGA Constitution, Preamble*

“The governing structure of the Student Government Association shall consist of three branches: the Executive Branch, Legislative Branch, and Judicial Branch.” *SGA Constitution, Article 3.1*

Legislative Branch

A senator is a voting member of the Legislative branch of SGA. The Legislative branch handles all the appropriations of the money given by SGA. They also amend and make the laws governed by the SGA body.

*Governing Laws:
Constitution, Election Code, Senate By-Laws*

Executive Branch

Any member of E-Board is a part of the Executive branch of SGA. The Executive branch executes the laws passed by the Legislative branch. They also formulate policies to be addressed by the faculty and staff. The E-Board also oversees the Bureaucratic/Presidential Committees.

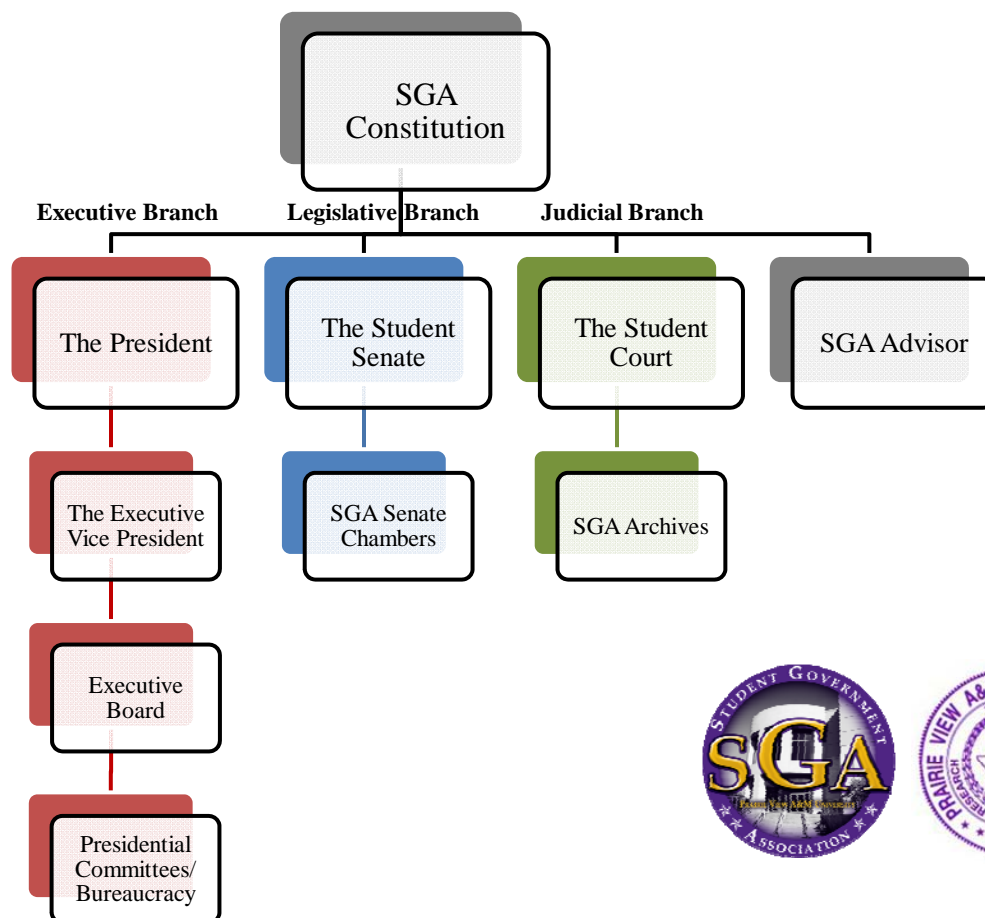
*Governing Laws:
Constitution, Election Code, E-Board Codes*

Judicial Branch

A justice is a voting member of the Judicial branch of SGA. The judicial branch handles disputes and interpretation of the SGA laws, and makes sure the other branches follows within the framework of the constitution and bylaws.

*Governing Laws:
Constitution, Election Code, Judicial By-Laws*

Student Government Association Organizational Chart



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Please refer to the SGA Constitution, By-Laws, and Codes for the respective position requirements, obligations, and guidelines.

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