

THE STUDENT ORGANIZATION INSIDER



The information in this edition promotes your organization's success... You don't know what you don't know and we want you to know. WCSA hopes that this publication will keep you informed of student organization operations/ opportunities. For more information on policies and procedures, visit the WCSA website at http://rochester.edu/college/wcsa/.

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Student Life Awards

Nominations for this year's University Student Life Awards are open! The College and Eastman School of Music undergraduate students are all eligible.

The annual University Student Life Awards recognize those undergraduate students who, through service to others, investment of talent and time, and pursuit of excellence, have significantly and positively impacted the University of Rochester and/or surrounding community. The awards are divided into two categories: Individual Leadership Awards and Student Organization and Programming Awards.

Award descriptions and nomination forms can be found online at:

http://www.rochester.edu/college/rccl/leadership/awards/studentlife/nominationform.html

Nominations will remain open until Wednesday, January 29th at Noon. Please contact Alicia Ponczkowski in the Rochester Center for Community Leadership at 276-6860 if you have any questions.

Winter Activities Fair

The Winter Activities Fair will be held on Friday, January 17, 2014, from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM in Zornow Basketball Courts A, B, and C.

If you are interested in registering your organization for a table, one of your executive board members must complete this form (https://ccc.rochester.edu/form/start/35173). This message is being sent to all officers of organizations eligible to participate in the fair. Please coordinate with your other officers so that only one form is submitted per organization.

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Orientation Leaders

Looking for an amazing full-time summer job? Want to learn more than you ever wanted to know about Rochester, meet the Deans, make this Orientation better than your own, and have fun at the same time? Apply to be a 2014 Orientation Leader! Applications will be available starting December 2nd, 2013 at www.rochester.edu/college/orientation

Diversity Conference Call for Proposals

Students are invited to submit proposals for workshops and posters at the University's 2014 diversity conference on March 28. This year's conference, "Crossroads: An Opportunity for Progress," will explore where the University and community stand in regards to race, power, and redefining diversity. Workshop proposal submissions can showcase best practices, research, outreach strategies, training methods, and other topics related to the theme. Read more about the theme and proposal process.

November and December Editions

If you forgot to read the November and December Edition. There was important info about Minors, MidYear Report, Assessment forms, Flex, WCSA office hours, and more.

CCC Monthly Tip

Did you know that you can create forms that can be submitted and approved to your organization? These forms can be used for submissions of content or requests of the organization. In order to get started, go to your Organization's page and click on the 'Forms' button, then click 'Manage Forms', then 'Create Form'. The screen you see now contains the properties of the form, fill these out then click 'Save and Add Questions'. From here you can create your own custom form with the controls on the left. After creating the form, go back to 'Manage Forms' and click on the 'Publish' link next to the form you created. You can copy the link to wherever you may want to advertise the form. For more in-depth information please go to the CCC Home Page and click on 'Campus Links', then 'CCC Guide (PDF)'.

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The Student Organization Insider is WCSA's monthly e-newsletter for student organization executive boards and advisors. The Student Organization Insider (SOI) is intended to keep student leaders informed on opportunities and updates from their areas of advisement: Students' Association, Athletics, the Interfaith Chapel, Fraternity and Sorority Affairs, Residential Life, Rochester Center for Community Leadership, the Hajim School, and Wilson Commons Student Activities. The SOI will not focus on information available to students through the Weekly Buzz or Weekend Highlights, and it will not be used to advertise student organization events. Instead, this newsletter is a unique and specialized publication with information and opportunities that are relevant to you as student leaders!