

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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Town Hall Meeting with President Seligman

All River Campus undergraduate and graduate students of the College are invited to attend a Town Hall Meeting with President Seligman from 7:00 to 8:00PM on Tuesday, November 4 in the Gowen Room in Wilson Commons. Town Hall Meetings are a great opportunity to hear about current and future updates on the University. Students are encouraged to attend and bring questions and feedback for President Seligman. Refreshments will be served.

80th Annual Boar's Head Dinner

Student Leaders are invited to host tables at the 80th Annual Boar's Head Dinner. Boar's Head will take place on Thursday, December 4th at 7pm in Douglass Dining Center. To indicate interest and understand the responsibilities fill out the form at: <https://ccc.rochester.edu/form/start/54719>. Submissions due by November 5th.

Leadership Workshop by Derek Greenfield

Wednesday, November 19, from 7-8:30pm, May Room FREE

How successful are you? Answer: How resilient are you? Life is full of ups and downs, and the trick is to enjoy the ups and thrive through the downs.

Dr. Greenfield spent over 20 years as a college professor and administrator. He most recently served as Director of Educational Equity and Inclusion at Alcorn State University in Lorman, MS. Now he speaks, consults, and leads on issues such as diversity, inclusion, motivation, team building, student development, innovative pedagogy, and hip-hop culture.

Join us for this powerful workshop in the May Room where he will focus on student leadership and the importance of resiliency and bouncing back from challenges.

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3rd Floor Chalkboard Policy

1. To reserve the 3rd Floor Lounge Chalkboard in Wilson Commons, please submit a request using the online 3rd Floor Lounge Chalkboard Request Form located on the Forms Tab on the WCSA website. All 3rd Floor Lounge Chalkboard requests are to be submitted at least 5 business days prior to the start of the requested reservation date. Reservations are made on a first-come, first-serve basis. Upon approval, a confirmation email will be sent to the individual who submitted the initial request. In the case the request cannot be accommodated, an email will be sent to the individual who submitted the initial request. Please be aware that groups are not guaranteed use of the chalkboard.
2. The 3rd Floor Lounge Chalkboard is exclusively available to WCSA recognized student groups and University departments. Chalking by an unrecognized group or outside entity will be erased. The chalkboard is reserved in 1 week time slots. Groups, organizations, and departments can use the chalkboard to promote singular or a large amount of events and activities.
3. Confirmed organizations and departments must use chalk provided by WCSA. Chalk may be picked up and returned to the Common Connection.
4. All displays must clearly state the sponsoring organization/department.
5. Student organization displays must be approved by the adviser before they chalk.
6. Wilson Commons Student Activities is not responsible for the erasing or tampering of information. However, chalking of any content that is deemed inappropriate by WCSA will be removed immediately. Inappropriate content includes drug paraphernalia and slanderous language.
7. All chalking will be erased by midnight on the last day of the reservation.

Promotional Opportunities for Spring

Requests for Promotional Opportunities (banners, info tables, flex tables, Expression Wall, Display Case, Donation Box, Chalkboard, and Battery Operated Candles) for Spring 2015 can be submitted starting on November 15. All forms are located on the Forms Tab on the WCSA website. Remember to be specific on forms that ask for items that you are selling at flex tables or events that you are advertising on banners. Any questions please contact Michael Dedes at michael.v.dedes@rochester.edu

Involvement Record

Did you know you can easily get a print-out of all your involvement from the CCC? The Involvement Record captures your accomplishments and involvements at UR and can allow you to reflect on how they have impacted your collegiate experience. This can be helpful as you meet with an advisor, can provide context when talking with parents and families about your experiences, and can help you create a more traditional résumé. You can find and customize your record at this site, or by clicking “Involvement Record” on the “My Involvement” drop-down from the CCC navigation bar.

Contact SA Technology & Web Coordinator Sarah Hedrych (sarah.hedrych@rochester.edu) for all your CCC needs!

Virtual EMS Templates

Wilson Commons Virtual EMS Templates are set to permit requests through the end of the school year. Groups are welcome to go ahead and submit Wilson Commons Template Spring semester Virtual EMS requests. Requests for classroom locations cannot be confirmed until Spring semester courses are downloaded; that download is expected in mid-November.

Tally Counters

Does your event have a maximum capacity? Do you need a more efficient way to count people going in and out of your event? Hand tally counters will do the trick! Wilson Commons Student Activities has 6 digital hand tally counters available for use, free of charge, on a first come-first served basis. Stop by the Common Connection at 200 Wilson Commons and sign out one for your event!

College Break Services Webpage

Are you staying on campus during break? Do you need information on transportation options to get home? Find all the information you need on the College Breaks Webpage. This page is updated for each break and will have a link to register for break as well as information on transportation, student services, changes to building and office hours, and activities and events to keep you entertained while you are here.

CCC Monthly Tip

Did you know you could upload a profile picture to your CCC account? Give your fellow students a face to pair with your name! On the left side of the CCC homepage, you'll see an "Edit Profile" button. If you click this, you'll be taken to a page with your account information. In a box on the right of the page titled "Profile Picture", you'll find a "Change Picture" button. Click this, and browse your computer for a picture of YOU to represent your online profile.

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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!