

The Pakistani Student Association Constitution

Article I - Name

The name of this organization shall be the Pakistani Student Association. The abbreviated name of this organization shall be the PSA.

Article II - Purpose

The purpose of this club shall be to gain various students' interest in the Pakistani culture, regardless of their race, religion, and ethnicity. It is this group's intent to foster a great student interest and participation in multiple events through the promotion of strong leadership, programs, and service. Every member shall strengthen the Pakistani Students Association and will be of critical value. This group shall help students better understand and connect with the traditions of this country. This group will also give students a chance to become involved at Towson University and shall help them develop leadership and service skills.

Article III - Membership

Section 1 - Any fee paying, undergraduate student enrolled in Towson University with at least a 2.0 GPA may become a member of the Pakistani Student Association with full voting rights and office holding privileges. Membership in this group may not be denied because of race, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, physical or mental disability, disabled veteran or veteran, national origin or religion.

Section 2 - Membership can be obtained by anyone who attends either a PSA meeting or an official PSA event. PSA and its members shall consider all its members of equal vote and importance. PSA members will be required to provide a contact email address. Each member will be expected to attend at least one meeting per month.

Article IV - Executive Officers

The executive officers of the PSA shall be as follows: Co-Presidents (President 1, President 2), Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. The aforementioned officers shall constitute the Executive Board.

Article V - Duties of the Executive Officers

Co-Presidents: To preside at executive board and general meetings; appoint special committees with approval of the Executive Board; act as the primary source of communication between PSA and the Towson community; provide management for official PSA Towson Events; present an annual report; and perform other such duties as may be required by the By-Laws or resolutions of the Executive Board.

Vice President - To assume full responsibilities as president in the absence or impeachment of the president of PSA; to assist in organization of the official meetings and events; monitor progress of the Treasurer and Secretary and inform Co-Presidents of any issues; plan and organize publicity for activities

and special events; perform other such duties as may be required by the By-Laws or resolutions of the Executive Board.

Secretary - To attend all general correspondence of the organization; to keep the minutes of all Executive Board and general meetings; and to preserve the record of the organization; in charge of promotion of all PSA meetings and events; responsible for recording each PSA event through media; will also perform other such duties as may be required by the By-Laws or resolutions of the Executive Board.

Treasurer - Supervise the financial administration of all revenue periodically to the Executive Board and membership on the financial condition of the organizations; ensure full compliance with all the financial rules and guidelines set forth by PSA, SGA, and Towson University, and perform other such duties as may be required by the By-Law or resolutions of the Executive Board.

Article VI - Elections

1. Election of the officers shall take place yearly during the first week of October
2. Elections will be chaired by the outgoing president. He or she may also serve again if elected. If the outgoing president is up for re-election, the advisor will chair elections.
3. In the event of a tie a revote will be done.
4. Any student member is eligible to vote and for nomination as an officer of the Executive Committee who (a) meets the Towson University SGA eligibility for student office holding which consists of a 2.0 GPA and (b) fulfills the qualification as set up by the Executive Board.
5. An officer may be impeached by a 2/3 majority vote if he or she is not fulfilling their constitutional duties.

Article VII - Amendments

Amendments to this Constitution may be proposed to the voting membership by majority vote of the Executive Board or by petition signed by 1/2 of the voting membership. Amendments shall be declared or adopted upon SGA approval.

Article VIII - By-Laws

By-Laws, not inconsistent with this constitution, may be adopted or amended by a 2/3 majority of the voting members present at any general or special meetings, provided the By-Laws are submitted in writing at least one week previously at either regular or special meetings of the general membership and upon SGA approval.