

B-004
CREATING THE SGB GOVERNING CODE:
TYPES OF COMMITTEES

University of Pittsburgh
Student Government Board

Introduced by President Mike Nites

Whereas the SGB Governing Code is a collection of governing documents including the SGB Bylaws,

Whereas there are four types of committees within Student Government Board,

Whereas the Student Government Board strives to hold its members at least as equally as accountable as other members of other university Student Governments,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, On this 14th day of January in the year of 2014, the Student Government Board enacts the following revision to Title I, Chapter 2 called “The Board.” All numbering changes to how the document is structured shall be automatic.

1. A section called “Types of Committees” shall be inserted before the section called “Duties of Committee Chairs.” The entire section shall read:
 - a. “There are four types of committees as defined in the Student Government Board Constitution: Standing, Conditional, Ad-hoc and Task Forces.”
2. A section called “Board Liaisons” shall be inserted at the end of the Article. It shall have three subsections that read:
 - a. “Each Standing Committee has one board liaison.”
 - b. “Each Conditional Committee has two board liaisons.”
 - c. “The President shall hold the responsibility of assigning all Board Liaisons to each Committee. The only liaison that needs approval by the Board is the Business Manager as defined in the Student Government Board Constitution.”
3. Title I, Chapter 3, Article I will be passed exactly as shown in the attached document.

The resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Chapter 3. Committees

Article I: Types of Committees

Section 3.01. Types of Committees

- A. There are four types of committees as defined in the Student Government Board Constitution: Standing, Conditional, Ad-hoc and Task Forces.

Section 3.02. Duties of Committee Chairs

- A. Chairs of any Standing or Conditional Committee shall
 1. Support the implementation of Board policies by providing expertise and resources to the Board and student body as authorized by the Board.
 2. Provide specific programs and services for the Board and student body as authorized and specified by the Board.
 3. Operate according to their regulating documents, as applicable, and the charge given to them by the Board.
 4. Hold five office hours per week in the Student Government Board office, with the exception of the Allocations Chair, who must hold ten office hours per week in the Student Government Board office. Members of the Allocations Committee shall hold five office hours per week in the Student Government Board office.

Section 3.03. Board Liaisons

- A. Each Standing Committee has one board liaison.
- B. Each Conditional Committee has two board liaisons.
- C. The President shall hold the responsibility of assigning all Board Liaisons to each Committee. The only liaison that needs approval by the Board is the Business Manager as defined in the Student Government Board Constitution.