

CONSTITUTION OF CAMPUS LIGHT MINISTRIES
OF WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this organization shall be Campus Light Ministries.

ARTICLE II PURPOSE

The purpose of this organization shall be to provide a media in which the members and others will find incentive for spiritual growth and Christian living through Christian fellowship and discussion of the Bible.

ARTICLE III MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1.

Membership will be composed of those who agree with the designed purpose of the group as described in Article II.

SECTION 2.

No person will be denied membership on the basis of race, color, sex, religious, or ethnic origin.

SECTION 3.

Campus Light Ministries reserves the right to remove any member who totally refuses to work in harmony and cooperation with other members and workers. He or she will be removed by a 3/4 vote of the participating membership.

SECTION 4.

The voting membership will consist only of West Virginia University (WVU) students.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

SECTION 1.

In order to be eligible for an elected office of Campus Light Ministries, a person must be a full-time student, and that person must demonstrate organizational and leadership ability as well as be in agreement with the purpose of this organization described in Article II. If this is not their first semester at WVU, that person must have a "C" average at the time of election or appointment. Furthermore, they must not be on academic or disciplinary probation.

SECTION 2.

The elected officers of Campus Light Ministries shall be President, Vice-President, and Secretary.

SECTION 3.

The officers will be elected at the end of the school year and will serve for one year unless removed by resigning or by means of academic or disciplinary probation or by means of Article III, Section 3 of the constitution.

SECTION 4. OFFICERS AND DUTIES

A. Duties of the President

1. Chairman of the Executive Board.
2. To preside at all meetings.
3. To take charge of all legal matters.
4. To receive all communications directed to the group.
5. To be responsible to see that each new member receives a copy of the constitution.
6. To preside at all special sessions, or appoint someone in his absence.
7. To be an official member of all committees.
8. To represent the group to the Administration in all affairs.
9. To be held responsible for the carrying out of every detail of the Constitution and Bylaws.

B. Duties of the Vice-President

1. Assistant Chairman of the Executive Board.
2. To assist the President upon request in one or all of his duties.
3. To be chairman in charge of programs and outings.
4. To preside at all meetings in the absence of the President.

C. Duties of the Secretary

1. Member of the Executive Board.
2. Responsible for all minutes of all official business.
3. To assist the President in all secretarial matters upon the President's request.
4. Responsible for all monies collected and dispersed.
5. To pay any bills promptly.
6. To perform such other functions as are customary to this office, or as may be.

SECTION 5. SPECIAL OFFICERS

If the existing officers are not in school or in town for the summer, then Campus Light Ministries reserves the right to appoint temporary officers for the summer, so that the group may continue to meet during the summer.

ARTICLE V MEETINGS

SECTION 1.

Regular meetings of Campus Light Ministries shall be held every Friday of regular school year.

SECTION 2.

Campus Light Ministries reserves the right to have meetings at any other time as the Executive Board deems necessary.

ARTICLE VI THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Executive Board shall consist of the President, Vice-President, and Secretary.

ARTICLE VII COMMITTEES

All committees will be appointed as needed.

ARTICLE VIII PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The Parliamentary Authority shall be taken from Roberts Rules of Order.

ARTICLE IX SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Campus Light Ministries will adhere to the WVU Student Code of Conduct Rules and Regulations as promulgated by the Board of Regents.

ARTICLE X AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1.

An amendment to this constitution must receive a 5/6 majority vote of all members present at a designated "Amendment Meeting" at which 5/6 of the total membership is present, including officers.

SECTION 2. An "Amendment Meeting" shall be designated in the following manner:

- A. It must be held at the time and place of a regularly scheduled organizational meeting.
- B. It must be called for at least one week in advance by a 3/4 majority vote on the motion.

SECTION 3.

The proposed amendment must be read at the regularly scheduled organizational meeting where the "Amendment Meeting" is proposed.

SECTION 4.

All amendments shall be listed at the end of this constitution.

SECTION 5.

No amendments shall be added to this constitution which in any way conflicts with the constitution and by-laws of Campus Light Ministries.