# **Election Requirements**

All candidates **must** submit this application through Bullsconnect by 11:59 PM Friday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Additionally, supporting documents are to be submitted through the 2026 Candidate Canvas Course by February 13<sup>th</sup> 11:59 PM. All candidates must attend at least one informational meeting via Teams by February 13th at 11:59 PM. The dates and times are listed below. The Teams links can be found on the Canvas Course. If your schedule conflicts with all the times listed below, contact the Supervisor of Elections to request an individual appointment at least 24 hours prior to the final listed meeting time. If you fail to complete any of these requirements, you will be disqualified from the election and will not be placed on the ballot.

#### **Candidate Information Meetings:**

Tuesday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026: 12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Wednesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026: 4:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026: 3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. Friday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026: 11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### **SG Membership Requirements:**

Candidates MUST be enrolled for at least 6 credit hours as an undergraduate or 4 credit hours as a graduate degree-seeking student and maintain AT LEAST an institutional GPA of 2.5 for undergraduate students and a 3.0 GPA for graduate students and may not be under disciplinary probation, suspension, or expulsion by the university. The attestation signed above allows for the verification of these details by SG Advising staff. This process will take place from February 9th – February 13<sup>thth</sup>. You will be notified if you do not meet these requirements by a member of SG

Advising Staff.

#### **Election Schedule:**

Applications open on Bullsconnect: January 20th @ 12:00 AM

Applications close: February 6th @ 11:59 PM

Candidate Expense Sheet, Campaign Budget Statement, Candidate Biography,
Declaration of Intent, Campaign Staff List, Ultimate Decision Affirmation Form
Due: February 13th

Information Meetings must be completed by: February 13th

Campaigning begins: February 16th @ 12:00 AM

Voting begins: March 2nd @ 9:00 AM

Voting Ends: March 5th @ 5:00 PM

Possible Run Off Election Voting will be disclosed at the discretion of the ERC.

I have read and understand the Elections Requirements Section above:

## **Election Information**

- Only Paperwork submitted to the Elections Rules Commission with a time stamp will be recognized as received, including this application.
- Job descriptions, USF SG Statutes and a link for the required 2026 Candidate Canvas Course can be found on the SG Website <a href="here">here</a> under the Elections page.
- International students may only work up to 20 hours each week and cannot work remote from their home countries.

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