

Spring 2026 USG Candidacy Petition

Petitions Collected: Wednesday, April 1st, 2026, between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM CDT, in the Center for Leadership and Involvement in the Reynolds Club, Suite 016. **ALTERNATIVELY, SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH, BETWEEN 2:30 PM AND 5:00 PM CDT IN MCCORMICK LOUNGE IN REYNOLDS CLUB.** A representative of E&R or the Center for Leadership and Involvement will collect your petition. Petitions must be submitted during that time. Neither early nor late petitions will be accepted unless advance arrangements with the Chair of E&R are made. **PETITIONS DEADLINE EXTENDED AT THE DIRECTION OF COLLEGE COUNCIL**

Candidates with serious extenuating circumstances can request advance permission (i.e. before April 5th) to email a scanned copy of their petition to the Chair of E&R by 5 PM on April 5th, so long as E&R receives a physical copy of the petition by post or delivered in person within a week, postmarked on or before Wednesday, April 8th, 2026.

Mandatory Candidates' Meeting: MONDAY, April 6th, 7 PM, Cobb 301. Candidates who are unable to attend must make alternate arrangements with the Chair of E&R prior to submitting their petitions. **CANDIDATES' MEETING TIME CHANGED TO MONDAY TO ACCOMODATE EXTENDED PETITIONS DEADLINE.**

Candidate name(s): _____

Running for (check only one) Slate (President & Executive VP) VP, Advocacy
 VP, Student Affairs VP, Campus Life Trustee/Faculty Gov. Liaison College Council

Student ID number(s): _____ **Email(s):** _____

Year: Class of 2026 Class of 2027 Class of 2028 Class of 2029
 Other: _____

Do you intend to study abroad during your term of service? Yes No

If yes, which quarter will you be abroad? Autumn Winter Spring
 Other: _____

While abroad, who will proxy you? _____

Valid signatures required:	Tickets (Pres./EVP): 200
VP/Liaison: 100	College Council: 25 — from within rep. year

To be eligible to run in the election, complete and hand in your petition with the requisite number of signatures from members of your constituent class(es) by the due date listed above, and attend the mandatory Candidates' Meeting at the time listed above. We recommend candidates obtain more than the minimum signatures, as some could prove invalid or unreadable. Incomplete signatures (those missing a name, Student ID number, or signature) are invalid as are those collected from outside of your electoral unit. **All sheets including signatures must include a clearly visible candidate or ticket name. Digital signatures will not be accepted.**

Candidate/Slate Name: _____

The purpose of this petition is to award the candidate's name a space on the ballot. All candidates who have the requisite number of valid signatures from their constituency *and* attend the Candidates' Meeting will be placed on the ballot for elections.

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