



Engineering Governing Council

The legislative body representing the students
of the School of Engineering at Rutgers University.

EGC Fall Elections

Eligibility

Any undergraduate of the school of engineering may run for a position on the engineering governing council.

Positions available

The following positions will be elected during this election:

- (5/class year) Class Representative (2013) , 25 signatures

All candidates shall have a maximum budget of \$50, provided by the candidate.

Important Dates:

Candidates Meeting

Monday, September 14, 2009, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Busch Campus Center Room 116. Immediately preceding the Council meeting.. This is also the time when candidates will have their pictures taken for the online elections process. Petitions are due by Friday, September 18th 2009

Elections

Monday, September 21, 2009, 12:01 AM – Thursday, September 24, 11:59 PM, <http://egc.rutgers.edu>

Results

Friday, September 25, 6:00 PM, <http://egc.rutgers.edu>

These results will be pending no elections appeals. Final results will be available Sunday, September 27, 6:00 PM at our website.

EGC Retreat

Friday, October 2, 6:00pm – Sunday, October 4, 12:00pm
(Camp Linwood, <http://www.newarkymca.org/linwood.cfm>)

All council members, including newly elected representatives of the class of 2013 are required to attend. If you have special meal requirements, special accommodations can be made. If you have a religious obligation during the weekend, there will be transportation back to campus Saturday evening and early Sunday morning. If you are unable to attend, you will need to discuss your reasons with the IRC Chair or President. This is a fun weekend of teambuilding and relaxation, and is essential for your success during the next year within the Engineering Governing Council.

Elections Guidelines

General Eligibility

- a) Candidates running for any position on the Engineering Governing Council must be an undergraduate student of Rutgers University, enrolled at the School of Engineering.
- b) Any candidate petitioning for a Class Representative Position may only run for the Class Representative year for which they are registered to graduate.

Petitions



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- a) Candidates may only obtain signatures from undergraduate students of Rutgers University, enrolled at the School of Engineering.
- b) For the positions of Class Representative, candidates may obtain signatures from any eligible student of their class year.

Campaigning/Rules of Fair Play

- a) All material advertising the election should be unbiased against all candidates.
- b) No election material may be biased against another candidate.
- c) No candidate may send out mass messages through any public Rutgers list-serv.
- d) Any messages sent out on Facebook, MySpace, or any other P2P service may only be sent through campaign specific groups or events
- e) No candidate may solicit dormitories or other places of residence.
- f) Candidates may not actively campaign during elections period. Active campaigning is considered the distribution of posters, literatures, or verbal information.
 - a. Members of the elections committee retrain the right to remove any non-EGC publicity during the elections period.
- g) P2P service messages may be sent out during the elections period.
- h) All candidates must follow University, City, State, and Federal rules, regulations, and laws while campaigning. Defacement of public property and use of private trademarks or logos, including the Rutgers University and School of Engineering logos, are strictly prohibited.

Voting

- a) All students eligible to sign a petition may vote for Class Representative officers for the class year they are registered to graduate in.
- b) Any ties shall be decided by a plurality votes within the Council
- c) Any student or candidate may contest an election by submitting a written appeal to the Elections Chair within twenty-four hours of the polls closing. An investigation will follow by the Elections Committee.
- d) The Elections Committee shall enforce election regulations and may disqualify any candidate who violates any policy of the Constitution or the Election Guidelines.



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Fall 2009 EGC Elections Petition

Candidate's Name: _____ **Candidate's NetID:** _____

Candidate's Slogan: _____

We, the undersigned, support the nomination of the candidate named above for the position of _____.

We understand this does not prohibit us from signing other petitions, nor commit us to voting for this candidate.

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