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THE WORD...with SORC

The **Student Organization Resource Center (SORC)** is constantly reinventing new ways to engage and enrich students and their organizations. SORC is a department at Stamp dedicated to providing your organization with services, resources, and spaces to set up your organization for success.

Soo...What's The Word?

The Word with SORC is a bi-weekly newsletter made and disseminated to inform you of involvement opportunities in SORC, the Stamp, and all across campus. If you're bored and looking for something to do, or are looking for ways to improve and develop your organization, be sure to check out the most recent edition of The Word!

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Podcasting Equipment Survey



**Does your student org need a storage locker
for the rest of the academic year?**

APPLY NOW!

<http://go.umd.edu/sislockerapp1819>

Call for Proposal- Pepsi Enhancement Funds Fall 2019

Each semester the Review Committee for the Pepsi Enhancement Fund send out a call for proposals for program funding. At this time, I would like to encourage you to submit proposals for programs and events that will occur during the 2019 fall semester, Monday, August 26, 2019 - Monday, December 9, 2019.

A \$50,000 fund, generously provided by PepsiCo, will be used to underwrite the cost of programs that broadly affect the campus population. For spring 2019, we received 98 proposals and we were able to award 61 grants. Some of the programs receiving funding include Pride Month Drag Show, Disability Summit 2019, Breaking the Cycle of Poverty Film Screening, Resident Life Winter Carnival, and Lecture on World Day of Social Justice.

Each of the proposals will be measured by the following criteria:

1. Will the event/program contribute to the creation of campus community?

2. Will the event/program appeal to a wide audience of campus citizens?
3. Will the event/program contribute to the advancement of the academic mission of the University?
4. Will the event/program enhance the co-curriculum, enlarging opportunities for leadership, cultural and social exchange, and service to the University and broader community?

I invite you to submit a proposal online at <https://stampunion.umd.edu/pepsi/> prior to **Friday, March 8, 2019 by 5:00 p.m.** All proposals must be completed online and a response is required to all of the questions detailed on the form. The Pepsi Review Committee will review all proposals by the end of April. Departments and organizations will be notified of their award status following the Review Committee meeting and the funds will be available at the start of the fall semester. Please note, in order to accommodate the greatest number of groups in our funding process, a sponsoring organization may not submit more than two (2) proposals per semester.



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Sell Custom Gear with IgniteCX

IgniteCX is a powerful, online tool to help you create custom pop-up-stores for a variety of projects: gear sales, fundraisers, and much more. The tool offers a full catalog of products to select and customize, a built-in design tool, and an easy Ignite Page creator. IgniteCX collects all the orders and payments and handles all processing and shipping. All you need to do is create your page, share the link, and we'll handle the rest!

UndocuTerp Workshops


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- Undocumented student resources on campus
- How you can support/advocate for the greater immigrant community
- The year of immigration at UMD

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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MOSAIC Leadership and Identity Retreat

MOSAIC Leadership and Identity Retreat is a two day experience focused on raising self-awareness, expanding knowledge, and encouraging action among diverse student leaders. Student organizations can sponsor leaders and members to attend and gain valuable skills for your group and network across campus. The retreat will take place **February 23-24 at YMCA Camp Letts in Edgewater, MD.**

Find out more and apply today at go.umd.edu/mosaicapplication19 !



Invest in Your Organization's Leadership through Terrapin Leadership Institute

Terrapin Leadership Institute (TLI) is a five week leadership development program that engages students in hands-on activities and critical dialogue.

There are 4 TLI Tracks to choose from, one of which focuses specifically on leaders of student organizations!

TLI Student Organizations: For leaders of student organizations to develop insight into organizational dynamics, structure, and culture that will enhance your group's mission and goals

Participants who complete TLI gain valuable experience for your resume, tools to enhance your organizational and personal leadership, a t-shirt, certificate, and recommendation letter. For more information and to register for this semester's Terrapin Leadership Institute, visit <http://stamp.umd.edu/TLI>.

Submit Group Photos to Terrapin Yearbook

The Terrapin Yearbook has a spread that gives clubs and organizations an opportunity to submit their group's photo. This is an amazing way for seniors to remember their associations, friends and memories. It also gains awareness and exposure for other clubs.

We tried to include as many people as we could last year and want to do the same this time. Please help us by submitting your club's photos by late March/early April.

Which photos are acceptable?

- * 5x7 group shot
- * Clear, well-lighted
- * HIGHEST resolution/quality (300 DPI file - can be resized in Adobe Photoshop)
- * Taken with a professional camera if possible
- * Max 3 submissions

How to submit?

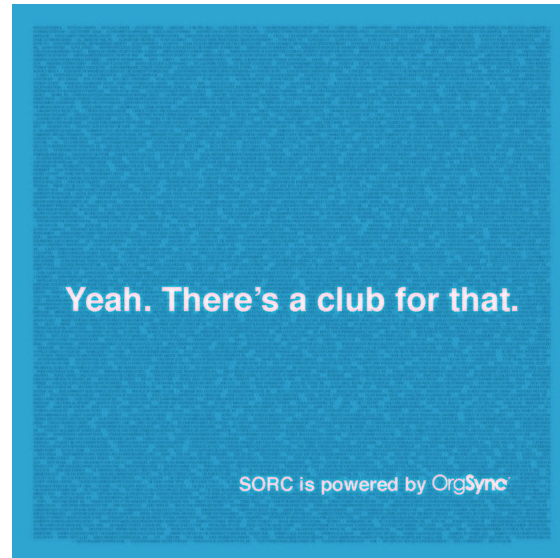
* Go to terrapinyearbook.com and click "Submit a Photo to the Yearbook"

* Fill out required information:

* Quick bio of club (3-4 sentences) in "Photo Caption"

* Members in photo(s) left to right and specifying graduating seniors in "More Info About Photo"

We appreciate the effort and hope to see your organization in the yearbook!



OrgSync Tip of the Week- File Storage

We always tell students that OrgSync is a combination of Facebook and Google Drive. When you log into OrgSync, you immediately see a "News Feed" from organizations that you follow. The Google Drive part ties in with the "Files" section in every organization's OrgSync portal.

In the files section of your portal, you can store folders, files, and pictures, organize them whatever way you want, and "share" with whatever members you want.

So, why OrgSync and not Google Drive? By uploading your organization's files on OrgSync, you will always have a backup plan in case a password gets lost or a past officer doesn't turn over files to new officers. SORC staff members have administrative access to your portal and will always be able to give file access to the appropriate members of your organization.

...and *that* is the word on the OrgSync tip of the week!

For the final word, it's time for our...

**STUDENT GROUP HIGHLIGHT OF
THE WEEK: **Chaning Health Attitudes****

and Actions to Recreate Girls (CHAARG)

CHAARG is a movement aimed at igniting a passion in women for health and fitness. Their UMD chapter conducts group workouts twice a week as well as many other special events throughout the semester. Check out their info session on 2/11 in Jimenez room 0205 from 6:30 - 7:30pm. Membership opportunities can be found at chaarg.com any questions can be directed to umdchaarg@gmail.com.



And that's the Word.



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