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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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Bike Week: Student Org Bike Parade & Contest

Friday, April 5 at 3 p.m. to 4 p.m., Regents Drive Garage

[Registration required by April 3](#)

Earn money for your student organization by participating in our student group bike parade. The organization with the most participants will earn \$500 for their group. Part of a smaller group? You can team up with other student groups to form a mighty coalition.

Student Group Eligibility: Groups must be current registered student organizations, in good standing with SORC and either possess a KFS account or a bank account in their organization's name. Prize money will be transferred to the organization's account.

Individuals are also welcome! The individual with the best-decorated bicycle will win a pair of Bose QC35 Noise Cancelling headphones.

Don't have a bike? Free mBike rental is available for the day of the parade!

SORC Outreach/Advertising Guide

Looking to reach a wider audience? SORC has developed a marketing guide for student organizations!

You can now find it in your [organization's OrgSync files](#) or by [clicking this link!](#)



Are You Up for the Challenge?

Are you part of a student-run initiative that's working to maximize impact for a cause, issue or community you care about, through volunteering, fundraising, and/or awareness efforts? Do you have an idea to Do Good on campus, in your community, or globally? Register for the Do Good Challenge to compete for the chance a share of more than \$20,000 to support your social impact project or venture.

Registration Opens: Now! Register here, <https://publicpolicy.umd.edu/node/add/team-profile>.

Application Due: March 31

Semi-Finals: April 11

Finals: April 25

Questions? Want to learn more? Email dogoodchallenge@umd.edu.




Register NOW for Activation Academy!

Activation Academy focuses on understanding, engaging with, and leading in communities. In partnership with Good Neighbor Day, you'll explore our local community of College Park while

collecting and crafting compelling stories from students, alumni, and community leaders using the StoryCorps app.

Activation Academy is free of cost and takes place April 12th-13th on and around campus.

Find out more and register at: <https://go.umd.edu/activationacademy>

A banner for UndocuTerp Workshops. The background is a yellow-tinted photo of three students sitting at a table, looking at a laptop. On the right is a large, stylized butterfly with orange, black, and white patterns. The text is in white and red.

UndocuTerp Workshops


DESIGNED FOR YOUR STUDENT ORGANIZATION

REQUEST A WORKSHOP, ENGAGE AS A TEAM & LEARN ABOUT:

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

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

go.umd.edu/UndocuTrainingRequest undoc@umd.edu 301.405.5084



An advertisement for IgniteCX. It features the IgniteCX logo (a starburst icon) and the text "NEED CUSTOM GEAR? WE GOT YOU." Below this is a paragraph about setting up an online pop-up store. To the right are three t-shirts: a blue one with "MARYLAND LACROSSE", a black one with a large "M" and "FEARLESS", and a red one with a large "M" and "HOMECOMING 2015". A small graphic of a smartphone screen shows a t-shirt design interface. At the bottom is a dark bar with the University of Maryland logo.

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NEED CUSTOM GEAR? WE GOT YOU.

Set up an online pop-up store with your customized UMD merch. Get it at cost or sell your merchandise for a profit to your club! Find out how other UMD orgs have used IgniteCX and get started here:

umd.ignitecx.com



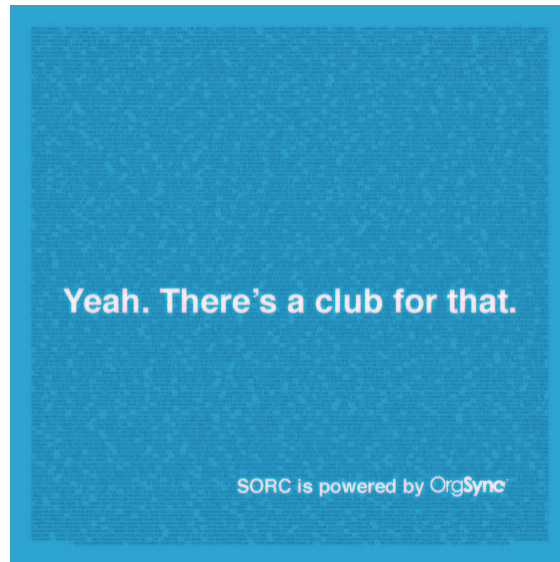
Sell Custom Gear!

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!



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

APPLY NOW!



OrgSync Tip of the Week- Set Up Join Options

[Custom join options allow prospective and current members to join your organization in OrgSync.](#) Join options include:

- Open: Any user with a UMD OrgSync account can join.
- Invitation only: Organization would have to send an invitation for a member to join
- Request to join: User must submit an explanation for their interest in joining and request must be approved by an organization's Administrator.
- Password protected: Organization sets a password that a user must enter to join

Join options can be changed by an Administrator and can be accessed by hovering over the wrench in the upper right hand corner of your portal, clicking *Settings*, choose *Organization Settings*, then select *Join Options* on the left hand side.

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

STUDENT GROUP HIGHLIGHT OF THE WEEK: Crocheting for a Cause



Crocheting for a Cause crochets and knits baby, youth, and adult hats and blankets to donate to local hospitals. No experience is required, current members will teach interested members how to knit/crochet. They supply the yarn and needles/hooks! Feel free to show up at any meeting, locations are posted on their [Facebook Page](#).

And that's the Word.



@MarylandSORC is on social media!

[Let us know the cool things your org is doing and we'll share it through our channels.](#)

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