Selection Process for University Sponsored Organizations  
Center for Student Media

The Center for Student Media will practice the below selection process for University Sponsored Organizations supported by the Center for Student Media.

1. Applications are created by the Center for Student Media through Get Involved and made available during the month of February.

2. Applications are reviewed by the respective advisor for each organization, in consultation with the outgoing executive leaders (i.e. Editor in Chief for the Cougar, Coog Radio Station Director, and Executive Producer of CoogTV).

3. Interviews are scheduled at the close of applications with students that meet the minimum academic requirement of a 2.5 cumulative GPA by the respective advisor for each organization.

4. A standing committee of the Student Media Advisory Committee shall be established to interview the candidates for each of the three Chief Executive Officer position (Editor in Chief for the Cougar, Coog Radio Station Director, and Executive Producer of CoogTV). The appointment committee shall recommend no more than two candidates per position to the Student Media Advisory Committee for final vote.

5. The Student Media Advisory Committee shall select the chief executive of each student media organization.

6. Once the incoming Chief Executive Officer is selected, interviews for all remaining positions will consist of the incoming Chief Executive Officer, advisor for the organization, and any other relevant stakeholders (i.e. alumni, mentors, etc.), based on availability.

7. Final decisions must be made by consensus by all individuals included in the interview process. If selected for a position, students will be notified prior to the Executive Leadership Retreat in May.

8. The respective advisor for each organization will recheck GPAs at the close of each semester.

If a position were to re-open outside of the above hiring timeline, the application and interview process will remain the same.