

Article I: Name of Student Organization

1. The organization shall be called Triton Consulting Group at UC San Diego.

Article II: Statement of Purpose

1. The purpose of this organization is to recruit members with an interest in consulting/business/finance/entrepreneurship, to educate and prepare members for a professional future, to practice case studies and compete in competitions, to provide valuable consulting services to local and non-local businesses and startups, to host distinguished speakers, to put on events that are specifically tailored to educate and inform both our members as well as interested UC San Diego students, to collaborate with like-minded organizations, and to establish a dominant presence on campus as UC San Diego's premier consulting organization.

Article III: Nonprofit Statement

1. Triton Consulting Group at UC San Diego is a non-profit student organization.

Article IV: Non-discrimination Statement

1. All University of California, San Diego students will be eligible for membership regardless of race, color, national origin, creed, gender, religion, sex, disability, gender identity, age, medical condition, ancestry, ethnicity, marital status, citizenship, sexual orientation, military status, or socioeconomic status.

Article V: Requirements for Membership

1. Triton Consulting Group encourages a broad, diverse membership yet will not use sole factors as determining criteria for admission into the organization.
2. Recruitment
 - a. Once recruited, a member will be referred to as an *analyst* until he or she has completed the 6-week Analyst Training Program. Upon completion of the training program, he or she will earn the title *associate*.
 - b. An analyst may be deemed ineligible to proceed as an associate, if and only if, current members have a legitimate, non-discriminatory reason to deny membership. Examples include: lazy work, repeated tardiness to sessions, an apparent lack of interest in our objectives, and or any behavior that is rude/violent/harmful to the wellbeing of other members. However, membership may not be denied on the basis of: race, sex, political affiliation, religion, gender orientation, marital status, citizenship, age, medical condition, or major.
 - c. Analysts must be given verbal notices in order to allow for improvement of certain faults, and shall not be arbitrarily or unknowingly rejected.

- d. There will be a zero-tolerance policy for physical or emotional hazing (refer to UC San Diego's Hazing Code for further clarification as to what qualifies as hazing). Analysts will not be required to partake in any non-professional or non-educational activities they are uncomfortable with and their unwillingness to partake in those activities shall have absolutely no bearing on whether or not they proceed as associates.
- 3. Active Membership
 - a. Active membership is a quarter-to-quarter affair and entails a membership fee determined prior to the beginning of the quarter. If a member cannot pay said fee, arrangements can be made. In order for an associate to be in good standing, they must:
 - i. Attend GBMs for a quarter in order to maintain active membership.
 - ii. Participate in or contribute to at least one project per quarter.
 - iii. Attend at least two socials per quarter.
 - iv. Exceptions will be made on a case-by-case basis.
 - b. Associates can choose to be inactive, though it is strongly recommended that they still participate in at least a couple of GBMs per quarter. Inactive status must be reasonably justified and will be granted by the Board on a case-by-case basis.
 - c. Once an associate, a member may be dismissed from Triton Consulting Group as a result of displaying behaviors previously listed in the Recruitment clause. The same conduct for dismissing an analyst applies to dismissing an associate.

Article VI: Frequency of Organization Meetings

- 1. When and Where
 - a. General Body Meetings, or GBMs for short, shall take place every week. The specific day and time shall be decided by members at the beginning of each academic quarter.
 - b. The only exceptions for not attending GBM are academic conflict, last-minute emergencies, or obligations to other organizations (in which case associates must work out a schedule for attending a manageable amount of GBMs with the board). Associates must inform the board of absences at least 24 hours prior to GBM.
- 2. Content
 - a. Each board member will update general members at each meeting on what he or she has been working on and what they can expect for the future. Total debriefings should last no more than ten to fifteen minutes, devoting the remaining time to professional and educational purposes.

Article VII: Qualifications for Holding Office and Methods of Selecting and Replacing Officers

1. Only registered UC San Diego students may hold office in the organization. Only registered UC San Diego students may vote in elections for the selection of the organization's officers.
2. Triton Consulting Group officers will collectively be known as the Board.
3. List of Officers and Duties
 - a. President
 - i. To act as the chief executive officer of the organization.
 - ii. To see that the officers fulfill their duties promptly, accurately, and impartially.
 - iii. To ensure that the executive board creates, executes, and maintains an executive strategy and goals.
 - iv. To appoint officers and committees when appropriate.
 - v. To mediate, manage, and/or maintain the relationships between clients and respective associated parties.
 - vi. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
 - b. Executive Vice President
 - i. To assist the president with executive functions and assume temporary leadership in the absence of the president.
 - ii. To oversee and execute public events with the coordination of the Board.
 - iii. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
 - c. Vice President of Consulting
 - i. To appoint the directors and members of each service line.
 - ii. To assist and guide project leaders and the directors of service lines throughout project planning, execution, and closing; develop and review statements of work, project management, review work, complete evaluations, and any other necessary duties.
 - iii. To create and maintain relationships with affiliated companies in coordination with sponsors, clients, and general outreach.
 - iv. To work with the VPID(s) and execute the Analyst program alongside respective officers.
 - v. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
 - d. Vice President of Operations
 - i. To oversee the operations of the organization at each structural level.
 - ii. To preside over the general business meetings of the organization.
 - iii. To preside over the impeachment, trials, and discretions of members.

- iv. To ensure that event operations are defined, planned, and organized effectively.
 - v. To coordinate any strategic or operational planning sessions with the president and EVP.
 - vi. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
- e. Vice President of Finance
 - i. To oversee fundraising operations in coordination with the VPO.
 - ii. To oversee the receipt and expenditure of all cash in the organization.
 - iii. To oversee the preparation and execution of the quarterly and annual budgeting for the organization; monitor funds and expenses.
 - iv. To ensure membership payments are processed and reported.
 - v. To ensure that all checks are signed by 2 officers members; the President and any other Board member aside the VPF.
 - vi. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
- f. Vice President of Internal Development
 - i. To train new analyst classes through the analyst program by applying concepts from real-world case studies, teaching the basics of consulting (including casing frameworks and marketing) and finance, and promoting professional development.
 - ii. To lead internal development workshops based on club needs and wants for both associates and analysts.
 - iii. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
- g. Vice President of Marketing
 - i. To create, develop, and promote marketing and graphic materials for the organization.
 - ii. To maintain a representative and responsive online presence for the organization.
 - iii. To aid in recruitment by creating materials and marketing to students interested in joining the organization.
 - iv. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
- h. Vice President of Human Capital Management
 - i. To foster the growth of a healthy internal culture amongst members through quarterly retreats, both board and general body.
 - ii. To organize and execute the internal social events for participating members.

- iii. To coordinate with the VPER to organize social events with other organizations and facilities.
 - iv. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
 - i. Vice President of External Relations
 - i. To coordinate with the VPC and VPF so that they organize, develop, and maintain relationships with affiliated companies in coordination with sponsors, clients, and general outreach.
 - ii. To develop and maintain relationships with students and student organization resources on campus and throughout.
 - iii. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
 - j. Vice President of Technology
 - i. To create and develop a tech curriculum to teach the aspects of data analysis, web development, and business analytics.
 - ii. To teach the tech curriculum to new analysts and ensure proficiency in these aspects of tech consulting alongside VP Internal.
 - iii. To acquire and maintain relationships with clients for consulting projects alongside VPC.
 - iv. To recruit and interview tech focused analysts in a way that balances talent, accomplishments, and passion.
 - v. To have any other responsibilities and powers assigned by the organization.
4. Elections
- a. Elections will be held annually during Spring Quarter at the discretion of the organization, taken by a vote. Elections must occur before the third week of spring quarter to allow prospective officers to shadow existing officers. All members in good standing shall have the opportunity to run for a position. Interested members must present a two-minute presentation in the presence of at least 3/4ths of Triton Consulting Group members, followed by a three-minute question and answers session.
 - b. Each position will be awarded to the candidate with a simple majority of votes.
5. Terms of Office and Vacancies
- a. A term of office will begin during the first week immediately after the spring quarter of elections and will end the last week of spring quarter of that academic term.
 - b. If an existing board member chooses to step down from their position, that member must formally inform the Board in advance of vacating. Board will

choose another member who is interested and willing to assume the vacant position.

6. Removal from Office

- a. An officer may be removed for failing to meet his or her duties, repeated unprofessionalism, or behavioral misconduct. A hearing amongst other board members will be held, a case shall be made, and removal will be approved on the basis of a 2/3rds majority. A replacement will be chosen by board decision, so long as the replacement is willing to take on the position.

Article VIII: Risk Management

1. Triton Consulting Group at UC San Diego is a registered student organization at University of California, San Diego, but not part of the university itself.
2. Triton Consulting Group understands that the university does not assume legal liability for the actions of the organization.

Article IX: Community Advisor

1. The community advisor is chosen through a majority 2/3 vote of the board. They will serve for one academic year. Their role is to be a community resource that members can utilize. Some activities may include career advice and academic advice.
 - a. Our community advisor will be Harold Buchanan. He has unanimous support from our executive board to be our next Community Advisor.
 - b. Harold Buchanan has decades of real world business experience as a professor, businessman, and investor, and will serve as a resource for our project work as well as individual professional development. They have committed to being our advisor for the 2024-2025 academic year.