



University of the Fraser Valley

Constitution

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BASA CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I Preamble

A. Organization Name

1. The organization shall be known as the "Business Administration Student Association," hereafter referred to as BASA.

B. Purpose

1. The purpose of this constitution is to provide governance for BASA, as well as, the BASA Sub-Clubs (article VII). In the event of discrepancies, as determined by a two-thirds (2/3rds) majority vote of the Board of Directors, the BASA constitution will be deemed final authority.

C. Mission

1. The mission of BASA shall be to enhance the value of the University of the Fraser Valley's Business Administration Programs while cultivating the personal, professional and academic success of students.

ARTICLE II Membership

A. All undergraduate and graduate students who are registered in the School of Business.

1. Only individuals fulfilling the requirements of article II.A may be members of BASA.

B. All members of BASA are afforded the same rights and opportunities to participate in BASA and BASA-related activities.

C. All UFV Students are afforded the same rights and opportunities to participate in BASA or BASA-related activities other than the matters of:

1. Elections
2. Referendums
3. Financial Assistance
4. Membership in Board of Directors

ARTICLE III Definitions and Interpretations

Unless otherwise defined within an article, the following terms shall be interpreted to mean:

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“academic year” means the time period from the day after Labour Day until the final day of exams in April.

“announce/distribute” means to post on the BASA website and Facebook page; e-mail registered BASA membership and, upon request, to make paper copies available.

“exam period” means the time period from the last day of classes in the Fall semester until the first day of classes in January and the time period from the last day of classes in the Winter semester until the end of the academic year.

“international students” means any student that qualifies as an international student at UFV.

“general membership of BASA” means the most current count of the individuals who are members, as provided by the Admissions and Records Department.

“present” means the physical or virtual attendance at a meeting. Where specified, the representation by proxy at a meeting.

“term” means the period from the incoming turnover date of the elected members of the Board of Directors until the outgoing turnover date of the majority of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE IV Board of Directors

- A. The Board of Directors shall represent the general membership of BASA and act on their behalf to the best of their ability as directed by the general membership of BASA and the mission of BASA.
- B. The Board of Directors shall be composed of:
 - 1. The following members elected by the general membership of BASA:
 - i. President
 - ii. Vice President
 - iii. Secretary
 - iv. Treasurer
 - v. Accounting Representatives – two (2) representatives
 - a. Representative one (1) will assume the position of the ASFV President
 - b. Representative two (2) will assume the position of the ASFV Vice President
 - vi. HR Representatives – two (2) representatives
 - a. Representative one (1) will assume the position of the HRSS President
 - b. Representative two (2) will assume the position of the HRSS Vice President
 - vii. Marketing Representatives – two (2) representatives
 - a. Representative one (1) will assume the position of the MSA President
 - b. Representative two (2) will assume the position of the MSA Vice President
 - viii. Finance Representatives – two (2) representatives
 - a. Representative one (1) will assume the position of the FSA President

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- b. Representative two (2) will assume the position of the FSA Vice President
 - ix. General Representatives – a minimum of two (2) and a maximum of four (4) representatives
- C. Restrictions on Members of the Board of Directors
 - 1. All members of the Board of Directors must be members of BASA.
 - 2. The President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Accounting Representatives, Finance Representatives, HR Representatives, Marketing Representatives must not hold a general representative position on any BASA Sub-Club.
- D. Board of Director Meetings
 - 1. Quorum is achieved when at least fifty percent (50%) of the voting members of the Board of Directors are present.
 - 2. All Board of Directors members have the right to one (1) vote except for the President, who may only vote to break a tie.
 - 3. No Board of Directors member shall hold more than one (1) voting position on the Board of Directors.
 - 4. The President shall convene a Board of Directors meeting if petitioned to do so by a quorum of Board of Directors members.
 - 5. Board of Directors meetings must be convened:
 - i. at least once per month during the academic year, excepting the exam period;
 - ii. at least twice between May and August inclusive.
 - 6. All Board of Directors meetings shall be open to all members of BASA.
 - 7. Board of Directors meetings must be announced at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the meeting.
 - 8. The proposed agenda of the Board of Directors meetings must be distributed (excluding email) at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting to the general membership of BASA.
- E. Responsibilities of the Board of Directors shall be to:
 - 1. Foster a long-term strategy to fairly and efficiently achieve the mission of BASA.
 - 2. Approve all BASA related financial allocations over \$2,000 by a unanimous vote.
 - 3. Approve all BASA related financial allocations under \$2,000 by a majority vote.
 - 4. Set and approve the annual BASA events and budgets.
 - 5. Represent the requests and provide updates on the events of the BASA sub-clubs.
 - 6. Provide meeting minutes to the BASA general membership via the BASA website.
 - 7. Evaluate and present recommendations for the continuation, discontinuation, or improvement of BASA activities to the incoming Board of Directors prior to turnover.
 - 8. Remove an appointed Board of Directors member, after written notification by a two-thirds (2/3rds) vote should that member slander the BASA name or fail to fulfill their duties.
 - i. Prior to the vote to remove an appointed Board of Director, the Board of Director in question will be given the chance to appeal to the board before voting occurs.
 - 9. Ensure each member of the Board of Directors provides an accurate student e-mail address for publication on the BASA website.

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F. The responsibilities of the President shall be to:

1. Chair all Board of Directors meetings.
2. Reserve the right to designate another member as Chair of Board of Directors meetings in case of absence.
3. Exercise due diligence at meetings and refer to the BASA Constitution and/or Robert's Rule of Order where there exists a question of order or procedure.
4. Enforce compliance with this Constitution.
5. Issue written notification to individual members of the Board of Directors who miss more than one (1) Board of Directors meeting per term without notifying the Secretary.
6. Mentor and provide direction to the Board of Directors.
7. Request voluntary assistance from Board of Directors members for duties outside of the member responsibilities.
8. Act as spokesperson for BASA.
9. Maintain relations and communications with key Business Administrative contacts including, but not limited to:
 - i. the Dean and Dean's Office
 - ii. the Department Head of the Business Administration Program
 - iii. the BASA sub-clubs
10. Attempt to provide resolution to any conflicts within the members of the Board of Directors.
11. Perform duties required to further the mission of BASA.
12. Ensure that BASA is registered with SUS each semester.

G. The responsibilities of the Vice President of the Board of Directors shall be to:

1. In the case of the President being absent, the Vice President will take on the acting role of President, in which case the Vice President would not have a voting right unless it is to break a tie.
2. Mentor and provide direction to the Board of Directors.
3. Request voluntary assistance from Board of Directors members for duties outside of the member responsibilities.
4. Act as spokesperson for BASA.
5. Share the responsibility of maintain relations and communications with key Business Administrative contacts including, but not limited to:
 - i. the Dean and Dean's Office
 - ii. the Department Head of the Business Administration Program
 - iii. the BASA sub-clubs
6. To provide guidance to the BASA sub-clubs and act as the mediator between BASA sub-clubs and executives.
7. To coordinate all BASA events, but not responsible to coordinate BASA sub-club events.

H. The responsibilities of the Secretary of the Board of Directors shall be to:

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1. Prepare and distribute the agenda and any related materials to the Board of Directors for each Board of Directors meeting seventy-two (72) hours prior to the meeting.
 2. Prepare and distribute the agenda and any related materials to the general membership of BASA for each Board of Directors meeting twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting.
 3. Keep accurate written records of Board of Director meetings posted on the BASA Website within seven (7) calendar days of the meeting.
 4. Update events and information on the BASA website (TBD what to do).
 5. Distribute information concerning the dates, times and locations of upcoming BASA General, BASA Annual General Meeting, and Extraordinary General Meetings two (2) weeks prior and Board of Directors Meetings one (1) week prior to the meetings.
 6. Distribute reminders to the intended BASA members regarding all BASA meetings forty-eight (48) hours prior to the meetings.
 7. Ensure that this Constitution is signed and dated by all current members of the Board of Directors.
- I. The responsibilities of the Treasurer of the Board of Directors shall be to:
1. Manage the book-keeping and banking as well as ensuring that finances are in good standing.
 2. Report to the Board of Directors about all transactions at Board of Directors meetings, and include report in the minutes.
 3. Manage any applications or funds or reimbursements from the Student Union Society.
 4. Collect the financial statements from each of the BASA sub-clubs the week prior to the exam period of each semester.
 5. Create the BASA budget following the appropriate guidelines (article V.B).
- J. Residual Powers
1. Powers which are not granted by this Constitution to any other council or to the general membership of BASA are granted to the Board of Directors.
 2. Any decision of the Board of Directors may be overturned by a referendum of the general membership of BASA.

ARTICLE V Finances

A. Signing Authorities

1. The President, Vice President, and Treasurer will be the only members with signing authority on the BASA bank account.
 - i. In the event that any of these positions are vacant at any time, signing authority will be designated by a two-thirds (2/3rds) vote of the Board of Directors to another Director excluding general representatives.

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- ii. Upon fulfillment of these positions, signing authority will only revert back to its intended positions (article V.A.1) if the Board of Directors determines it is appropriate and not inconvenient.
- iii. Signatures from two of these members are required whenever signing is required.
2. The process to have signing authorities transferred from the current executives to the new executives will begin at the last BASA meeting of the winter semester, with the intention to complete the process prior to the start of the new term (May 1).

B. Budgeting

1. The BASA budget will be completed each summer prior to the start of the fall semester.

ARTICLE VI Elections and Turnover

A. Restrictions on Timing of Elections

1. BASA General Elections shall be held during the Winter Semester with the following timeline:
 - a. Week 1 to Week 3: Information & Nomination Period
 - b. Week 3: All Candidates Meeting (ACM)
 - c. Week 4: Campaign Period
 - d. Week 5: Voting Period
 - e. Week 6: Announcement of Results

B. Information & Nominations

1. All nominations must be made in writing and submitted to BASA. All nominated students will be notified of their nomination from BASA and the nominees must accept their nominations in writing and submit to BASA.
2. Nominations for the BASA President must be a former board member.
3. All nominees must be part of the BASA general membership and in good standing with the UFV Student Union Society.
4. Nominees must present their two (2) minute platform at the ACM. If a nominee is unable to make the ACM nominees are required to submit a written platform to be presented by BASA at the ACM.

C. Campaigning

1. Campaign Rules - In the event of an issue during the campaign period the SUS Governing Manual campaign rules shall be consulted by the elections committee to find a solution.
2. No campaigning is permitted during the voting period. Candidates are allowed to promote the occurrence of the elections, but not encourage students to vote or support any candidate(s).

D. Voting

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1. Voting must take place online via the my.ufv.ca portal, and be available for a minimum of five consecutive days.
 - i. If, due to reasons outside of the control of BASA, voting cannot occur online, then a paper ballot vote may take place through either of the following options:
 - a. A polling station at a fixed location must be set up for a minimum of three hours per day for four days.
 - b. A secret ballot at a BASA General Meeting
2. Fifteen (15) votes are required for the election to be valid.
3. All board of directors' positions shall be voted in by a plurality vote of the BASA general membership.
4. Ballots must contain all candidates for each position, listed alphabetically by last name.
 - i. Positions with only one candidate should have a "yes", "no", and "no opinion" option.
 - ii. Positions with multiple candidates should have a "no opinion" option.

E. Elections Committee

1. The Board of Director's shall appoint the Elections Committee consisting of at least three (3) members and no more than five (5), by a majority vote. The membership shall consist of:
 - i. A maximum of three (3) current Directors who are not seeking re-election.
 - ii. Members of the BASA general membership.
2. The Elections Committee will appoint an Elections Officer to chair the committee.
3. The Election committee shall oversee the elections and ensure the nominees follow campaign rules (article VI.C.2).
4. Election results will be reviewed by the Elections Committee and announced by the Elections Officer.

F. Election Difficulties

1. In the event of less than fifteen (15) votes being cast, election shall be rescheduled for two (2) weeks post original election date.
2. In the event that less than fifteen (15) votes are cast on the second attempt, BASA will then function as an Ad Hoc committee, with another election date decided upon by the committee.
3. In the event of a tie for any position within BASA, a run-off election shall be rescheduled for two (2) weeks post the original election date. Only the individuals who tied will be running for the position.

G. Election Results

1. The candidate with the most votes wins the election, regardless of the total percentage of votes obtained
 - i. In the event of a tie, a run-off election shall be held, with one week of campaigning, and a minimum three consecutive business days of voting.

H. Turnover of the Board of Directors

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1. Orientation of the incoming Board of Directors shall occur during the last BASA board meeting of the winter semester.
2. Turnover of the Board of Directors shall occur at the end of the academic year (April 30th).
3. In the event that a Board of Directors member resigns, is removed by the Board of Directors, can no longer claim general membership in BASA, or becomes in any other way unable to fulfill their duties, his/her vacant position must be filled (article XI).

ARTICLE VII BASA Sub-Clubs

A. Preamble

1. Where this article refers to separate articles within this document, assume “BASA” is replaced with one of the following as appropriate:
 - i. BASA Sub-Clubs;
 - ii. the BASA Sub-Clubs;
 - iii. BASA Sub-Club;
 - iv. The BASA Sub-Club.
2. Qualified BASA Sub-Clubs
 - i. The following are the current BASA Sub-Clubs recognized by this document:
 - a. Accounting Students of the Fraser Valley (ASFV),
 - b. Human Resources Student Society (HRSS),
 - c. Sales and Marketing Student Association (MSA),
 - d. Finance Club (FSA)
 - ii. Hereafter referred to as BASA Sub-Clubs

B. Purpose

1. BASA Sub-Clubs must, as their primary focus, substantially contribute to the achievement of the BASA mission statement (article I.C.1).
2. BASA Sub-Clubs must, as their secondary focus, have their own mission statement.

C. Membership

1. Membership of the BASA Sub-Clubs is limited to the general student body of the University of the Fraser Valley.
2. Board of Directors
 - i. (article IV.A).
 - ii. The Board of Directors of each BASA Sub-Club shall be composed of:
 - a. (article IV.B.1.iv-vii).
 - b. General Representatives – one (1) representative
 - 1) Each BASA Sub-Club may give this position a unique title.
3. Restrictions on Membership of the Board of Directors

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4. Sub – Club Constitutions

i. ASFV

- a. Mission: To help provide accounting students in the Fraser Valley the most engaging learning experience and help students achieve success in their careers. We intend on accomplishing this by creating a network through which we provide students with opportunities to connect with their peers, gain experience, and network with accounting professionals in fun social settings. To help provide accounting students in the Fraser Valley the most engaging learning experience and help students achieve success in their careers. We intend on accomplishing this by creating a network through which we provide students with opportunities to connect with their peers, gain experience, and network with accounting professionals in fun social settings.
- b. Organization Structure
 - 1)President; as voted during BASA Elections
 - 2)Vice President; as voted during BASA Elections
- c. A position selected by previous ASFV Board by submission of resumes – previous HR president has to interview or be present. Because of this job descriptions should be written up. This process happens once the BASA elections are over.
 - 1)Treasurer – voting power
 1. Responsibility- Contact Sponsors including firms and CPA concerning cheques and sponsorship packages. Hold onto checks and had required signature for the signing of the cheques. Approve and document appropriate expense reports for any transaction on the ASFV bank account. This position also helps with tasks related to the club.
 - 2)CPA Representative (selected by CPA or ASFV)
 1. Responsibility- You will be the main contact by the CPA institute and will be required to stay up-to date with new things going on with the CPA. Organizes the CPA Information Events. Responsible for getting the word out to the students about the Case Competition and also arranging for professors to be judges for the UFV case competition.
 - 3)Event Coordinator (1&2) –
 1. Responsibility- Organize the events, run errands for events. Devise plans for events will require approval from the executive team. These plans would include: a list of task that need to be done and an assign an appropriate and reliable member who is in charge of completing each task in order for the events to run smoothly. Example s would be ordering pizza for the events, researching the events, coming up with more ideas for events, etc.
- d. Warnings and Leaving ASFV
 - 1)ASFV members are to act in a professional manner. If there becomes an issue, it is to be brought to the President and Vice President of ASFV. There will be a

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discussion and if needed, a written letter will go out to the student. During a BASA Board meeting this issue will be brought up and the said student will be allowed to appeal and the final decision will be made by the board members of BASA.

- ii. HRSS
 - a. Mission: To organize events that give HR option students opportunities to meet potential employers, gain industry knowledge and learn best practices to be more prepared for their future careers in the field of HR
 - b. Organization Structure:
 - 1)1 President, 1 VP; as voted during BASA elections.
 - 2)Every HR option student is a member of the club.
 - 3)“Active members” consist of members who attend at least one meeting per semester.
 - 4)Ideas are presented by active members to the President and Vice-President where the President makes the ultimate decision whether or not to ask the BASA board for funding
 - c. Board of Director Meetings/Events
 - 1)Minimum of one meeting per month in addition to scheduled BASA meetings
 - 2)Minimum of one industry event/year
 - 3)Large Network/Panel event for employers to explain what they are looking for in a potential candidate and to introduce students to employers.
 - 4)Add more to this once this year’s event is finalized.
 - 5)Minimum of one information session per semester
 - 6)CHRP Info Sessions (HRMA will assist).
 - 7)Small panel events or guest speakers

- iii. MSA
 - a. Mission: To enhance the BBA Marketing program by representing the needs of marketing students, providing both professional and academic opportunities, perform the marketing duties for BASA, and increase business student engagement
 - b. Organization Structure:
 - 1)President; as voted during BASA elections
 - 2)Vice President; as voted during BASA elections
 - 3)Secretary
 - 4)Event Coordinator
 - 5)Advertising
 - 6)Communications/PR
 - 7)Sales
 - 8)General Rep
 - 9)Design
 - c. The MSA sub-club will host a minimum of 1 event per each fall and winter semester. A summer event is optional. Types of events could include, but are not limited to:
 - 1)Info sessions

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- 2) Skill development seminars (poster design, online advertising, copywriting, etc.)
 - 3) Professional nights
 - 4) Community fundraisers
 - 5) Resume, cover letter, business card workshops
 - 6) Marketing competitions
 - 7) New business development workshops
- iv. FSA
- a. Mission: To educate current and prospective finance students in issues related to the finance industry; ranging from career paths, designation opportunities or future schooling avenues. In addition, arrange and deliver a network of potential employers for students to engage with and ultimately utilize the skills and knowledge learned during their degree.
 - b. Organization Structure
 - 1) 1 President, 1 VP; as voted during BASA elections
 - 2) Additional Members may be added based on club demand/interest if required
 - c. Board of Director Meetings/Events
 - 1) Minimum of one meeting per month in addition to scheduled BASA meetings
 - 2) Minimum of one industry event/year
 1. Network/Panel event for employers to explain what they are looking for in a potential candidates.
 2. Add more to this once this year's event is finalized.
 3. Potential revenue Generation Avenue in the future.
 - 3) Minimum of one information session per year
 1. CFA or Graduate Degree Options.
5. (article IV.C) Board of Director Meetings
- i. Quorum is achieved when all of the voting members of the Board of Directors are present.
 - ii. All Board of Directors members have the right to one (1) vote.
 - iii. No Board of Directors member shall hold more than one (1) voting position on the Board of Directors.
 - iv. The President shall convene a Board of Directors meeting if petitioned to do so by a quorum of Board of Directors members.
 - v. Board of Directors meetings must be convened at least once per month during the academic year, excepting the exam period.
 - vi. All Board of Directors meetings shall be open to all members of the BASA Sub-Club
 - vii. Board of Directors meetings must be announced at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting.
 - viii. The proposed agenda of the Board of Directors meetings must be distributed at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting.
6. Responsibilities of the Board of Directors shall be to:
- i. Foster a long-term strategy to fairly and efficiently achieve the mission of BASA
 - ii. Set and approve the annual BASA Sub-Club events and budgets
 - iii. Provide meeting minutes to BASA to be posted on the BASA website.

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- iv. Evaluate and present recommendations for the continuation, discontinuation, or improvement of BASA Sub-Club activities to the incoming Board of Directors prior to turnover.
- 7. Finances
 - i. Signing Authorities
 - a. All three (3) Board of Directors members will have signing authority.
 - b. Signing authorities from previous executives should be transferred to the new executive during the first week of May.
- 8. Elections and Turnover
 - i. (article VI).
- 9. Recall
 - i. Recall of a member of the Board of Directors of BASA Sub-Clubs:
 - a. Any member of the Board of Directors may be removed from office by a referendum, held in accordance with article IX.
 - b. To fill a recalled position, see article VII.I.
- 10. In Term Vacancies
 - i. In the event that any position-holder elected by the general membership of BASA is unable to fulfill their obligations, the Board of Directors of BASA shall designate, by a simple majority vote, an individual to fulfill the duties of that position until an election to fill the vacated position can be held.
 - ii. Subject to article VI.A, the election shall be held within 30 calendar days.

ARTICLE VIII Governance

- A. This Constitution shall remain the law governing the conduct and activity of BASA and the BASA Sub-Clubs.
- B. The rules contained in the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern BASA and the BASA Sub-Clubs in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with this Constitution or any special rules adopted by the general membership of BASA from time to time.
- C. The Board of Directors may create, by a two-thirds (2/3rd) majority vote, further rules and procedures for BASA provided that such rules are consistent with, and subservient to, this Constitution.

ARTICLE IX Referendums

- A. A referendum shall be called by the President of BASA upon:
 - 1. a two-thirds (2/3rds) vote by the Board of Directors, OR
 - 2. a petition, delivered to the President of BASA and signed by one hundred (100) members. The petition must include the petitioners':
 - i. names;
 - ii. student number; AND,

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- iii. the specific request that is to be voted on.
- B. Upon formal receipt of a petition in accordance with article IX.A.2, the Board of Directors and petitioners, or their delegates, henceforth “the parties”, must agree on the wording of the question. Should the parties be unable to agree on the wording, the Ombudsperson shall act as binding arbitrator.
- C. The question posed in a referendum shall be drafted so that it may be answered “yes” or “no”.
- D. Subject to article IX.E, upon the finalization of the wording of the question, the President shall hold the referendum no sooner than seven (7) calendar days, and no later than thirty (30) calendar days.
- E. Referendum shall only be held during the academic year, exempting the exam period.
- F. Should less than fourteen (14) calendar days of the referendum period, established in article IX.D, occur during the academic year, the President may delay the referendum until the first thirty (30) calendar days of the next academic year.
- G. A referendum of BASA shall be acted upon by BASA where:
 - 1. subject to other sections in the Constitution, a simple majority of votes cast support the referendum;
AND
 - 2. at least ten percent (10%) of the registered general membership of BASA has voted.
- H. All referendums shall occur in accordance with the Elections Policy of BASA.

ARTICLE X Recall

- A. Recall of a member of the Board of Directors of BASA:
 - 1. Any member of the Board of Directors may be removed from office by a referendum, held in accordance with article IV.E.8 or article IX.
 - 2. Subject to article VI, section A, an election to fill any recalled elected position shall be held within thirty (30) calendar days.
 - 3. Should less than fourteen (14) calendar days remain in the academic year before the beginning of the exam period, the Elections Officer may delay the election to the first thirty (30) calendar days of the next academic year.

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ARTICLE XI In Term Vacancies

- A. In the event that any position-holder elected by the general membership of BASA is unable to fulfill their obligations, the Board of Directors shall designate, by a simple majority vote, an individual to fulfill the duties of that position until an election to fill the vacated position can be held.
 - i. President must be filled by the Vice President.
 - ii. See Article XI.A for filling Vice President Role.
- B. Subject to article VI.A, the election shall be held within sixty (60) calendar days.

ARTICLE XII Record of Constitution

- A. A copy of this Constitution shall be kept on file at SUS.
- B. A copy of this Constitution shall be published on the BASA website.
- C. In circumstances where there is a disagreement between two or more copies of the BASA Constitution only the copy of the BASA Constitution, kept in the Dropbox electronic files of BASA and contains the signatures of the members of the current Board of Directors, shall be considered the official version.
- D. A record of all past constitutions and amendments must be kept in the BASA electronic Dropbox file.

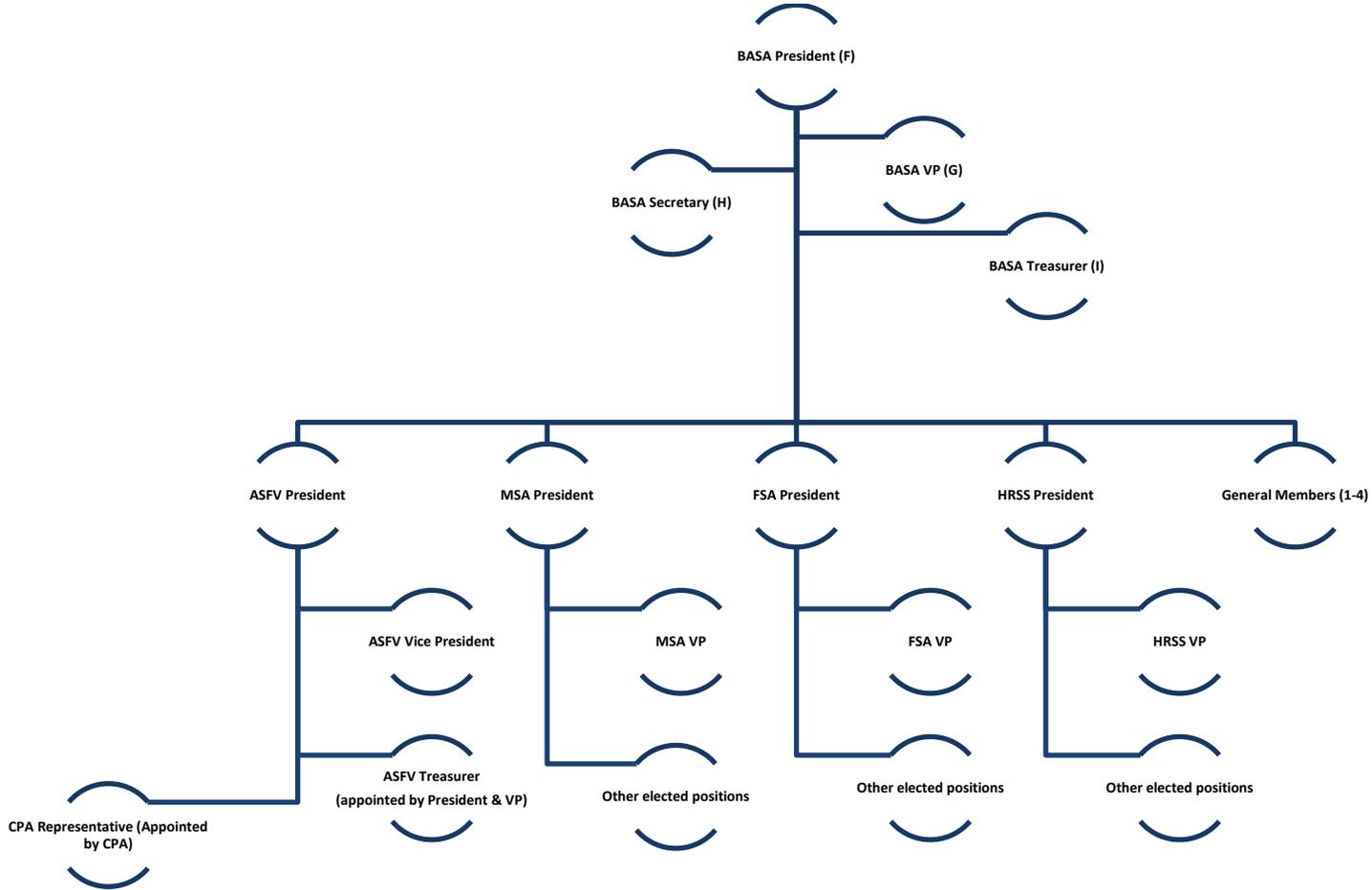
ARTICLE XIII Amendment of the Constitution

- A. This Constitution may only be amended by:
 - 1. A referendum, held in accordance with the BASA Policy (Refer to Article X).
 - 2. A vote to amend the Constitution shall be acted upon by BASA where:
 - i. two-thirds (2/3rds) of the votes cast support the referendum, AND
 - ii. at least ten percent (10%) of the registered general membership of BASA have cast a vote.
 - 3. Should a parent or subsidiary organization change its name, references in this Constitution to that organization shall be changed to reflect the new name of the organization.

ARTICLE XIV Implementation

- A. Effective Date
 - 1. By the power of a vote of two-thirds (2/3rd) majority or greater of at least ten percent (10%) of the registered General Membership of BASA, this Constitution will come into effect on August 31, 2010

ARTICLE XV BASA Organization Structure



ARTICLE XVI Spirit of the Document

- A. In the event that something was missed in the preceding document, the spirit of the document shall be taken.