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Associated Student Government Application for Razorback Action Group (RAG), 2015-2016

The application period for the Razorback Action Group is open from August 24th to September 4th. These positions are open to all University of Arkansas students and they will serve for the remainder of the academic year. Any questions regarding the <u>RAG</u> should be referred to Chief of Staff Elizabeth Pittman at <u>asgcab1@uark.edu</u> or Director of External Relations Thomas Selig at trselig@email.uark.edu.

All information must be accurate and complete or your application will not be processed.

Applications <u>must</u> be returned to ARKU A665 by September 4th by 12:00p.m. CST. No electronic applications will be accepted. As applications are submitted, interviews *may* be scheduled and conducted.

Name:									
	E-Mail:								
Phone Number:	Number:					Cell Phone Number:			
Classification:	FR	SO	JR	SR	GR	LAW Program	Major/Minor(s):		
Anticipated Graduation Date:						Semesters enrolled at UA-Fayetteville:			
Did you Complete the Fresh HOGS Program:						Top Five Strengths:			
T-shirt size						College of Enrollment:			
Local Address:									
Street							City	State	Zip Code

Please attach a resume.

Please respond to the following questions on a separate piece of paper (all responses must be typed).

1. Why do you want to serve on the Associated Student Government Razorback Action Group?

2. In what ways are you qualified for the positions for which you are applying? Please describe experiences that have prepared you for this role.

3. On which higher education issue are you most excited to work? What are you suggestions to bring changes that would be beneficial for the University of Arkansas student body?

By signing this document I acknowledge and agree to the following (please note the dates & commitments to attend the following):

- 1. I hereby give my consent to the Office of Student Activities (OSA) and the Office of Academic Integrity & Student Conduct (OAISC) to examine my academic and disciplinary records for the purpose of verifying that I meet the requirements for participation in co-curricular activities.
- 2. I understand that if selected, I must abide by the requirements for my position as specified in this packet.
- 3. *I understand that if selected, I will carry out the duties which will be identified in the position's responsibility document should I be offered an appointment.*
- 4. I understand that as an elected representative of ASG I am held to a higher standard and I will abide by the ASG Standard of Ethics (ASG Constitution, Article VII) the Code of Student Life, and the University Mission.
- 5. I understand that all information is accurate and represents my candidacy.
- 6. I understand that I will abide by various Office of Student Activity polices and timelines as it pertains to my position.

Signature of the Applicant

- POSITION REQUIREMENTS -

RAZORBACK ACTION GROUP

- Attendance at biweekly Razorback Action Group meetings is mandatory. Meetings will be Wednesday at 5:00pm.
- Additional one-on-one meeting with the Director of External Relations once a month are *possible*.
- RAG members will likely spend 2-3 hours per week on work and meetings regarding Razorback Action Group initiatives.
- Understanding of various policies associated with position and responsibilities including deadlines, budget identification, request forms, proper event planning, marketing, and other policies.
- Participation at the annual "Student Day at the Capitol" event in Little Rock during the fall 2015 semester. We will leave in the afternoon on November 4th, and return in the afternoon on November 5th.

Razorback Action Group:

The Razorback Action Group is a **nonpartisan** advocacy group that represents the interests of the University of Arkansas student body. Members of the Razorback Action Group will serve as representatives of the Associated Student Government at the University of Arkansas, in local, state, and federal special interests. They will work on behalf of students to assure that government officials at all levels are aware of the most important issues to our student body. This team will explore ways throughout the year to unite and excite our student body when it comes to governmental relations and higher education issues.

Additional Position Expectations

• Ability to work with existing on-campus organizations of any partisan label on higher education issues and legislation

PLEASE SPECIFY DAYS AND TIMES IN WHICH YOU HAVE 30 MINUTES AVAILABLE FOR AN INTERVIEW DURING THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 7^{TH} to September 11TH.