

CONSTITUTION OF THE DRAMATIS PERSONAE

Article I. Name of the Organization

The organization shall be known as Dramatis Personae.

Article II. Purpose

Section 1. To sponsor trips, locally and in New York, for the purpose of educating interested students in the many disciplines of Dramatic Art for their enjoyment as well as enrichment.

Section 2. To provide an arena for both professional and non-professional companies to express their views through the drama media.

Section 3. To involve interested students in a group participation in which working together for a common goal takes priority over individual success.

Section 4. To provide members with experiences which will open to them various doors into the cultural activities and social life of their future communities.

Section 5. To provide a constructive outlet for the talents and energies of interested students.

Article III. Membership

All fee paying students, whether full or part time, are eligible for membership.

Article IV. Dues

No dues are to be required of members.

Article V. Officers

Section 1. The officers shall be a President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary.

Section 2. The President of Dramatis Personae shall:

- a. act as president officer at meetings,
- b. be responsible for fulfilling the directive of the club,
- c. represent the Dramatis Personae at Student Government meetings,
- d. establish the proper relationship between the Dramatis Personae and the Student-Faculty Association,
- e. call for special or emergency meetings, and
- f. appoint committees.

Section 3. The Vice President of Dramatis Personae shall

- a. assist the President as required,
- b. fulfill the duties of the President in the President's absence,
- c. and attend all committee meetings and report of their progress to the President.

Section 4. The Treasurer of Dramatis Personae shall

- a. Disburse club funds upon authorization,
- b. Keep an accurate record of receipts and disbursements, and
- c. make financial statements.

Section 5. The Secretary of Dramatis Personae shall

- a. keep an accurate record of all meetings and maintain a roll of members,
- b. maintain official files of club materials, including press releases, photographs, production assignments and committee reports,
- c. assist the President with club correspondence, and
- d. notify the Director of Student Activities of all club events that are scheduled.

Article VI. Elections

Section 1. Elections shall take place in October

Section 2. The term of office shall be from October through September or through June in the case of second year members.

Section 3. The President or Vice President have the right to call a special meeting for the purpose of impeaching an officer for failure to fulfill his responsibilities to the club. A majority vote of the entire membership is required for impeachment.

Section 4. In the event of any vacancy, a special election shall be held for that office.

Section 5. The necessary vote for election into office is a majority of the number of voting members at the election meeting.

Article VII. Meetings

Section 1. Meetings will be held at least every other week at a time previously agreed upon by the majority of members present.

Section 2. The President has the right to call special meetings when necessary.

Section 3. Special meetings called will be posted.

Article VIII. Amendments

Amendments shall become part of this Constitution when approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of initial members.

Article IX. Ratification

The Constitution shall be effective following ratification by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of initial members.

This club shall not maintain a separate or private bank account, except with the approval of the Student Association Advisory Committee.