## Responsibilities

- Create a positive and productive environment among all officers and members.
- **Recruit and engage new members.**
- Be active within the student organization.
  - Attend meetings, events, and activities.
  - Get involved in creating new and ongoing projects and activities.
  - Volunteer to help where needed in planning for events. *This shows your commitment to the group and may help you obtain an officer position in the future if you desire.*
- Maintain constant two-way communication between officers and members.
- Maintain contact with the student organization advisor and Office of Student Activities (OSA).
- Voice your opinion respectfully. A student organization relies on input from all of its members.
- Be receptive to all member's ideas and contributions.
- Exhibit good leadership, teamwork, decision making, and ethical behavior.
- If you are unhappy with how the student organization is run or with a specific officer:
  - First try to communicate your needs to the officer(s) if you feel comfortable. *It is best to have possible suggestions for improvement if you are offering constructive criticism.*
  - If you are uncomfortable addressing the concerns on your own, contact:
    - Your student organization’s advisor.
    - The Office of Student Activities (OSA) Assistant Director of Leadership and Organizations.

## Suggestions

- Attend [Take the Lead](#) sessions.
- Attend [Leading the Way](#) sessions.
- Attend the [Annual Student Organization Assembly](#) in the fall.
- Nominate for [Student Organization Advisor](#), [Student Leader](#), and [Student Organization](#) of the Month through the OSA.
- Join a committee.
  - [Student Organization Advisory Committee (SOAC)](#)
  - [Student Activity Budget Committee (SABC)](#)
  - Other MSUM committees