

## Proposed Bylaw Change

**Title:** Amendment Proposal: Eliminating NACAC (National Association for College Admission Counseling) Membership Requirement for Executive Board Service

**Proposal Overview:** This proposal aims to amend Article 03 of the International ACAC bylaws to remove the prerequisite of NACAC (National Association for College Admission Counseling) membership for Executive Board Service. This excludes the Presidential Team, who must remain active members of NACAC for International ACAC to remain compliant with its affiliate agreement.

**Background:** Initially, NACAC membership was mandatory for all Executive Board members due to the requirement of attending the annual NACAC conference.

**Rationale:**

- The Executive Board has voted to waive the responsibility for Executive Board Members to attend the annual NACAC Conference, with the exception of the International ACAC Presidential Team.
- Removing this prerequisite will alleviate the financial burden on board members, as they will no longer need to purchase NACAC memberships. This alteration may also encourage more members to consider serving on the Executive Board.

**Notes:** To enact Bylaw changes, a vote must be conducted among all eligible voting members of International ACAC.

This proposal has been authored by Wilson Lee, President-Elect, and seconded by Daniel Marschner, Vice President for Advocacy and Outreach.

**Please review the proposed bylaw changes outlined below (provided in the right-side column)**

<b>International ACAC Bylaws</b>	<b>Proposed Bylaw Changes (highlighted in red)</b>
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