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## Committee Information

Thank you for your interest in applying for the Connect Brookings committee. The purpose of Connect Brookings is to:

**To be a leader in the Brookings area’s workforce retention effort, connecting SDSU students, young professionals, and new residents with the community at-large.**

### Overview of Committee

The Connect Brookings committee is comprised of volunteers who are selected through an application process. Committee members are sought to provide a balanced skill set and have major responsibility for developing and promoting the mission, programs, and image of Connect Brookings.

### Activities

Socials and Networking Events – Monthly  
New Resident Welcome Events - Summer  
SDSU Football Event – Fall  
SDSU Student Programming - Spring

### Qualifications & Expectations

A high level of commitment is expected to accomplish Connect Brookings’ mission and goals.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Leadership experience; a team player; a listener; able to commit time and resources; and to be a representative of a Chamber member business/organization.

**MEETING ATTENDANCE:** Regularly:

- Dedicate approximately 3-6 hours per month.
- Monthly committee meetings.
- Population subcommittees (expected to serve on at least one).
- Attend luncheons, Summit, socials, and other special events as determined by the committee.

**COMMITTEE MEMBER ROLE:** Attend meetings, assist with duties as assigned, become well educated about the organization, promote Connect Brookings in the community to increase attendance at events, and serve in leadership positions as needed.

**COMMITTEE COMPOSITION:** Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, up to 12 board members, and Chamber Staff Liaison.

**RESIGNATION:** Should be in writing to Staff Liaison.

## Committee Member Application

Please complete the following info. Return to [info@brookingschamber.org](mailto:info@brookingschamber.org). The committee may follow up with additional questions prior to selection.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / Zip: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Company / Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please respond to the following questions:*

**Why would you like to be part of the Connect Brookings Committee?**

**Does your schedule allow availability to participate in the majority of all Connect Brookings activities and meetings?** (Please review *Qualifications & Expectations* as outlined.)

**Core Competencies** (Please indicate the areas where you excel personally and professionally)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Event Promotion (Assist the committee promote events to our audiences)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Donation Solicitation (Comfortability with asking Brookings Area Businesses for donations)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Event Planning (Assist with the development and planning of committee events)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Leadership Ability (Interest in committee leadership roles)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Networking (Introducing individuals at events, speaking at events, etc.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Community Connections (Vast professional network, ability to build connections, etc.)

**The Connect Brookings Committee is made up of three subcommittees representing the populations we aim to serve. Please select a minimum of one subcommittee that you would like to serve on:**

- Student Subcommittee
- Young Professional Subcommittee
- New Resident Welcome Subcommittee

**Do you have additional comments that will help us understand how you ranked yourself or supporting explanations to illustrate your experience in the following competencies?**

**List other organizations / volunteer groups you are involved with as well as your role within that organization group. Please list the date you joined, time commitment, and if it is still an organization/group you are active with. If not, list final date/year of involvement.**

If you have any questions regarding Connect Brookings,  
please contact us at [info@brookingschamber.org](mailto:info@brookingschamber.org).

## Thank You!