



**K A U P A**  
Korean-American University Professors Association  
**북미 한인 대학교수 협회**  
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## **Guidelines for the Formation of a Local Chapter**

KAUPA (Korean American University Professors Association)

Korean Americans working in higher education institutions are encouraged to form a local chapter of KAUPA.

1. [Eligibility] Members of the local chapter are professors, research scientists, post-docs, and academic administrators in colleges, universities, community colleges, and technical colleges in the metropolitan area.
2. [Purpose] The local chapter promotes scholarly cooperation and networking among the members. Professionally more established members may want to mentor junior members in their career development (job search, promotion, or grant writing) in the same or different institutions.
3. [Officers] The local chapter must elect the President. The President shall function as a liaison to KAUPA. If deemed necessary, the local chapter may elect other officers.
4. [Membership fees] The members are required to pay membership fees (\$20 per year or \$300 for the lifetime) to KAUPA. 100% of the membership fees revenue will be returned to the President of the local chapter to support the chapter's activities.
5. [Activities] The local chapter may sponsor any scholarly, professional, or social events that would be beneficial to its members.
6. [Expense] KAUPA will help to defray the cost of the organization meeting up to \$500.

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