

The Student Government Association Elections Board is excited to announce the upcoming election for the 2017-2018 SGA Executive Officers and Senate to be held on March 7, 2017. Information sessions will be held on February 6 and 12 at 6:00pm in the Ferguson Center for any student wishing to learn more about the process.

The complete timeline with all important dates is included below. Changes to the timeline this year include an Official Release of Candidates Press Conference and a Campaign Kick-off Forum. Statements of Intent, debate sponsorship applications and all other election information will be available later this month through a redesigned [vote.ua.edu](http://vote.ua.edu).

If you have any questions, feel free to email [sgaelections.sa.ua.edu](mailto:sgaelections.sa.ua.edu) or EB Chair - Keeli Mallory: [klmallory@crimson.ua.edu](mailto:klmallory@crimson.ua.edu)

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Location</b>
January 11th	8:00am	Announcement of Election and Timeline	sga.ua.edu
January 30th	8:00am	Spring Elections Board Manual Released	sga.ua.edu
January 30th	8:00am	Candidate Statements of Intent Available	sga.ua.edu
February 6th	6:00pm	Candidate Information Meeting (Optional)	Ferguson Heritage Room
February 12th	6:00pm	Candidate Information Meetings (Optional)	Ferguson Forum
February 15th	5:00pm	Statements of Intent Due	sga.ua.edu
February 15th	5:00pm	Debate and Forum Sponsorship Applications Due	sga.ua.edu
February 20th and 21st	6:00pm	Mandatory Candidate Information Trainings - <i>All Candidates and Top 5 Campaign Staff must attend one meeting. Official Campaign Headshots will be taken at these meetings.</i>	Ferguson Ballroom
February 21st	10:00pm	Official Release of Candidates	sga.ua.edu
February 23rd	6:00pm	Campaigning Kick-Off Forum	Ferguson Great Hall
February 24th	12:01am	Official Campaigning Begins	
March 3rd	5:00pm	Preliminary Financial Disclosure Form Due	sga.ua.edu
March 2nd	7:00pm	Senate and Executive Candidate Forum	Ferguson Ballroom
March 5th	6:00pm	Presidential Debate	Ferguson Ballroom
March 7th	5:00pm	Final Financial Disclosure Statements Due	sga.ua.edu
March 7th	7am-7pm	General Election Voting	Mybama
March 7th	7:00pm	Official Campaigning Ends (unless extended for run-off)	
March 9th	7am- 7pm	Run-off Election Voting (if needed)	Mybama