

Employer Identification Number (EIN)

What is an EIN?

An EIN is identifier issued by the IRS for tax purposes. When student organizations open a bank account, an EIN is required. This EIN allows student organizations to be exempt from taxes.

How can I check if I have an EIN?

If you have a bank account open, you more than likely have an EIN. If you call your bank and ask, you will be able to obtain this information. Calling your bank is the most recommended option to get this information. If you provided this information to Student Activities (or a past officer in your organization has), you can find this information on your organization's Simplicity homepage.

Where can an EIN be acquired?

EIN are given when student organizations register for one at IRS.gov. A link is provided below for you to use to apply for an EIN.

[https://www.irs.gov/Businesses/Small-Businesses-&Self-Employed/Apply-for-an-Employer-Identification-Number-\(EIN\)-Online](https://www.irs.gov/Businesses/Small-Businesses-&Self-Employed/Apply-for-an-Employer-Identification-Number-(EIN)-Online)