Women In Technology Charter

**Article I: Name**
Women In Technology (WIT)

**Article II: Club Establish and Purpose**

Section A. WIT was founded with the intention of encouraging interdisciplinary learning, one of Pitzer core values. The environment for the students in humanity and social science has been well established in Pitzer community. The discussion in technology-related industry nevertheless rarely happen. The implement of Computer Science course at Pitzer inspired the founders of WIT to form an organization where students are encouraged to get involved in the discipline of technology. Provided that people tend to feel more comfortable to express themselves within a group of shared identity, students who identify as female are highly preferable but WIT does not exclude other genders.

Section B. The purpose of WIT is to exist as a formation base where Pitzer students in all disciplines feel comfortable to share their knowledge regarding any technology-related topics with fellow students. WIT intends to be a bridge between students and technology industry. Workshops and forums will be held on regular basis where all of Pitzer are invited. Topics include but not limit to course information, research breakthrough, latest product release, etc. WIT will invite professors, alumni and other scholars to share their experiences in the technology industry in order to facilitate students who are considering to pursue a technology-related career.

**Article III: Members**
All Pitzer students are eligible to become a member. Students who identify as female are strongly encouraged to join.

**Article IV: Officers and Officer Responsibilities**

Section A. The President serves as official spokesperson and representative of WIT who is responsible of organizing and overseeing meeting as well as facilitating the elections. The President also proposes who the next President will be.

Section B. The Treasurer is the official representative of WIT for financial matters, who is in charge of all financial aspects of WIT.

Section C. The Secretary is the head of all WIT communication and responsible for taking and reporting meeting minutes.

**Article V: Criteria for Decision-Making**

Section A. All decision-making process will go through a vote by a majority of active club member, including club meeting schedule, budget decision, public workshops and forums, etc.

Section B. All individuals holding office must be registered Pitzer students. The President will be nominated by former President and other officer positions will be open to application at the end of year or semester as needed. All officers will be elected by majority vote of the student members voting at the elections meeting. Elections will be held yearly or semesterly as needed to fill positions. In case of resignation of an officer in middle of a semester, a special elections meeting will be held to fill the position. There is no limitation on the number of positions an individual may hold.