



FACT SHEET

MISSION: NEXT GEN FEMMES' mission is to foster a community of young female professionals to build successful leaders in the entertainment industry.

PURPOSE: NEXT GEN FEMMES recognizes that success in the entertainment industry comes not only from practical experience, but also from substantial relationship building. Therefore, one of the main purposes of the organization is to provide a platform for networking and a foundation for building these crucial relationships.

NGF stands apart from other networking organizations because it allows members to take an active role in shaping the organization by combining resources on projects to improve their careers, as well as plan events, both charitable and social.

In addition to the implementation of an e-mail tracking board, the organization arranges regular activities and events throughout the year, including monthly cocktails, lunches and brunches, guest speaker events, fundraisers and community service activities. NGF has also recently established a writers and readers' development group called ChickLits.

The organization is currently a corporation in the process of obtaining non-profit status.

MEMBERSHIP: NEXT GEN FEMMES has over 400 members at different stages in their careers and across all entertainment fields. These bright, young women hold various positions ranging from Executive Assistants to Creative Executives, Production and Acquisitions Executives, Agent Trainees, Agents, Writers, Directors, Producers, Publicists, Entertainment Marketing Managers, among many others.

COMITTEES: **CHICKLITS** – NGF ChickLits, started by Cinamin Lee, is a working group of select NGF members dedicated to furthering their careers in development and production for feature film, television and stage through collaborative efforts on various written properties. ChickLits members are writers with projects; development professionals; aspiring critics; managers; agents; producers or anyone else who can read and contribute to the process of improving and refining a script or story for film, television, or stage.

EVENTS COMMITTEE – These women plan NGF'S calendar of networking events, including monthly cocktails, guest speaker events, day trips, weekend excursions, and large-scale co-ed events. All events are open for sponsorship. Please visit our website to view information on past and future events.

FUNDRAISING & COMMUNITY OUTREACH –The fundraising committee works to establish relationships with outside organizations and financial donors to help fund NGF's initiatives for the internship program, finishing funds for media-related projects and financial resources to sustain the organization as a whole. Through volunteer services, the fundraising committee also aims to involve the NGF membership with local charities and community organizations that are affiliated with the entertainment industry. Most recently, NGF raised money for the *Avon Walk for Breast Cancer* and donated canned food and toys to the *Genesee Center for Domestic Violence* in Los Angeles.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM – NGF is currently preparing to launch an internship program for the summer of 2008, which involves arranging internships for two college women, along with a three-month stipend and the opportunity to network with current members. Funds raised from past NGF events will benefit this program.

LUNCHESS AND BRUNCHES – This committee plans monthly lunches and weekend brunches for NGF members to converse outside of the office at different meeting locations across the LA area. Monthly brunches will include guest mid-level executives in the industry, providing a chance for NGF members to ask career-related questions in a more intimate setting.

WEBSITE – plans and coordinates every detail of the NGF site, e-mail tracking board and blog. This committee is also constructing a members-only component, which will provide member contact information and space for posting relevant industry resources, such as scripts, contract templates and tracking research.

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