

The constitution of the Students' Union UCL

Hip-Hop & RnB Society

1. Name

- 1.1. The name of the society shall be the Students' Union UCL Hip-Hop & RnB Society.
- 1.2. The society shall be affiliated to Students' Union UCL.

2. Statement of Intent

- 2.1. The constitution, regulations, management and conduct of the society shall abide by all Students' Union UCL Policy, and shall be bound by the Students' Union UCL Memorandum and Articles of Association and Byelaws, the Club and Society Regulations and the Club and Society Procedures and Guidance, laid out in "how to guides".
- 2.2. The club/society stresses that it abides by Students' Union UCL Equal Opportunities Policies, and that club/society regulations pertaining to membership of the club/society or election to management of the club/society shall not contravene this policy.
- 2.3. The Club and Society Regulations can be found at the following website:
www.studentsunionucl.org

3. The Society Committee

President

- 3.1. The President's primary role is laid out in section 5.7 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.2. You may add specific details to the job description of your President if you wish.

Treasurer

- 3.3. The Treasurer's primary role is laid out in section 5.8 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.4. You may add specific details to the job description of your Treasurer if you wish.

Additional committee members While you may have as many committee members as you choose we advise that you only put the essential positions in your constitution.

Vice president

Head of Music

Welfare Officer

3.5. Specific job details of additional committee members.

The vice president is the main person responsible with networking with other societies to produce joint initiative events and ensure strong relationships between our society and others. Head of Music is main responsibility is to provide a platform for the creators and producers within UCL to have an opportunity to develop and show off their music talent. Welfare Officer is main responsibility is to ensure that members of the society all feel safe and included in all activities, as well as being an easy link between the president and the members.

- 3.6. Management of the club/society shall be vested in the club/society committee which shall endeavour to meet regularly during term time (excluding college reading weeks) to organise and evaluate the club/society activities.
- 3.7. The committee members will perform the roles as described in section 5 of the Students' Union UCL Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.8. Committee members are elected to represent the interests and well-being of club/society members and are able to be held to account. If club/society members are not satisfied by the performance of their representative officers they may call for a motion of no-confidence in line with the Students' Union UCL Club and Society Regulations.

4. Terms, Aims and Objectives

4.1. The club/society shall hold the following as its aims and objectives.

For the 2019/2020 academic year, the society wishes to: Provide a platform for music creators to get together and develop their talent. Provide a live platform for music creators to show off their talent. Produce a variety of showcase talks on important issues such as, mental health, and knife crime. Give back to the community via charity initiatives. Create a friendly and welcoming social environment for all lovers of Hip Hop and RnB music.

4.2. The club/society shall strive to fulfil these aims and objectives in the course of the academic year as its commitment to its membership.

4.3. The core activities of the society shall be: Host a debate on whether hip hop is sexist. Host a debate on whether hip hop has changed, and how the genre will be in the future. Host a mental health talk. Host a welcome drink, and welcome night out. Host a Christmas karaoke session. Host a live music show during the month of march. Organise performances.

4.4. In addition, the club/society shall also strive to organise other activities for its members where possible: Host a bi-weekly album club session. Host a weekly or bi-weekly session for artists to show their music and get feedback. Host at least one club night out or concert per term. Host a march karaoke session. Host a hip hop dance class. Host weekly or bi-weekly meetups for artists to collaborate for our UCL mixtape. Have working artists in London to come in and give talks.

- 4.5. This constitution shall be binding on the club/society officers and shall only be altered by consent of two-thirds majority of the full members present at a society general meeting. Activities Network Executive shall approve any such alterations.
- 4.6. This constitution has been approved and accepted as the Constitution for the Students' Union UCL **Hip-Hop & RnB Society**. By signing this document the President and Treasurer have declared that they have read and abide by the Students' Union UCL Clubs and Societies Regulations.

President name: Hugo French

Treasurer name: Anas Zabadne

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