

2024-25 Constitution of Students' Union UCL

Alternative Proteins Society

1. Name

- 1.1. The name of the club/society shall be Students' Union UCL Alternative Proteins Society.
- 1.2. The Club/Society shall be affiliated to Students' Union UCL.

2. Statement of Intent

- 2.1. The constitution, regulations, management and conduct of the club/society shall abide by all Students' Union UCL policy, and shall be bound by the <u>Students' Union UCL Memorandum & Articles of Association</u>, <u>Byelaws</u>, <u>Club and Society Regulations</u> and the club and society procedures and guidance laid out in the '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 the club/society shall not contravene this policy.
- 2.3. The Club and Society Regulations can be found on the following webpage:

 http://studentsunionucl.org/content/president-and-treasurer-hub/rules-and-regulations.

3. Committee

- 3.1. President
 - 3.1.1. The Presidents' primary role is laid out in section 5.7 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.2. Treasurer
 - 3.2.1. The treasurer's primary role is laid out in section 5.8 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.3. Welfare Officer
 - 3.3.1. The Welfare Officers' primary role is laid out in section 5.9 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.4. Additional Committee Members

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3.5. Additional Committee Members

3.5.1. Events Officer

- 3.5.1.1. Event planning and organisation: devising ideas for events that align with the society's goals and interests. Organising events and logistics for the event such as room booking, equipment and promotion.
- 3.5.1.2. Personnel management: ensuring appropriate numbers of event organising individuals or committee members are present at events.
- 3.5.1.3. Event evaluation: after each event, the events officer should evaluate the success of the event, gather feedback from attendees, and identify areas for improvement.
- 3.6. Management of the club/society shall be vested in the club/society committee which will endeavour to meet regularly during term time (excluding UCL reading weeks) to organise and evaluate club/society activities.
- 3.7. The committee members shall 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 accountable to their members. 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.
- 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 club/society shall be:
 - 4.3.1. Organising Speaker events and panel discussions to improve awareness and create discussion of the alternative proteins field;
 - 4.3.2. Provide regular updates on the latest developments in the alternative proteins field through our Instagram account; and
 - 4.3.3. Provide opportunities for individuals interested in the alternative proteins field to meet and socialise through restaurant meet-ups, picnics, and dedicated networking events.
- 4.4. In addition, the club/society shall also strive to organise other activities for its members where possible:

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- 4.4.1. Allow members to sign up to our mentorship programme, where we match them with industry or research professionals for a one-off discussion online or in person
- 4.4.2. Facilitate research communication around alternative proteins at UCL, especially encouraging interdisciplinary research
- 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 club/society general meeting.

 The Activities Executive shall approve any such alterations.
- 4.6. This constitution has been approved and accepted as the Constitution for the Students' Union UCL Alternative Proteins Society. By signing this document, the President and Treasurer have declared that they have read and abide by the Students' Union UCL Club and Society Regulations.

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Treasurer		Yuqing Cao
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