

2024-25

Constitution of Students' Union UCL

Sailing Club

1. Name

- 1.1. The name of the club/society shall be Students' Union UCL [Sailing Club](#).
- 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 [Students' Union UCL Memorandum & Articles of Association](#), [Byelaws](#), [Club and Society Regulations](#) 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

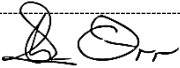

- 3.1. President
 - 3.1.1. The Presidents' primary role is laid out in section 5.7 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.2. Treasurer
 - 3.2.1. The treasurer's primary role is laid out in section 5.8 of the Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.3. Welfare Officer
 - 3.3.1. The Welfare Officers' primary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

- 3.4.1. Vice Commodore
 - 3.4.1.1. Organises the annual Team Racing events, assists the President/Treasurer and oversees the day-to-day affairs of the club.
- 3.4.2. Secretary
 - 3.4.2.1. Manages the club email and handles any enquiries, sponsorships and kit orders.
- 3.4.3. Race Captain
 - 3.4.3.1. Oversees the training of experienced sailors for racing and team selection. Organises entries for competitions.
- 3.4.4. Development Officer
 - 3.4.4.1. Manages the training of beginner sailors and further development of experienced sailors in the Instructor Pathway.
- 3.4.5. Bosun
 - 3.4.5.1. Provides maintenance for our fleet of Fireflies and the club RIB.
- 3.4.6. Social Secretary (x2)
 - 3.4.6.1. Organises social events for Club Members and the social media accounts.
- 3.5. 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.
- 3.6. The committee members shall perform the roles as described in section 5 of the Students' Union UCL Club and Society Regulations.
- 3.7. 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. Promote the teaching and participation in the sport of dinghy sailing.
 - 4.3.2. Provide race coaching for experienced sailors by an instructor or accredited coach.

- 4.3.3. Offer the opportunity for beginners to learn to sail and earn qualifications under the RYA National Sailing Scheme.
 - 4.3.4. Participate in the annual BUSA (in representation of BUCS) events.
 - 4.3.5. Attend racing events hosted by other universities and associations (UKTRA, RYA, etc.)
- 4.4. In addition, the club/society shall also strive to organise other activities for its members where possible:
- 4.4.1. Organise an annual abroad sailing trip (Summer Sail Week).
 - 4.4.2. Organise an inclusive range of social activities.
 - 4.4.3. Host an annual Team Racing event for other universities and sailing clubs to partake in.
 - 4.4.4. Support members in achieving additional qualifications within powerboating, first aid, yachting and instructor schemes.
- 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 [Sailing Club](#). 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.

President	Name: Alec Orr Prosper <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> Signature:  <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> Date: 24/06/2024
Treasurer	Name: Issy Leetch <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> Signature:  <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> Date: 24/06/2024