

## Ecology Club Constitution

**Article I**

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Section 1: Name:

Ecology Club

Section 2: Purpose:

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### Section 1: Description of Officers' Positions and Duties

President: The Club's President will run the general meetings, plan for and lead meetings of the Executive Committee, arrange for guests and guest speakers when appropriate.

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### Section 1: Committee Utilization

Dependent upon the size of the club, committees will be utilized if the executive committee is not able to hear all the concerns of the members, effectively execute club meetings, or plan events accordingly. Committee members should attend executive committee meetings, but will not have

## Section 2: Removal of Officers

In the event that one or more of the above officers no longer meets the expectations of the position, the remaining officers may vote and, by simple majority, remove said officer from his/her position. Depending on the needs of the club or the timing in the year (closeness to the next election), the officers may either appoint a new officer or take up the duties between themselves.

## Section 3: Selection of General Members

Membership to the club is open and there is no selection process. Members will not be asked to pay dues, unless approved by vote in an official meeting.

## Section 4: Removal of General Members

Removal of members will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis, but will follow the guidelines below. In cases of suspension/banishment from club meetings or events, offending members will not be ~~allowed to attend~~ ~~participate~~ ~~attend~~ ~~participate~~. Offending members may

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## Section 5: Understudies

To create a fluid transition from the incumbent to succeeding officers, elected members may shadow the Club's officers. After officer elections as detailed in Article VI Section 1, understudies may attend executive committee meetings, but will remain as general members until they assume their positions as Club officers at the start of the next academic year. Understudies will not have voting privileges at executive committee meetings, nor will they stand in for current officers.

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#### Section 1: Advisor(s)

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#### Section 1: General Meetings

Official meetings for the Club's members will be held the first Tuesday of each month during club hours each academic semester (except Summer), which totals between six and eight meetings per semester. All members will be notified of the time and place of each meeting at least four days before the meeting.

#### Section 2: Quorum at General Meetings

For meetings of the Club's general membership, a quorum is defined as greater than 50% of the members who are eligible to vote.

#### Section 3: Executive Committee Meetings

The Executive Committee will meet as necessary during the "off weeks" from the Club's general meetings, and otherwise communicate through email as often as necessary to conduct the Club's business.

#### Section 4: Quorum at Executive Committee Meetings

For meetings of the Club's Executive Committee, the Club's President and any two

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