

# The HackSoc Proposal

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## 1 Overview

their peers, and provide adequate infrastructure for this to occur

### 1.1 Events >*We will...*

- Have weekly meetings in order to establish details about new events
- Have weekly programming project presentations
- Organize social events for people interested in the IT subject
- Organize Hackathons
- Have speakers from industry talking about their experience and topics at University
- Organize Hackathons Teams that will represent HackSoc at MLH/Other

### 2.2 Special Events

We would hope to organise regular 'hackathons'. A hackathon is an event in which participants are given a particular brief and given a limited amount of time to create and present their solution. This solution is then usually judged to a specific criteria and the best solution is selected. Often this would involve some sort of prize.

### 1.2 Benefits >*We will provide...*

- Easy access to open-source under-development projects
- Full access to learning resources
- Fully accessible discord channel
- Non-formal teaching sessions where we will try to introduce programming to everyone interested

### 1.3 Society Development

Our priority is to maximise the number of people interested in programming and IT by having fun social events where everyone can share their opinion about the subject.

## 2 Events

### 2.1 Weekly Meetings

Our weekly meetings will be for the members of HackSoc to get together, discuss their projects and ideas, make friends, and generally become better acquainted with each other. On occasion this weekly meeting may be overtaken by a specific event; be this a 'social' or an organised speaker/presentation. A meeting place for the regular meetings is yet to be found, we suspect this will be a bar or public house in the local area. At this meeting we would give time to any member who wanted to present their projects to