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"Constitution of the Premier University Computer Club (PUCC)"



Premier University Computer Club

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Article 1: Name and Logo

- 1. The name of this organization shall be the **Premier University Computer Club** (**PUCC**).
- 2. This logo represents Premier University Computer Club.



Figure 1.1: Premier University Computer Club Logo

Article 2: Purpose

- 1. The purpose of PUCC is to:
 - o Foster technical excellence by providing a platform for students to explore and specialize in various domains of technology.
 - o Encourage interdisciplinary collaboration, innovation, and teamwork among members.
 - Prepare members for academic competitions, certifications, and professional opportunities.
 - o Promote community engagement, mentorship, and outreach through technological initiatives.

Article 3: Club Branding and Publicity

- 1. All club events and materials must align with PUCC's branding and values.
- 2. Public Relations Officers are responsible for maintaining a positive public image.

Article 4: Membership

Section 4.1: Eligibility

- 1. Membership is open to all students of the Premier University CSE Department who demonstrate interest, passion, and dedication to the club's activities.
- 2. Membership categories:
 - Members:
 - Students of any semester can join the Competitive Programming wing.
 - Students in the 5th to 8th semesters can join any other wing.
 - Observers:
 - Students in the 1st to 4th semesters (excluding Competitive Programming) who wish to learn and prepare for full participation.
- 3. Members must register and be approved by the President or Vice President.

Section 4.2: Membership Renewal

1. Membership must be renewed at the start of each semester through a registration process.

Section 4.3: Membership Termination

- 1. Members may resign by notifying the Secretary and returning borrowed club property.
- 2. Membership may be terminated due to rule violations, misconduct, or inactivity, as determined by the executive team.

Article 5: Organizational Structure

Section 5.1: Executive Team

The leadership roles and responsibilities are as follows:

1. President

- o Lead meetings, events, and strategy discussions.
- o Represent the club in official matters and liaise with university authorities.
- o Ensure coordination between the wings and the executive team.
- o Resolve conflicts and ensure effective communication within the club.

2. Vice President

- o Support the President in managing day-to-day operations.
- o Oversee the execution of events and initiatives.
- o Maintain standards in wing operations.

3. Secretary

- o Maintain meeting minutes and club records.
- o Organize and manage club events and meetings.
- o Handle club correspondence and announcements.

4. **Division Lead** (1 Lead per Division; 7 in total)

- o Plan and execute wing-specific activities and events.
- Report progress to the President and Vice President.
- o Guide members within their division and ensure team collaboration.

5. Treasurer

- o Prepare and maintain the club's financial records.
- o Oversee budgeting for events, workshops, and competitions.
- o Handle funding requests and report on the financial health of the club.

6. Recruitment and Public Relations Officer

- o Manage recruitment drives and onboarding new members.
- o Organize and promote club events on social media and other platforms.

7. **Executive Member** (7 members total)

- o Assist in organizing events, workshops, and contests.
- Take on specific tasks as needed by the President, Division Leads, and Recruitment Officer.

8. Trainers (As needed)

- o Conduct regular training sessions on topics relevant to their expertise.
- o Guide members in their learning journeys, offering one-on-one support when needed.
- Create and curate educational materials and resources for the club's development activities.

Section 5.2: Wings

The club will have the following specialized wings:

- 1. Web Devs
- 2. DevOps
- 3. Linux-Based Networking
- 4. Deep Neural Research
- 5. Game and Mobile Development6. IoT and Embedded Systems

Each wing will have a Division Lead for oversight and guidance.

Article 6: Rules and Regulations

Section 6.1: Code of Conduct

- 1. All members must maintain a respectful and inclusive environment. Discrimination, harassment, or any form of misconduct will not be tolerated.
- 2. Friendly competition is encouraged, but collaboration and teamwork take precedence. Members should prioritize mutual support and constructive feedback over individual success.
- 3. Members are expected to behave professionally during club meetings, workshops, events, and external collaborations.

Section 6.2: Attendance and Participation

- 1. Regular attendance at weekly or monthly meetings is expected of all members. Members must inform the club if they are unable to attend.
- 2. Members are expected to actively engage in club events, workshops, contests, and community activities.

Section 6.3: Responsibilities of Members

- 1. Members should actively participate in activities within their respective wings, such as workshops, competitions, and community events.
- 2. Club materials, equipment, and digital assets must be treated with care. Misuse or damage will result in disciplinary action.
- 3. Members involved in projects or competition teams must contribute their time and effort to ensure success.

Section 6.4: Club Property and Resources

1. Equipment must be handled with care, with borrowing requiring prior approval from the executive team.

Section 6.5: Discipline and Conflict Resolution

- 1. Violations of rules or misconduct may result in disciplinary actions, including warnings, event suspensions, or membership termination.
- 2. Conflicts will be addressed transparently, escalating to the President, Vice President, or Advisor if unresolved.

Article 7: Amendments

- 1. Rules may be amended by the committee with majority approval from active members.
- 2. Amendments will be communicated to all members promptly.

Article 8: Advisor

- 1. A faculty member will act as the club's Advisor, providing guidance and oversight.
- 2. Responsibilities include:
 - o Approving budgets and major decisions.
 - Resolving disputes and mentoring members.

Article 9: Leadership and Elections

Section 9.1: Election Process

- 1. General elections for leadership roles will be held at the start of each semester.
- 2. Elections will be overseen by the Advisor to ensure fairness.

Section 9.2: Leadership Terms

1. Leadership roles are held for one semester, with an option for re-election.

Section 9.3: Leadership Transition

- 1. Outgoing leaders must document projects and provide handover notes.
- 2. Incoming leaders will receive mentoring from predecessors.

Article 10: Meetings

- 1. **General Assembly**: Held at the start of each semester for elections and goal-setting.
- 2. **Executive Meetings**: Conducted monthly to review progress.
- 3. Wing Meetings: Organized as needed by Division Leads.

Article 11: Events and Activities

- 1. **Workshops and Seminars**: Each wing will organize at least one workshop or seminar per semester.
- 2. **Competitions and Hackathons**: Organize internal and external contests to enhance skills.
- 3. **Community Engagement**: Activities such as coding camps and mentoring programs will be offered.

Article 12: Alumni Engagement

- 1. Alumni may conduct guest lectures, mentorship programs, and collaborative projects.
- 2. The club will maintain an alumni database to strengthen long-term ties.

Article 13: External Collaborations and Sponsorships

- 1. Collaborations must align with the club's mission and values.
- 2. The executive team and Advisor oversee sponsorships and agreements.
- 3. Sponsorship benefits are reinvested into club activities.

Article 14: Competitions and Awards

- 1. Members are encouraged to participate in regional, national, and international competitions.
- 2. Outstanding contributors will be recognized with awards and certificates.

Article 15: Inter-Club Collaboration

- 1. PUCC will collaborate with other university clubs and external organizations for joint events
- 2. Such collaborations must be approved by the executive team and Advisor.

Article 16: Career Development

- 1. Organize resume-building workshops, mock interviews, and coding challenges.
- 2. Partner with alumni and professionals for referrals and placement support.

Article 17: Community Engagement and Social Impact

- 1. Undertake projects addressing societal challenges, such as accessibility tools or disaster response systems.
- 2. Offer free workshops for local communities to promote technical literacy.

Article 18: Wing Collaboration

- 1. Wings are encouraged to collaborate on multidisciplinary projects and events.
- 2. Joint initiatives will be coordinated by the Vice President and Division Leads.

Article 19: Mentorship Program

- 1. Senior members will mentor new members, particularly observers, to foster learning and growth.
- 2. Mentorship sessions will include skill development, career guidance, and project collaboration.

Article 20: Dispute Resolution and Grievances

- 1. Disputes are mediated by Division Leads or the Secretary, escalated to the Vice President, and resolved by the President or Advisor if needed.
- 2. Members can file grievances anonymously.

Article 21: Conflict of Interest

- 1. Executive members must disclose any conflicts of interest regarding collaborations or funding.
- 2. The Advisor will mediate such situations to ensure transparency.

Article 22: Data Protection and Privacy

- 1. Member data will be collected only for official purposes and handled securely.
- 2. A privacy policy will be shared with members during registration.

Article 23: Intellectual Property

- 1. Projects developed under the club's name or resources belong to the club.
- 2. Contributors will be credited for their work.
- 3. Open-source projects are encouraged, where applicable.

Article 24: Annual Review and Reporting

- 1. An annual report summarizing activities, achievements, and financials will be prepared by the Secretary and Treasurer.
- 2. Feedback from members will guide improvements for the next year.

Article 25: Documentation Standards

- 1. All projects must follow proper documentation standards, ensuring they are reusable and shareable.
- 2. Project leads are responsible for overseeing documentation.

Article 26: Resource Management

- 1. Club resources, such as software licenses and equipment, must be used responsibly.
- 2. The Treasurer maintains a record of resource usage and allocation.

Article 27: Crisis Management

- 1. The executive team will respond swiftly to crises, such as technical issues or event cancellations.
- 2. An emergency fund (managed by the Treasurer) will cover urgent financial needs.

Article 28: Dissolution

- 1. In case of dissolution, all financial accounts must be settled by the Treasurer.
- 2. Remaining funds and assets will be donated to the university or another organization as determined by the Advisor.

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