

Constitution:

ARTICLE I The name of the organization shall be "Rutgers Undergraduate Mathematics Association."

ARTICLE II The purpose of the organization will be to support and encourage the study of undergraduate mathematics by fostering professional growth, development and interest in the mathematical sciences among the students of Rutgers University.

ARTICLE III Membership shall be open to all Rutgers University students and must comply with federal laws prohibiting discrimination on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, disability, atypical hereditary cellular or blood trait, marital status, civil union status, domestic partnership status, military service, and veteran status, and any other category protected by law.

ARTICLE IV The officers of the Executive Board shall be President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Event Coordinator.

Section I The PRESIDENT will be responsible for overseeing all organizational meetings, and seeing that the organization meets its stated goals. The President is responsible for the organization and its actions, and is its representative.

Section II The VICE PRESIDENT will serve in the absence of the President and will serve as chairperson to any of the organization's committees and will oversee all recruitment and retention endeavors for the organization.

Section III The TREASURER shall be responsible for all financial transactions of the organization. The Treasurer shall keep current and accurate records and reports of the organization's financial matters and shall be jointly responsible with the President for approval of all financial transactions with or for the organization and its financial assets.

Section IV The EVENT COORDINATOR shall be responsible for planning and executing all events of the organization. This will involve, but is not limited to: contacting catering services, arranging room reservations, requesting equipment, and scheduling.

ARTICLE V The officers will preside over the election and will tabulate the results unless an incumbent officer is a candidate and in such cases he/she shall not tabulate the

results. Nominations shall be made either from the floor or by self-nomination. Elections will be made by secret ballot, with a majority vote for election.

Section I Nominations shall precede elections by approximately one week.

Section II Any student may only hold one office on the executive board at a time.

Section III If no valid candidates are elected for a particular office, the Executive board shall vote upon an individual to fill the vacancy within three weeks. If at that time no candidate can be found for the vacancy, one of the continuing executive board members shall serve in the vacancy duty until a valid candidate can be elected by the executive board.

Section IV Elections shall take place every year, and Executive Board members may serve more than one term (one year) of office if and only if they are re-elected.

Section V In the event of a sudden vacancy in any executive office, the remaining executive board shall appoint an interim officer until such time as a proper official election may be held for the office.

Article VI An officer can be removed from office through the process of impeachment. Impeachment proceedings may be brought against any executive officer of the organization by any 3 members of the organization. Grounds for impeachment include negligence or abandonment of duty to the organization, severe infraction of University policy while acting under the authority or representation of the organization, or any action which intentionally and maliciously harms the organization and/or any of its members. Such claims must be submitted in writing to the executive board no later than one week prior to a hearing in which all charges will be discussed and decided upon by the executive board. The executive board shall inform the officer of any such charges immediately or as soon as possible of any such claims. The impeachment vote shall be taken at this meeting. The individual being considered for expulsion shall not have a vote and shall not be counted amongst the number of voting members present. A two-thirds vote of the voting members is required to remove a member from office. If the President is the member being considered for expulsion, the Vice President shall run the proceedings.

Article VII Any member may propose an amendment to this constitution in writing, provided to the executive board at least one week prior to a vote by membership. A 2/3

majority shall amend this constitution, subject to the approval of the Office of Student Involvement.

Article VIII This organization shall abide by all applicable laws of the State of New Jersey and the United States.

Article IX This organization shall abide by all applicable rules and regulations of the University and under the privileges as granted by the Division of Student Affairs and by the rules and regulations of the Board of Governors.