**Constitution of the TSU Computer Science Club**

# Article I: Name

Section 1: The name of this organization shall be the TSU Computer Science Club.

# Article II: Purpose

Section 1: The purpose of this organization shall be to host gaming LAN parties,

provide computer science information to fellow students, and present members with the opportunity to participate in hackathons with fellow computer science students.

# Article III: Affiliations

Section 1: This organization is affiliated with Tarleton State University.

# Article IV: Membership

**\***Section 1: The majority of the membership of this organization shall consist of enrolled Tarleton State

University students.

**\***Section 2:

**Nondiscrimination Clause** -This organization and its members shall not discriminate against any individuals for reasons of race, national origin, color, religion, gender, age, veteran status, sexual orientation, and/or ability status.

**Anti-Hazing Clause:**

This organization and its members will not participate in any act that endangers the mental or physical health or safety of a student, or that destroys or removes public or private property; and/or assisting, directing, or in any way causing others to participate in degrading behavior and/or behavior that causes ridicule, humiliation, or embarrassment; and/or engaging in conduct which tends to bring the reputation of the organization, group, or University into disrepute for the purpose of initiation, admission into, affiliation with, or as a condition for continued membership in a group or organization; or as part of any activity of a recognized student organization, student group, and university program

Section 3: Membership in this group shall be open to all who are interested.

Section 4: Members are required to maintain a 2.0 GPA or above.

# Article V: Officers

Section 1: The officers of the organization shall consist of:

President – Tyra Buchanan

Vice President – Cheyenne Holland

Treasurer – Joel Ortiz

Section 2: N/A

Section 3: The term of each office shall be one year from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30.

Section 4: Should an officer’s position become vacant during his/her term, then the lower ranking

officer will have the option to take his/her place. If they decline the position, then a new

officer will be elected.

# Article VI: Advisor

**\***Section 1: Our organization advisor must be a member of the faculty, administration, or staff of Tarleton State University.

Section 2: The duties and responsibilities of the advisor shall be to provide the organization with

internship/job/scholarship opportunities as well as assisting with the organization of events.

Section 3: Should the position of advisor become vacant during the year a new advisor will be selected.

# Article VII: Meetings

Section 1: Regular meetings of the organization shall be held weekly.

Section 2: Special meetings of the organization shall be held as the need arises.

# Article VIII: Amendments

Section 1: This constitution shall be amended by a vote of 2/3 majority of the membership at any regular or special meeting.

Section 2: Provision for advance notice of amendment shall be sent out by email.

Date Ratified: August 13, 2018

**Article IX: Anti-Hazing**

Section 1: The TSU Computer Science Club will not participate in any act that endangers the mental or physical health or safety of a student, or that destroys or removes public or private property; and/or assisting, directing, or in any way causing others to participate in degrading behavior and/or behavior that causes ridicule, humiliation, or embarrassment; and/or engaging in conduct which tends to bring the reputation of the organization, group, or University into disrepute for the purpose of initiation, admission into, affiliation with, or as a condition for continued membership in a group or organization; or as part of any activity of a recognized student organization, student group, and university program.

**By-Laws of TSU Computer Science Club**

# Article I: Membership

Section 1: The procedure for selection of membership shall be decided by a majority vote of the present

membership at any regular or special meeting.

Section 2: Dues for this organization shall be $10 per academic semester.

Section 3: Membership responsibilities shall include regular attendance of meetings and participation in

organizational events.

Section 4: Membership shall be terminated by a majority vote of the present

membership at any regular or special meeting.

# Article II: Selection of Officers

Section 1 The selection of officers shall be done by a majority vote of the present

membership at an election meeting.

Section 2: The provisions for removal of an officer include a majority vote of the membership as well as

approval from the current organization advisor.

# Article III: Selection of Advisor

Section 1: The selection of the advisor shall be decided by a majority vote from the current office holders

of the organization.

Section 2: The provisions for removal of an advisor include a majority vote from the current office

holders of the organization.

# Article IV: Committees

Section 1: N/A

Section 2: N/A

# Article V: Rules of Order

Section 1: This organization shall be governed by Robert’s Rules of Order.

# Article VI: Amendment

Section 1: These by-laws may be amended by a 2/3 majority vote of the membership at any regular or

special meeting.

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