

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 appropriatM

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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 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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