

## SUBU Clubs and Societies New Club Application Response Form

New club and societies applications are reviewed by the clubs and societies awarding committee that meets 4 times in the academic year. This Panel is made of one Student Opportunities Team Member, the VP Student Opportunities, one SUBU Student Engagement Staff Member and one or more student member of the Executive Committee.

This document provides a breakdown of the new clubs/ societies requested and which have been approved.

This information will be made available publicly on the SUBU website.

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**Date of meeting:** 22.11.2022

**Panel members present:** Student Opportunities Manager- Emma Davies, Head of Student Participation, Kerry Dean, SU VP Opportunities

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
Indonesian Student Society	£2
<b>Main Proposed Activities</b>	
As a home for any BU or AUB students from Indonesia.	
To celebrate Indonesian tradition and culture whilst introducing it to international students.	
The 911 call for any Indonesian students with any essential matters such as academics, housing, mental health, etc	
<b>Accepted/ Declined &amp; Comments</b>	
<b>Accepted</b> The Awarding Committee are pleased to see this society being set up to support Indonesian students studying at BU and AUB.	

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
International Events & Interaction	£2.99
<b>Main Proposed Activities</b>	
This club aims to showcase International Cultures and Ethnicities through Country/Culture inspired events, thereby exposing the rich cultural heritage of	

other Countries, and creating a sense of belonging, togetherness and enlightenment to foster healthy coexistence.

The club aims to connect all students, especially International students to not just events that are specific to their Culture/Country, to remind them of home, but also to expose and connect them to other cultures and countries as well, promoting the concept of Ubuntu.

This club aims to curate Events which will nurture positive and long lasting Partnerships with Prestigious brands whom not only align with the school's Vision and mission, but would be perfecting the already reputable brand Image of the University, globally.

**Accepted/ Declined & Comments**

**Accepted**

The Awarding Committee accept this new society based on the below suggestions;

1. There is an existing [international student community](#) and therefore this new society should consider changing the name to better encompass the proposed objectives and ensure that it stands out as a separate student led society. For example, Global Student Society/ World Culture Society.
2. The new society will need to work alongside the existing international student community.
3. The application refers to working with reputable brands that require student patronage, or have students as their target market and therefore this would require a formal sponsorship agreement. You will need to speak to the Student Opportunities Team before setting up any partnerships.

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
Material Girls	£3

**Main Proposed Activities**

- To create an inclusive community for everyone
- To express creativity through our arts and craft meet ups
- To make a good group of friends and memories for life

**Accepted/ Declined & Comments**

**Accepted**

The Awarding Committee are happy to accept this new society but note that the name may not reflect the inclusive nature of the objectives and activities. The committee will need to ensure that the information displayed on the society web page and social media fully explain that the society is open and accessible for all.

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
USB Society	£1

#### Main Proposed Activities

Bring the student DJ community together.

Teach students how to DJ.

Put on student ran events for students

#### Accepted/ Declined & Comments

##### **Accepted**

The new University Sound Bournemouth society is accepted by the Awarding Committee but the committee note that the name USB isn't clear as to the nature of the society and therefore further explanation may be required on the society web page and social media.

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
PENSA	£3

#### Main Proposed Activities

This club aims to bring likeminded people together to worship, pray, share the word of God whiles navigating university.

To create a community for Christians who might not feel they belong

To get have fun in a Godly way

#### Accepted/ Declined & Comments

##### **Accepted**

The Awarding Committee accept this new faith society to bring together like minded students at Bournemouth University. The Awarding Committee would like to make the new society aware of the Faith and Reflection team situated in Talbot House at Talbot Campus who can also support the society in addition to the Student Opportunities Team.

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
Meditation & Buddhism- NKT	£0

#### Main Proposed Activities

To improve mental health and wellbeing through the practice of meditation.

To improve resilience to challenging situations by applying Buddhas teachings.

To make Buddhas teachings accessible to all students.

Accepted/ Declined & Comments

**Accepted**

The Awarding Committee accept this new faith society and are pleased to see the consideration given towards fundraising activities in order to financially support the society.

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
Saudi Society	£20

Main Proposed Activities

Represent Saudi culture at Bournemouth University.

Celebrate social, academic achievements, religious and Saudi national events.

Connect Saudi Society with other Bournemouth University societies and local communities across Bournemouth.

Accepted/ Declined & Comments

**Accepted**

The Awarding Committee are pleased to accept this new cultural society to further support BU students however note that the membership fee seems high for the proposed activities and may prevent some students from joining.

Proposed Club/ Society Name	Proposed Membership
Crossfit	£35

Main Proposed Activities

Introduce people into the CrossFit community to promote a healthy lifestyle.

Take part in friendly CrossFit competitions and charity events.

To learn new multi-functional fitness skills and exercises

Accepted/ Declined & Comments

**Accepted**

The new Crossfit society is accepted by the Awarding Committee and are interested to see the uptake of this new offering by BU students.