

CONSTITUTION FOR NO LOST GENERATION

Article I – Name of Student Organization

1. The organization shall be called No Lost Generation at UCSD.

Article II - Statement of Purpose:

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD is a group founded to support refugees by promoting awareness, fundraising, and sponsoring education initiatives for refugees.
 - a. The core pillars are education, child protection, and youth and adolescent engagement. The main goals would be to promote advocacy, fundraise, and volunteer directly and through in-kind support.
 - b. We are involved in a very interdisciplinary alliance that is open to all class years, colleges, majors, staff, faculty, and organizations around campus in hopes to incorporate and educate more people about refugees, both local and abroad.
2. No Lost Generation at UCSD will abide by all University policies.

Article III - Nonprofit Statement

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD is a non profit student organization.

Article IV - Requirement for Membership

1. Membership includes students of University of California San Diego that regularly attend general body meetings, contribute to No Lost Generation at UCSD's initiatives and administration, and/or communicate with No Lost Generation at UCSD's leadership.
2. Membership is limited to students of University of California San Diego. All others are eligible to attend meetings and communicate with No Lost Generation at UCSD as guests. Guests cannot hold officer positions or handle money on behalf of No Lost Generation at UC San Diego.
3. Membership is revoked in instances in which the executive committee unanimously requests that a member be removed from No Lost Generation at UCSD.
4. There are no membership fees.
5. Non-discrimination Policy: This organization and its members shall not discriminate against any individual(s) for reasons of age, color, disability, gender identity or expression, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran status.

Article V – Frequency of Organization Meetings

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD will meet for two quarterly GBMs, occasional necessary in-kind virtual volunteer events, and monthly direct volunteer service trips.
2. Minutes will be taken for official meetings for those members who are unable to make the event.

Article VI - Qualifications for Holding Office and Methods of Selecting and Replacing Officers

1. Only registered UCSD students may hold office in the organization. Only registered UCSD students may vote in elections for the selection of the officers.

2. There are six current officer positions of No Lost Generation at UCSD which are: Executive Director, Internal Director, Fundraising Director, Public Relations Director, and Partnership Director.
3. All officer positions have a one-year term. Incumbents are eligible to return to their position or switch to another officer position.
4. Officers are appointed by the outgoing class of officers.
5. Officer status may be revoked in instances in which the other members of the executive committee unanimously request that an officer be removed from the executive committee, without discrimination against officer(s) for reasons of age, color, disability, gender identity or expression, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran status.

Article VII. Risk Management

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD is a registered student organization at University of California, San Diego, but not part of the University itself.
1. No Lost Generation at UCSD understands that the University does not assume legal liability for the actions of the organization.

Article VII. Section 1. In Case of Interaction with Minors and/or the Elderly

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD is aware that all registered student organizations that serve minors or the elderly have access to training on child and elder abuse prevention for its members via the Center for Student Involvement, online or in person (in person by request only).
2. No Lost Generation at UCSD will develop plan(s) for activities and events where members will be interacting with minors or the elderly such that members will receive education and/or training on Child Abuse Neglect Reporting Act (CANRA), common sense measures to both avoid child or elder abuse allegations (i.e. avoiding one-on-one situations; working with minors in plain view of others; limiting calls/texts/social media posts or other communications with minors), and how to properly report potential harm or neglect to minors or the elderly with whom they are working.

Article VIII - Financial Management

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD will finance the activities by collaborating with the AS funding, however No Lost Generation at UCSD will be primarily partnered with International House. All funds will be appropriated towards general body meeting activities, volunteer events, and advocacy campaigns.

Article IX – Method of Amending Constitution

1. Amendments to No Lost Generation at UCSD's constitution must be submitted in written form to No Lost Generation at UCSD's executive board. No Lost Generation at UCSD's executive board may approve an amendment through a vote that exceeds 2/3 majority of all executive board members.
2. Following approval by the executive board, amendments are submitted to the general body of No Lost Generation at UCSD. The general body may approve amendments by a

2/3 majority of voters. Executive board members are eligible to vote during this stage of approval. No general members are obligated to vote.

3. Amendments become official given that a quorum of membership (50%+1) has cast a vote, and a 2-week voting period has expired. The 2-week voting period begins after each member of No Lost Generation at UCSD has had a reasonable opportunity to view the amendment ("a reasonable opportunity" may refer to email, online messaging, or a physical copy).
4. All members of NLG-UCSD are eligible to submit amendments.

Article X - Elections

1. New executive board members are elected before the end of each academic year.
2. Terms span from the beginning of the academic year (fall semester) to the end of the academic year (spring semester).
3. Midterm votes of confidence take place during the month of December.
4. If an incumbent officer does not receive at least 50% of the vote under general membership quorum, then secondary elections will be held to fill the vacancy.
5. Candidates must submit their intent to run no later than seven days prior to voting.

Article XI - Affiliation With Other Groups

1. No Lost Generation at UCSD is affiliated with the No Lost Generation Initiative supported by the U.S. State Department. The State Department partners with UNICEF's No Lost Generation by creating chapters across the United States. Therefore this organization is at a local, state, national, and international level.
2. This affiliation means that there will be direct collaboration between various universities involved in the chapter and many opportunities to directly communicate with the organization abroad and the State Department. To have this direct communication, one must be an involved member that attends the General Body Meetings and volunteer events.