

ARTICLE I. NAME OF STUDENT ORGANIZATION

The organization shall be called Competitive Programming Club at UC San Diego.

ARTICLE II. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The purpose of the Competitive Programming Club at UC San Diego is to cultivate a thriving community of passionate problem solvers and algorithm enthusiasts. Our primary aim is to empower students with the knowledge, skills, and resources necessary to excel in competitive programming competitions at both national and international levels. For the top programmers in this club, the ultimate goal is to represent UCSD with pride and sportsmanship in the annual International Collegiate Programming Contest (ICPC). The journey begins with the Southern California Regional, continues through the North American Championship, and culminates with the aim of securing a medal at the World Finals. Along the way, we strive not only for victory but also to embody the spirit of camaraderie, teamwork, and integrity, proudly showcasing UCSD's excellence on the global stage. For general members of this club, our club provides an environment for students to challenge themselves, sharpen their algorithmic thinking, and develop problem-solving abilities that are not only valuable in programming contests but also essential in various aspects of computer science and software development. Additionally, competitive programming skills have been proven to significantly enhance performance in technical job interviews, making our club an invaluable asset in preparing for future career opportunities. Join us to embark on a thrilling journey of intellectual growth and competitive excellence.

ARTICLE III. NONPROFIT STATEMENT

Competitive Programming Club at UC San Diego is a non-profit student organization.

ARTICLE IV. REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERSHIP

Our Competitive Programming Club is open to any currently enrolled university students. No previous competitive programming experience is required. People who show up to at least one meeting will be considered a member. Members are not required to pay any dues. An attendance log will be kept at every meeting.

ARTICLE V. FREQUENCY OF ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

The organization will hold regular meetings every week in the CSE building. Times will be set at the beginning of every quarter and remain unchanged unless special circumstances apply.

ARTICLE VI. QUALIFICATIONS FOR HOLDING OFFICE AND METHODS OF SELECTING AND REPLACING OFFICERS

Only registered UC San Diego students may hold office in the organization. Only registered UC San Diego students may vote in elections for the selection of the organization's officers.

The officer positions within the organization along with their duties are as follows:

President (co-presidents): The President is the leader of the club and is responsible for overall coordination. They preside over meetings, set the club's direction, and ensure that club activities align with its goals. The President often serves as the primary point of contact for the club and represents it to the university or external organizations.

Vice President: The Vice President assists the President in their duties and steps in when the President is unavailable. They may also oversee specific club initiatives, such as organizing events or managing club resources.

Coach: In charge of contest organization, including overseeing the annual UCSD Team Selection contest, and accompanying UCSD teams to the Southern California Regional, UCSD Team 1 to the North American Championship, and the World Finals, while providing guidance and support to the teams throughout the competitions.

Events Director: The Events Director is responsible for maintaining official records of club meetings, activities, and communications. They keep minutes during meetings, manage club documents, and handle club correspondence. Plans the quarterly schedules with the presidents.

Technology Director: This officer is responsible for maintaining the club's website and other technology-related aspects. They may also assist in setting up online coding platforms and resources for members.

Marketing Director: This officer is responsible for promoting the club in UCSD, in charge of club photos, and for the general appearance and presentation of the club to external members, with the purpose of scaling up the club.

Officers of any positions are subject to removal at any time by majority vote of all other officers. When an officer is removed, an election shall be held to determine the replacement officer.

ARTICLE VII. RISK MANAGEMENT

Competitive Programming Club at UC San Diego is a registered student organization at the University of California, San Diego, but not part of the University itself.

Competitive Programming Club at UC San Diego understands that the University does not assume legal liability for the actions of the organization.