

The Sustainable Investment Group at UC San Diego Constitution

ARTICLE I. NAME OF STUDENT ORGANIZATION

The organization shall be called the Sustainable Investment Group at UC San Diego.

ARTICLE II. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The Sustainable Investment Group is a pre-professional organization at UC San Diego that seeks to educate students about sustainable growth stock investing and provide opportunities for professional development.

ARTICLE III. NONPROFIT STATEMENT

The Sustainable Investment Group at UC San Diego is a non-profit student organization.

ARTICLE IV. REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERSHIP

Members must apply to join a specific committee and will be interviewed for that committee by at least one of the leading Directors.

Only individuals who are enrolled in and will receive an undergraduate degree from UC San Diego can join. Recurring quarterly membership dues of \$15 dollars are in place to enhance member experiences and organize meaningful social events. This contribution will go directly towards improving the overall quality of our events, facilitating networking opportunities, and ensuring a more engaging and enjoyable membership experience. The membership due can be waived with verifiable financial need documentation or references.

ARTICLE IV. SECTION 1. HAZING PREVENTION

The Sustainable Investment Group at UC San Diego is committed to maintaining a safe, inclusive, and respectful environment for all its members and does not condone hazing. Hazing, in any form, is strictly prohibited within the organization in compliance with state and federal law, Regents' policies and University regulations. Participation in hazing or any intentional, knowing, or reckless act, activity, or method committed by a person (whether individually or in concert with other persons) against another person or persons, including current, former, or prospective students, regardless of the willingness of such other person or persons to participate, that is committed in the course of a preinitiation, an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in, an official or unofficial student organization or other student group that i. causes or creates a risk, above the reasonable risk encountered in the course of participation in the institution of higher education or the organization (such as the physical preparation necessary for participation in an athletic team), of physical or psychological injury, including personal degradation or disgrace, and/or ii. the person knew or should have known was likely to cause serious bodily injury. As an organization, we understand that failure to abide by

hazing policies and laws will result in referral to the Center for Student Accountability, Growth, and Education (SAGE) for an organizational violation and/or individual violation(s).

ARTICLE V. FREQUENCY OF ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

The organization will meet for weekly committee meetings, bi-weekly general body meetings, and quarterly professional events, such as the Stock Pitch Competition, Quantathon, etc. Attendance is mandatory. If unable to attend, communication with a director is required.

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.

Our organization structure includes but, according to the Executive Team's discretion, is not limited to:

- President(s)
- Director of Operations
- Director of Finance
- Directors of Equity Research
- Directors of Sustainability
- Directors of Quantitative Analysis
- Directors of Research and Development
- Directors of Marketing and Communications

All Executive Team positions are year-long commitments.

The next year's Executive Team will be selected through an open election process judged by the current Executive Team. Members re-running for an Executive position will not be involved in the judging process.

ARTICLE VI. SECTION 1. REMOVAL PROCESS

Executive team members can be removed by the vote of two thirds of the Executive Team. No vote is needed to remove an Executive Team member should they resign on their own.

ARTICLE VII. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Sustainable Investment Group at UC San Diego is a registered student organization at the University of California, San Diego, but not part of the University itself.

The Sustainable Investment Group at UC San Diego understands that the University does not assume legal liability for the actions of the organization.