



### **UTSU Policy and Procedure Agreement Form Recognized Partner Clubs**

The Vice-President Student Life shall recommend to the Clubs Committee that recognition be denied to any group that does not satisfy all of the following criteria:

- Recognized clubs must seek to make a positive contribution to the academic and/or co-curricular lives of University of Toronto students;
- Recognized clubs must not impede the legitimate, lawful activities of University of Toronto students;
- Recognized clubs must not discriminate on the basis of a protected ground in a protected social area, as defined in the *Ontario Human Rights Code, R.S.O. 1990, c. H.19*;
- Recognized clubs must operate on a not-for-profit basis, such that all revenue is used to support the operations of the club, and must not use UTSU funds to support the activities of another parent or umbrella organization;
- Recognized clubs must be able to provide truthful and complete financial records, as well as copies of any and all current and historical governing documents, to the UTSU upon request;
- Recognized clubs must operate in a manner consistent with the *University of Toronto Policy on Open, Accessible, and Democratic Autonomous Student Organizations*;
- Recognized clubs must adhere to the codes of conduct, codes of ethics, and *People & Culture Policies* of the UTSU;
- Recognized clubs shall be expected to send at least one (1) representative who is also a member of the UTSU to attend the Annual General Meetings of the UTSU each recognition year;
- The majority of a recognized club's general membership, as well as a majority of those holding leadership positions, must be comprised of UTSU members;
- Partner clubs must renew their recognition at the beginning of each recognition year;
- Representative student societies are not eligible for recognition.

I acknowledge on the behalf of \_\_\_\_\_  
that I have read and understood the above policy and procedure in its entirety and agree to abide by them as a partner club of the UTSU.

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Club President Signature

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Date