

# **Constitution of The Quantum Club at Ohio State**

## **ARTICLE I. NAME OF ORGANIZATION**

The name of this organization shall be The Quantum Club at Ohio State.

## **ARTICLE II. ORGANIZATION PURPOSE**

The purpose of The Quantum Club at Ohio State is to create an inclusive and engaging community focused on the exploration of quantum information science and quantum mechanics. We aim to ignite curiosity and foster a deeper understanding of quantum concepts through interactive activities, including quantum computation simulations, round table discussions, and guest presentations. Our goal is to provide opportunities for members to develop skills in research, communication, and leadership while contributing to the advancement of quantum education at The Ohio State University.

## **ARTICLE III. UNIVERSITY REGULATIONS**

### **Section A. Harassment and Discrimination, including Sexual Misconduct**

The Quantum Club at Ohio State agrees that it will not engage in sexual misconduct nor any harassment or discrimination on the basis of age, ancestry, color, disability, gender identity or expression, genetic information, HIV/AIDS status, military status, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, protected veteran status or any other basis in accordance with the Student Organization Registration Guidelines.

### **Section B. Hazing**

The Quantum Club at Ohio State agrees to maintain a zero-tolerance policy for hazing, in compliance with Ohio State University and Collin's Law. All members must conduct themselves in a manner that supports an environment free from hazing. Hazing includes any activity, regardless of consent, that causes or creates a substantial risk of physical, mental, or emotional harm or humiliation to any individual as part of membership or affiliation with the student organization. If found responsible for hazing, members and/or the organization may face disciplinary actions.

### **Section C. Bylaws**

The Quantum Club at Ohio State retains the right to maintain separate bylaws to outline the day-to-day operations of the organization and to clarify policies and procedures otherwise not included in these constitutional articles. Bylaws and/or other guiding documents may not take precedence over the requirements set forth by local, state, and federal laws, The Ohio State University's regulations, policies, and procedures, and the Council on Student Affairs Student Organization Registration Guidelines.

## **ARTICLE IV. MEMBERSHIP**

### **Section A. Membership Eligibility**

Membership is open to all currently enrolled Ohio State University students. Faculty, alumni, and

professionals may join as non-voting associate members. At least 90% of the voting membership must be current Ohio State students.

#### Section B. Member Selection

Members may join by attending meetings or events and expressing interest to club officers. No prior knowledge of quantum science is required; enthusiasm and engagement are encouraged.

#### Section C. Membership Timeline

Membership is open on a rolling basis throughout the academic year.

#### Section D. Member Removal

Members may be removed for behavior detrimental to the organization, violation of university policy, or harassment of members. Removal requires a majority vote of the leadership after notifying the member in writing and providing an opportunity for response.

### **ARTICLE V. ADVISOR**

#### Section A. Advisor Duties and Responsibilities

The advisor shall serve as a resource person providing advisory support to officers and members. The advisor may not vote or hold office in the organization. Advisors must complete the required university trainings and approvals per the Council on Student Affairs.

#### Section B. Advisor Term

The advisor, Dr. Kevin Singh, shall serve a one-year term, renewable upon mutual agreement.

#### Section C. Advisor Selection

The advisor must be a full-time faculty or staff member of The Ohio State University and approved by a majority vote of the executive board.

#### Section D. Advisor Replacement

In the event that the advisor resigns or is removed, the Co-Presidents will identify a qualified faculty or staff member to serve as the new advisor. The outgoing advisor should provide reasonable notice of resignation, assist with the transition of organizational records and materials, and communicate any pending university responsibilities. The new advisor must be confirmed by a majority vote of the executive board and listed in the Student Organization Management System.

### **ARTICLE VI. ORGANIZATION LEADERSHIP**

#### Section A. Officer Positions

The leadership of The Quantum Club at Ohio State shall consist of the following officer positions:

- Co-President (Primary Leader): Serves as chief executive officer; presides over meetings; sets agendas; represents the organization to the University and external partners.
- Co-President (Secondary Leader): Assists the Primary Leader in overseeing operations and assumes their duties when absent.
- Treasurer: Manages the organization's funds, budgets, and CSA funding requests; maintains accurate financial records and ensures timely reporting of audits.

- Secretary: Maintains attendance records and meeting minutes; oversees communication with members and the advisor; keeps the constitution and bylaws updated.
  - Events and Social Media Coordinator: Organizes events, guest speakers, and social media outreach; promotes activities in compliance with University marketing standards.
- Additional daily or transition duties may be outlined in the bylaws.

#### Section B. Officer Eligibility

Officers must be currently enrolled students in good academic standing with the university.

#### Section C. Officer Selection Process

Officers shall be nominated and elected by a majority vote of active members at the end of each spring semester. Terms last one academic year.

#### Section D. Officer Removal

An officer may be removed for failure to perform duties, misconduct, or violation of university or organizational policy. The process includes a written notice, an opportunity for defense, and a two-thirds majority vote of remaining officers.

### **ARTICLE VII. ORGANIZATION DISSOLUTION**

#### Section A. Dissolution Requirements

The organization may be dissolved by a two-thirds vote of active members or by failure to register for two consecutive academic years.

#### Section B. Dissolution Procedures

In the event of dissolution, all outstanding debts and financial obligations will be paid in full prior to the distribution of remaining assets. Remaining assets shall be transferred to another registered student organization with similar purposes or to The Ohio State University as required. Under no circumstances may the organization leave debts to The Ohio State University or its entities.

### **ARTICLE VIII. CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to this constitution may be proposed by any member in good standing. Proposed amendments must be shared with the membership at least one week before voting. Amendments require approval by a two-thirds majority vote of the active membership and must be submitted to the Ohio Union and Student Activities Department for approval within 30 days.

### **ARTICLE IX. DATE OF ADOPTION AND SIGNATURES**

Adopted: November 2025

Advisor: Dr. Kevin Singh

Primary Leader (Co-President): Max Sullivan

Secondary Leader (Co-President): Carson Brice

Treasurer: Antony Yuhos

Secretary: Aatmaj Rajesh

Events & Social Media Coordinator: Rishivarshil Nelakurti