

Constitution

Rabindranath Tagore University Students Union (RATUSU)



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Students Charter

The Rabindranath Tagore University Students' Union (RATUSU) is committed to supporting the experience of our students as they work towards fulfilling their academic and personal potential.

The Student Charter is a reference point for our students setting out our expectations, rights and responsibilities as members of the University community. It gives an overview of how we work together to establish and maintain our unique learning and living culture. Our Student Charter has been developed by the Rabindranath Tagore University Students' Union (RATUSU). The Rabindranath Tagore University (RTU) works in partnership with the RATUSU on the implementation of the Charter.

In the joint meeting of all the teachers and the students of Rabindranath Tagore University, on 29th November 2021 do hereby adopt, enact and give to ourselves the Constitution of Rabindranath Tagore University Students Union (RATUSU)

The Students Will:

Treat staff and your fellow students with respect, dignity and courtesy considering them as individuals, with different preferences and needs.

Respect the physical environment of the University, including accommodation, behaving respectfully towards others learning, living and working alongside you in our shared environment.

Make full use of the opportunities and facilities provided by the University and the Union.

Take responsibility for managing your own learning; actively engaging in your studies and research, committing sufficient time to independent study, and participating fully in group work and related learning activities.

Attend your induction sessions, participate in time tabled classes and attend meetings with your tutors and academic supervisors.

Submit assessed work by stated deadlines and attend all examinations taking advantage of opportunities to gather, reflect on and respond to feedback about your work.

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Engage with your elected student representatives within the Union, providing them with feedback and your opinions.

Participate in relevant campaigns, providing useful and constructive feedback, for use in enhancing the quality of learning and teaching and the student experience.

Plan your future by seeking opportunities to widen your experience, e.g. by support for your community, extending your work experience, by considering active involvement with the Union.

Wherever possible obtain agreement from your Faculty, in advance, for any essential absences and report your return to study after illness or other approved absence.

PART – I

Article 1: Name of the Union

The Union will be called “The Rabindranath Tagore University Students’ Union (RATUSU)”, hereinafter referred to as the Union.

Article 2: Office

The office of the Union will be located in the Union building in the main University Campus. It shall also be its official address.

Article 3: Aims and Objectives

The following will be the aims and objectives of the Union:-

- (i) To promote mutual contact, a democratic outlook and a spirit of oneness among the students of the Rabindranath Tagore University.
- (ii) To promote the social, cultural and intellectual development of the students of the Rabindranath Tagore University.
- (iii) To promote consciousness among the students of the Rabindranath Tagore University of the events taking place around them with a view to better equipping them as responsible and educated citizens and to build up a healthy students movement.
- (iv) To promote among the students of the Rabindranath Tagore

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University a sense of service to the people and duty towards the State.

- (v) To promote harmonious relations among all sections of the University Community.
- (vi) To meet, discuss and make representations to the University authorities on matters concerning common interests of the students.

Article 4: Activities

The Union may organize the following activities namely :-

- (vii) Debates, lectures, discussions, study circles, essay competitions etc.
- (viii) Cultural performance and contests.
- (ix) Sports
- (x) Publication of magazine, bulletin and wall newspapers.
- (xi) Trips and tours to places of historical and educational importance.
- (xii) Social Service and Social Relief Activities.
- (xiii) Organizing and running co-operatives.
- (xiv) Organize poor Boys Fund and Book Bank to help needy Students.
- (xv) Such other activities as will further the realization of the above aims and objects.

PART – II

Article 5: Membership of the Union

All bona fide students of various Academic Departments and Study Centres of the university or admitted to the privileges of the University which are members of the Union at the commencement of this Constitution shall be the members of the Union.

Article 6: Funds

- (a) Every member of Union shall pay Rupee (In accordance with the resolution of the Executive Council) as annual subscription to Union funds which will be collected along with the fees collected at the time of admission.

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(b) Funds from the Union Budget shall be withdrawn jointly by the President and General Secretary and should have the prior approval of the Convener, Union Advisory Committee.

(c) The Union Executive Council shall plan its budget within a month of the oath taking ceremony and chalk out its Programme of activities simultaneously.

(d) No expenditure above the budgeted amount shall be permitted.

(e) Any amount left unspent by the Union shall automatically go to the Students' Aid Fund.

(f) The Union shall not normally spend any money after the end of February every year. An exception to this rule should be rarely encouraged.

(g) The Union will give a satisfactory account within fortnight of the amount drawn failing which subsequent withdrawals shall not be permitted. The deadline for final settlement shall be 10 days before the University Annual Function.

(h) Rules governing the use of Union Budget are strictly binding on the Union members and any attempt to circumvent them will invite penal action. In case of any deviation by the students' union, which attempts to subvert the spirit of this constitution, the Advisory Committee, in its discretion, will take necessary steps to uphold the union constitution.

PART – III

Article 7: Patron

The Vice-Chancellor of the Rabindranath Tagore University shall be the Patron of the Union. The Patron shall take all necessary steps to ensure that the Union functions in accordance with this Constitution.

Article 8: Advisory Committee

- a. There shall be a Union Advisory Committee which shall advise the Patron and the Union on matters concerning the Students' Union and shall coordinate and supervise its activities.
- b. Five Teachers of the University shall be appointed by the Patron as member of this Committee of which it shall nominate one member as its convener. The term of this committee shall be for one academic session.

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Article 9: The Executive Committee

- a. There shall be an Executive Committee of the Union which shall consist of all elected office bearers and councilors.
- b. All the office-bearers of the Union will be directly elected by and from amongst the members of the Union by a simple majority vote in accordance with this Constitution and as per the Lyngdoh Committee Recommendation accepted by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
- c. All the office-bearers of the Union shall be responsible to the Executive Committee will function strictly in accordance with the provisions of this Constitution.
- d. The office-bearers of the Union shall be responsible for the smooth and orderly functioning of the Union.

Article 10: Office Bearers of the Union

- (ii) President
- (iii) Vice President
- (iv) General Secretary
- (v) Assistant General Secretary
- (vi) Cultural Secretary
- (vii) Games and Sports Secretary
- (viii) Magazine Secretary
- (ix) Debate and Symposium Secretary
- (x) Students' Aid Fund Secretary
- (xi) Social Service Secretary
- (xii) Boys Common Room Secretary
- (xiii) Girls' Common Room Secretary
- (xiv) Members consist of all elected councilors from each academic departments and study centres of the university.

Article 11: Qualifications of Office Bearers

- a. Only the bona fide students of the university shall be eligible to contest election for the Office Bearers of the Executive of RATUSU.
- b. He/she has to obtain at least 45 percent marks in his/her last examinations as has passed all the papers/subject offered.
- c. He/she must have at least 75 percent attendance in the previous session.
- d. No student can contest election if he/she has been punished by the university for any act of indiscipline or use of unfair means in an examination.
- e. No students can contest election if he/she has been convicted by

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- any Court in India for any criminal offence.
- f. Under graduate students between the ages of 17 and 22 may contest elections. For Post Graduate Students the maximum age limit to legitimately contest and election would be 24 – 25 years. For research Students the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be 28 years.
 - g. The candidate must be a regular, full time student of the university and should not be a distance/proximate education student. That is to say that all eligible candidates must be enrolled in a full time course, the course duration being at least one year.
 - h. Portfolio of the General Secretary cannot be contested from the UG- 5th and 6th Semester and Post Graduate Classes. The Portfolio of President will be from the students of Post Graduate Classes only. The Departmental Representatives will also be elected from the Post Graduate Departments only.

However, a mere warning issued to a student shall not be deemed to be punishment for the purpose of this provision.

If at any stage after the election, it is found that a member or an office bearer of the Executive Committee was not qualified to contest election or to be included in the panel, he/she shall be removed forthwith from the Executive Committee by a notification from the Patron.

Part IV

Article 12: Election Procedure of the Office Bearers

- a. All the office bearers shall be elected through a system of direct election. All the bona fide full time students constitute the Electoral College. However, the councilors representing each academic department and the study centres shall be elected by the respective department and centres. Head of the Department and Centre are responsible for conducting election of the Departmental Representative as per the direction of the Election Commission.
- b. It is recommended that the entire process of elections, commencing from the date of filing of nomination papers to the date of declaration of results, including the campaign period, should not exceed 10 days. It is further recommended that elections be held on a yearly basis and that the same should be held between 6 to 8 weeks from the date of commencement of the academic session.

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Article 13: Dissociation of Students' Election and Students' Representation from Political Parties.

During the period of the elections no person, who is not a student on the rolls of the university, shall be permitted to take part in the election process in any capacity. Any person, candidate, or member of the student organisation, violating this rule shall be subject to disciplinary proceedings, in addition to the candidature, as the case may be, being revoked.

Article 14: Election Related Expenditure and Financial Accountability

- a. The maximum permitted expenditure per candidate shall be Rs. 5000/-
- b. Each candidate shall, within two weeks of the declaration of the result, submit complete and audited accounts to the university authorities. The university shall publish such audited accounts, within 2 days of the submission of such accounts, through a suitable medium so that any member of the student body may freely examine the same.
- c. The election of the candidate will be nullified in the event of any noncompliance or in the event of any excessive expenditure. With the view to prevent the inflow of funds from political parties into the student election process, the candidates are specially barred from utilizing funds from any other sources than voluntary contributions from the student body.

Article 15: Code of Conduct for Candidates and Elections Administrators

- A. No candidate shall indulge in, nor shall abet, any activity, which may aggravate existing differences or create mutual hatred or cause tension between different castes and communities, religious or linguistic, or between any group(s) of students.
- B. Criticism of other candidates, when made, shall be confined to their policies and programs, past record and work. Candidates shall refrain from criticism of all aspects of private life, not connected with the public activities of the other candidates or supporters of such other candidates. Criticism of other candidates, or their supporters based on unverified allegations or distortion shall be avoided.
- C. There shall be no appeal to caste or communal feelings for securing votes. Places of worship, within or without the campus shall not be used for election propaganda.
- D. All candidates shall be prohibited from indulging or abetting, all activities which are considered to be "corrupt practices" and offences, such as bribing of voters, intimidation of voters, impersonation of voters,

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canvassing or the use of propaganda within 100 meters of polling stations, holding public meetings during the period of 24 hours ending with the hour fixed for the close of the poll, and the transport and conveyance of voters to and from polling station.

- E. No candidate shall be permitted to make use of printed posters, printed pamphlets, or any other printed material for the purpose of canvassing. Candidates may only utilize hand-made posters for the purpose of canvassing, provided that such hand-made posters are procured within the expenditure limit set out herein above. Candidates may only utilize hand-made posters at certain places in the campus, which shall be notified in advance by the election commission / university authority.
- F. No candidate shall be permitted to carry out processions, or public meetings, or in any way canvass or distribute propaganda outside the university campus.
- G. No candidate shall, nor shall his/her supporters, deface or cause any destruction to any property of the university campus, for any purpose whatsoever, without the prior written permission of the university authorities. All candidates shall be held jointly and severally liable for any destruction / defacing of any university property.
- H. During the election period the candidates may hold processions and / or public meetings, provided that such processions and / or public meetings do not, in any manner, disturb the classes and other academic and co curricular activities of the university. Further, such procession / public meeting may not be held without the prior written permission of the university authority.
- I. The use of loudspeakers, vehicles and animals for the purpose of canvassing shall be prohibited.
- J. On the day of polling, student organizations and candidates shall -
: (i) co-operate with the officers on election duty to ensure peaceful and orderly polling and complete freedom to the voters to exercise their franchise without being subjected to any annoyance or obstruction; (ii) not serve or distribute any eatables, or other solid and liquid consumables, except water on polling day; (iii) not hand out any propaganda on the polling day.
- K. Excepting the voters, no one without a valid pass / letter of authority from the election commission or from the university authorities shall enter the polling booths.
- L. The election commission or university authorities shall appoint impartial observers. If the candidates have any specific complaint or

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problem regarding the conduct of the elections they may bring the same to the notice of the observer. Observers shall also be appointed to oversee the process of nomination of students in institutions that are following the nomination model of student representation.

- M. All candidates shall be jointly responsible for ensuring the cleaning up of the polling area within 48 hours of the conclusion of polling.
- N. Any contravention of any of the above recommendations may make the candidate liable to be stripped of his candidature, or his elected post, as the case may be. The election commission or university authorities may also take appropriate disciplinary action against such a violator.
- O. In addition to the above-mentioned code of conduct, certain provisions of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (Section 153A and Chapter IXA – “Offences Relating to Election”), may also be made applicable to student elections.

Article 16: Grievance Redressal Mechanism

- a. There should be a Grievances Redressal Cell with the Director of Student Welfare / teacher in charge of student affairs as its chairman. In addition, one senior faculty member, one senior administrative officer and two final year students – one boy and one girl (till the election results declared, students can be nominated on the basis of merit and/or participation in the co-curricular activities in the previous year). The grievance cell shall be mandated with the redressal of election-related grievances, including, but not limited to breaches of the code of conduct of elections and complaints relating to election related expenditure. This cell would be the regular unit of the institution.
- b. In pursuit of its duties, the grievance cell may prosecute violators of any aspect of the code of conduct or the rulings of the grievance cell. The grievance cell shall serve as the court of original jurisdiction. The institutional head shall have appellate jurisdiction over issues of law and fact in all cases or controversies arising out of the conduct of the elections in which the grievance cell has issued a final decision. Upon review, the institutional head may revoke or modify the sanctions imposed by the grievance cell.
- c. In carrying out the duties of the office, the Grievance cell shall conduct proceedings and hearings necessary to fulfill those duties. In executing those duties they shall have the authority: (i) to issue a writ of subpoena to compel candidates, agents, and workers, and to request students to appear and give testimony, as well as produce necessary records; and (ii) to inspect the financial reports of any candidate and make these records available for public scrutiny upon request.

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- d. Members of the Grievance cell are prohibited from filing complaints. Any other student may file a complaint with the Grievance cell, within a period of 3 weeks from the date of declaration of results. All complaints must be filed under the name of the student filing the complaint. The Grievance cell shall act on all complaints within 24 hours after they are received by either dismissing them or calling a hearing. The Grievance cell may dismiss a complaint if: (i) the complaint was not filed within the time frame prescribed in Recommendation 8.4 above; (ii) the complaint fails to state a cause of action for which relief may be granted; (iii) the complainant has not and / or likely will not suffer injury or damage. If a complaint is not dismissed, then a hearing must be held. The Grievance cell shall inform, in writing, or via e-mail, the complaining party and all individuals or groups named in the complaint of the time and place of the hearing. The parties are not considered notified until they have received a copy of the complaint.
- e. The hearing shall be held at the earliest possible time, but not within twenty-four (24) hours after receipt of the notice described above, unless all parties agree to waive the 24-hour time constraint. At the time notice of a hearing is issued, the Grievance cell, by majority vote, may issue a temporary restraining order, if it determines that such action is necessary to prevent undue or adverse effects on any individual or entity. Any restraining order, once issued, will remain in effect until a decision of the Grievance cell is announced after the hearing or until rescinded by the Grievance cell.
- f. All Grievance cell hearings, proceedings, and meetings must be open to the public.
- g. All Parties of the Grievance cell hearing shall present themselves at the hearing, may be accompanied by any other student from which they can receive counsel, and have the option to be represented by that counsel.
- h. For any hearing, a majority of sitting Grievance cell members must be in attendance with the Chair of the Grievance cell presiding. In the absence of the Chair, the responsibility to preside shall fall to an Grievance cell member designated by the Chair.
- i. The Grievance cell shall determine the format for the hearing, but must require that both the complaining and responding parties appear physically before the board to discuss the issues through a complaint, answered, rebuttal, and rejoinder format. The purpose of the hearing is to gather the information necessary to make a decision, order, or ruling that will resolve an election dispute. To effectuate this purpose, the following

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rules should prevail at all hearings:

- (i) Complaining parties shall be allowed no more than two witnesses, however the Grievance cell may call witnesses as required. If said witnesses are unable to appear at the hearing, signed affidavits may be submitted to the Grievance cell Chair for the purpose of testifying by proxy.*
- (ii) All questions and discussions by the parties in dispute shall be directed to the Grievance cell.*
- (iii) There shall be no direct or cross-examination of any party or witness by complaining or responding parties during hearings.*
- (iv) Reasonable time limits may be set by the Grievance cell, provided they give fair and equal treatment to both sides.*
- (v) The complaining party shall bear the burden of proof.*
- (vi) Decisions, orders, and rulings of the Grievance cell must be concurred to by a majority of the Grievance cell present and shall be announced as soon as possible after the hearing. The Grievance cell shall issue a written opinion of the ruling within 12 hours of announcement of the decision. The written opinion must set forth the findings of fact by the Grievance cell and the conclusions of law in support of it. Written opinions shall set a precedent for a time period of three election cycles for Grievance cell rulings, and shall guide the Grievance cell in its proceedings. Upon consideration of prior written opinions, the grievance cell may negate the decision, but must provide written documentation of reasons for doing so.*
- (vii) If the decision of the Grievance cell is appealed to the institutional head, the Grievance cell must immediately submit its ruling to the commission.*
- (viii) The Grievance cell shall select the remedy or sanction most appropriate to both the type and severity of the infraction, as well as the state of mind or intent of the violator as determined by the Grievance cell. Possible remedies and sanctions include, but are not limited to, fines, suspension of campaigning privileges, and disqualification from the election.*
- (ix) Any fine or total amount of fines against a candidate in an*

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election cycle may not exceed the spending limit as defined herein above.

- (x) If, after a hearing, the Grievance cell finds that provisions of this Code were violated by a candidate, or a candidate's agents or workers, the Grievance cell may restrict the candidate, or the candidates agents or workers, from engaging in some or all campaign activities for some or all of the remainder of the campaign. If an order is issued covering only part of the remaining campaign period, it shall take effect immediately so that after its termination, the candidate will have an opportunity to resume campaigning during the days immediately prior to and including the election days.*
- (xi) If, after a hearing, the Grievance cell finds that provisions of either this Code or decisions, opinions, orders, or rulings of the Grievance cell have been willfully and blatantly violated by a candidate, or a candidate's agents or workers, the Grievance cell may disqualify the candidate.*
- (xii) Any party adversely affected by a decision of the Grievance cell may file an appeal with the institutional head within twenty-four (24) hours after the adverse decision is announced. The institutional head shall have discretionary appellate jurisdiction over the Grievance cell in all cases in which error on the part of the Grievance cell is charged.*
- (xiii) The decision of the Grievance cell shall stand and shall have full effect until the appeal is heard and decided by the institutional head.*
- (xiv) The institutional head shall hear appeals of Grievance cell rulings as soon as possible, but not within twenty-four (24) hours after the Grievance cell delivers to the Appellant and the institutional head a copy of its written opinion in the case. Appeal may be heard prior to this time, but only if the Appellant waives the right to a written opinion and the institutional head agrees to accept the waiver.*
- (xv) The institutional head can issue suitable orders to suspend or halt the operation of the ruling issued by the Grievance cell until the appeals are decided.*

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(xvi) The institutional head shall review findings of the Grievance cell when appealed. The institutional head may affirm or overturn the decision of the Grievance cell, or modify the sanctions imposed.

Article 17: Maintaining Law and Order on the Campus during the Election Process

Any instance of acute lawlessness or the commission of a criminal offence shall be reported to the police by the university authority as soon as possible, but not later than 12 hours after the alleged commission of the offence.

Part V: Duties and Responsibilities of the Union

The Students Union shall work as a deliberative body where all the matters concerning the students will be discussed and decisions will be taken therein.

- a) It shall decide matters concerning the general policy of the Union and control all financial matters related to the Union.

Article 18: Meeting of the Executive Committee (EC) of the Union:

- a) The EC of the Students' Union shall meet at least once in a month.
- b) The General Secretary in consultation with the President may call a special meeting with 24 hour notice whenever they feel it necessary.
- c) Demand for requisition meeting shall have to be placed in writing to the President of the Union by at least one third of the total number of EC members. On receiving such demand, the President shall call the meeting within 48 hours excluding holidays.
- d) Half of the total number of the EC members of the Union shall form the Quorum for the meetings.
- e) The President shall chair the meeting of the Union. In the absence of President, the Vice President shall chair the meeting. In absence of both the President and Vice President, the meeting shall be chaired by any office bearer selected by the members as special case.

Article 19: Decisions of the EC:

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Decision in EC shall be taken by majority of the members present. In case of difference of opinion, the matter shall be decided through vote of the members present. In extraordinary matters viz. any decision which calls for involvement of all the students of the university campus, the decision of the EC must be approved immediately by the General Body.

Article 20: President

- a) There shall be one President directly elected by the students in a manner defined in Part IV of the Constitution.
- b) The President shall advise the members of the Union to play positive role in the development and progress of the University and to respect the Union's Constitution.
- c) The President shall chair the meeting of the Students' Union. The President shall execute the mandate given by the EC of the Students' Union and look after the day-to-day affairs of the Union.

Article 21: Vice President:

- a) There shall be one Vice-President directly elected by the students in the manner defined in Part-IV of the Constitution.
- b) The Vice-President shall officiate as the President in the absence of the President of the student union.
- c) Any other responsibility entrusted to him/her by the President of the Union.

Article 22: General Secretary:

- a) There shall be one General Secretary elected by the students of that campus in the manner defined in the constitution.
- b) The General Secretary shall aid and assist the President/Vice –President in his or her day-to-day work.

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- c) He/ She in consultation with the President/ Vice President shall be responsible for calling the regular meetings of the Students' Union and properly keeping the record of minutes of the meetings.
- d) The General Secretary is debarred from chairing the meetings of the Students' Union by virtue of his/her office.

Article 23: Assistant General Secretary

- a) There shall be a Assistant General Secretary directly elected by the Union members of that campus in the manner defined the Constitution.
- b) The Assistant General Secretary shall aid and assist the General Secretary in his/her day-to-day activities.
- c) He/ She shall officiate as General Secretary in absence of the General Secretary. The rank and seniority of both the Assistant General Secretaries shall be treated equal.
- d) The Assistant General Secretaries are debarred from chairing the meetings of the Students' Union by virtue of their office.

Article 24: Cultural Secretary

- a) There shall be one Cultural Secretary, directly elected by the members of the Union in the manner defined in the Constitution.
- b) The cultural programmes of the Union shall be organised by the Cultural Secretary.
- c) The Cultural Secretary is debarred from chairing the meetings of the Students' Union by virtue of his/her office.

Article 25: Sports Secretary

- a) There shall be one Sports Secretary, directly elected by the members of the Union of that campus in the manner defined in the constitution.
- b) All Sports programmes of the Union shall be organised by the Sports Secretary.

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- c) The Sports Secretary is debarred from chairing the meetings of the Students' Union by virtue of his/her office.

Article 26: Megazine Secretary

- a) There shall be one Megazine Secretary, directly elected by the member of the Union in the manner defined in the Constitution.
- b) The Megazine Secretary shall be the Chief Editor of the Annual Magazine of the Union and publish the same on behalf of the students of the University. The Megazine Secretary is also responsible for organizing various literary competitions and ensuring the participation of its students in various district, state, national or international level literary competitions.

Article 27: Debate and Symposium Secretary

- a) There shall be one Debate and Symposium Secretary, directly elected by the member of the Union in the manner defined in the Constitution.
- a) The Debate and Symposium Secretary shall responsible for organizing Lecturer, Seminar, Training, Quiz, Essay, Debate Competition etc. and Awareness programmes. It is also responsibility of the Debate and Symposium Secretary to ensure the participation of the students in Quiz, Debate or Symposium.

Article 28: Students' Aid Fund Secretary

It is the responsibility of the Students' Aid Fund Secretary to facilitate the poor students through the available fund. It is also his/her responsibility that the available facilities should be offered to the neediest students.

Article 29: Social Service Secretary

It is the responsibility of the Social Service Secretary to organizing various social service programmes and socio-economic awareness programme. It is also

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responsibility of the Social Service Secretary to ensure and cleanliness of the university campus.

Article 30: Boys Common Room Secretary

Boys Common Room Secretary shall responsible for all issue related to the Boys Common Room.

Article 31: Girls' Common Room Secretary

Girls Common Room Secretary shall responsible for all issue related to the Girls Common Room.

Article 31: Members consist of all elected Departmental Representative from each academic departments and study centres of the university.

The Departmental Representative shall act as the executive member representing the students of respective departments or study centres.

Article 32: Quorum:

- a) Half of the total number of the Executive Committee members of the Union shall form the **Quorum** for the meetings.

Article 33: Amendment:

Proposal for amendment of Rabindranath Tagore University Students' Union Constitution may be moved by 2/3 of the Executive Committee members voting in favour of the amendment. However, the draft amendment shall have to be placed before the Patron for approval.

Article – 34: Dissolution:

Gross violation of Constitution's objectives, its provisions, rules and regulations by the union may cause dissolution of the union by the highest authority of the University.

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