

## **SCHEDULE 1: MEMBERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION**

### **1. Ordinary Membership**

All registered students as determined by Glasgow Caledonian University (GCU) and current Full Time Officers are Ordinary Members.

For the avoidance of doubt, where a student has been suspended by the University, their membership of the Association and any rights resulting from that membership, will automatically be suspended for the duration of the suspension. Students who are suspended may attend a pre-arranged appointment(s) with a Student Adviser within the Advice Centre for ongoing support with representation of the alleged misconduct.

### **2. Other Membership**

Members of the following categories of membership may take part in the social, sporting and cultural activities of the Association but shall not hold office nor take part in any democratic activities nor vote in any election.

#### **a) Associate Membership**

- i. All members of University Staff are Associate Members.
- ii. Students registered but not in attendance may become Associate Members on payment of the current fee on condition that no disciplinary decision exists concerning such a student. The fee shall be waived on production of proof of unemployment.
- iii. Students who have opted out under The Education Act 1994 will automatically have the rights of Associate members.

#### **b) Life Membership**

- i. A student who has completed a course for at least one trimester may apply to the Executive Committee to become a Life Member on payment of a fee set by the Executive Committee. The fee shall be temporarily waived on production of proof of unemployment.
- ii. No student may become a Life Member while they are a registered student.

#### **c) Honorary Membership**

The Association may admit to Honorary Life Membership any person whom it wishes to honour for services to the Association. Nominations, accompanied by a list of reasons, must be submitted for consideration by the Student Voice.

#### **d) Reciprocal Membership**

The Trustee Board may enter into a Reciprocal Agreement which allows entry into each party's premises, with other like-minded educational groups such as students' associations or unions. All agreements will be reviewed on an annual basis by the Trustee Board. The agreements must contain a clear statement on the operation of agreed disciplinary procedures.

#### **e) Temporary Ordinary Membership**

- i. Temporary Ordinary Membership can be granted by the Executive Committee for periods not exceeding twenty-four hours.

- ii. All Temporary Ordinary Memberships are subject to the rules and conditions of the Students' Association.
- iii. All Temporary Ordinary Memberships will be regulated and accounted for by the Temporary Membership Cards issued by the Executive Committee.