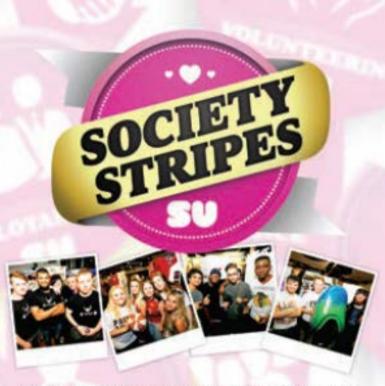


# YOUR QUICK GUIDE TO SOCIETIES AT TEESSIDE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' UNION.

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At Teesside University Students' Union we offer a wide array of student led societies. We help and encourage our societies to flourish, expand and improve year on year to contribute to an already fantastic student experience here at the University.

Our societies develop students' employability, communication, people management and academic skills to help prepare students for their chosen careers. If you cannot find a society that interests you, we can help you to set one up!

All we ask is that you have 10 other people who are willing to join the society. Once set up you are responsible for managing how it's run and you are provided with a deposit account, you also receive support and funding from the Students' Union. Andrew Richardson - President Activities.







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#### Society Profile: Tees Racing



Tees Racing are a group of students who designed and built a single seater racing car competing against other universities across the globe. As the winners of the Best New Society in 2016 they are looking forward to pushing the team further to achieve more success in the future. If you have a keen interest in motor racing and developing skills that enhance your employability, this is the society for you.



#### Society Profile: Teesside Literary Society



Teesside Literary Society was founded in May 2015 and went on to win Society of the Year in 2016. It aims to provide a friendly and mutually supportive creative space for budding writers at Teesside University. They have enhanced the skills of their members providing them with an opportunity to have work published in a variety of ways including developing an anthology, releasing a literary magazine and more recently developing an e-book for sale on Amazon.



#### Society Profile: Enactus Teesside

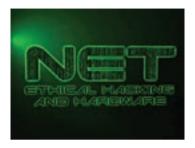


Enactus UK are a globally recognised organisation made up of business leaders and students who are driven to make a positive impact in the community through entrepreneurial action. They achieve this by training their members in everything from project management to business etiquette through workshops delivered across the UK. This enables them to successfully set up and implement projects that really make a difference.

Last year the society won the Award for Outstanding Achievement for the development of their project "Your Fridge", they work with local companies to provide food for those less fortunate in the community.

EnactusTeesside

## Society Profile: NET Ethical Hacking and Hardware



Winners of the Best New Society Award 2018 NET Ethical Hacking and Hardware is a society set up for students to raise awareness of cyber security and develop their skills in the area no matter what course they are on. As a society they hold a range of workshops for members on a variety of different topics including Google vulnerability, hash cracking and capture the flag. They have big plans for the upcoming year including developing products and setting up a YouTube channel.

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### **SU Learning Communities**

We have a wide range of societies who are closely linked with their academic course that are referred to as SU Learning Communities. They help support students throughout their course through a wide range of activities such as revision sessions and trips to important conferences.

Examples of these include:

**Chemical Engineering** – The Chemical Engineers organise for students across their cohorts to attend the Frank Morton Student Conference.

Click Radio – Click is the official Teesside University Radio Station and if you want to be involved in media you need to get involved with Click Teesside!! Listen live online here: clickteesside.com

**Computer Games Creation** – They regularly hold 24 hour "game jams" that helps students with developing their coding and games creation skills in a creative and supportive environment.

**Crime Scene and Forensic Science** – They run a variety of different workshops to support students on their course. They also plan practical sessions to enhance skills including photography and fingerprinting.

**Graphic Design** – The Graphic Design Society was set up to raise money to allow students to attend the Design and Art Direction New Blood conference in London. This is an opportunity for all of the students involved to show their design skills to potential employers.

**New Designers** – Similar to the Graphic Designers, New Designers are from The Product Design Course and utilise their enterprise skills to raise money to attend the New Designers Conference to showcase their work to potential employers.

**Law Society** - The Law Society works closely with the School of Social Sciences, Humanities & Law to provide career enhancing opportunities for students. Previously they attended a dinner at The Inner Temple which provided an invaluable networking opportunity with well-established barristers and judges.

**Nursing** - The Nursing Society works closely with charities both locally and nationally to support a wide range of different causes. More recently the society attended the Royal College of Nursing Conference in Belfast.

**Occupational Therapy** - Occupational Therapy hold study days to enhance members skills and held a postnatal knit off in which they knitted and donated hats for premature babies at James Cook University Hospital.

**Paramedics** - The Paramedics regularly organise transport to the Student Paramedic Conference. They have also fundraised to support the Great North Air Ambulance and taught CPR to local primary school students.

Physiotherapy – The Physiotherapy Society regularly complete different challenges in order to raise money for various charities. Two of the challenges they have successfully completed include The Three Peaks Challenge and running the Cleveland Way covering 110 miles in 24 hours.

**TEDx Club** – TEDx Club aims to bring inspirational speakers which make the TED brand so popular to Teesside. Primarily run by post graduates the society aims to promote competency, foster research, improve practice and encourage multi-disciplinary collaboration within the University.

**Midwifery** – Voted Society of the Year 2018 the Midwifery Society has gone from strength to strength running a number of study days enhancing their members' skills and knowledge whilst also supporting 4Louis a charity that aids bereaved parents.

#### **International Students**

Teesside University Students' Union has an ongoing commitment to ensuring our international students enjoy their time at Teesside. This is proven by our ongoing success in i-graduate's International Student Barometer (ISB) which consistently ranks Teesside as one of the best places in the world for our clubs and societies. The Students' Union also works hard to support our international students that travel from across the globe to study here at Teesside. From hosting the English Café we now have 4 societies set up to support our International Students.

International Students' Society - This society was set up to help support international students make friends and build relationships across campus. They regularly attend SU run trips and hold social activities such as a Christmas meal

The below societies also set up to support students from a specific area, they help provide a strong social network and give students the chance to meet other students from their home countries whilst here on Teesside.

#### **The Chinese Society**

#### The Malaysian Society

#### The Nigerian Students' Association

If you are an international student and would like support in setting up your own society get in touch with the Students' Union at activities@tees-su.org.uk.

# Some other societies that may interest you...

ANIME

CINEMA SOCIETY

TABLE TOP GAMING

RE-ENACTMENT

LEGENDS

SOCIETY

LGBTQ+

AIRSOFT

LEAKY

KNITTING

DODGEBALL

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# CAN'T FIND A SOCIETY THAT MATCHES YOUR INTERESTS?



## **START YOUR OWN!!!**

Starting a society supported by the SU is a very simple easy process.

#### STEP ONE

Find 10 students that share the same interest,

#### STEP TWO

Hold an Annual General Meeting to elect a committee consisting of a Chair, Vice-Chair Finance and Vice-Chair Communications.

#### STEP THREE

Complete an induction with the Activities

Development Coordinator and you are good to gol

#### STEP FOUR

Complete a risk assessment, development plan and constitution. Once you have 10 paid members you will get a £100 bonus to help you on the way.

If you are interested in setting one up please email activities@tees-su.org.uk TEESSIDE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' UNION PRESENTS





A big well done to all the societies who won at our Societies Awards in March 2018. Find out more at tees-su.org.uk/awards







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