

STUDY ASSOCIATION

POLIS

Committee Information
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1. General information

Study association POLIS organizes a lot of events for students of Organization Studies and Global Management of Social Issues every year. In order to do this, POLIS hosts a range of different committees, who have the responsibility to organize one or more of these events, or to contribute something to the association in a different way.

If you are a member of POLIS, you can register to be part of one of our committees each year, which makes you an active member! Being an active member is a great way to become more involved with POLIS and to develop yourself in different ways.

Because of the diverse range of committees on offer, becoming an active member is a great option for anyone. Whether you like to organize informal activities such as parties, formal career events or get the best of both worlds, there is always a committee fit for you!

This booklet contains information on every committee within POLIS. We hope this does a good job informing you and we hope to see you as an active member this year!

Love,

The board of 2021 - 2022



2. Committees

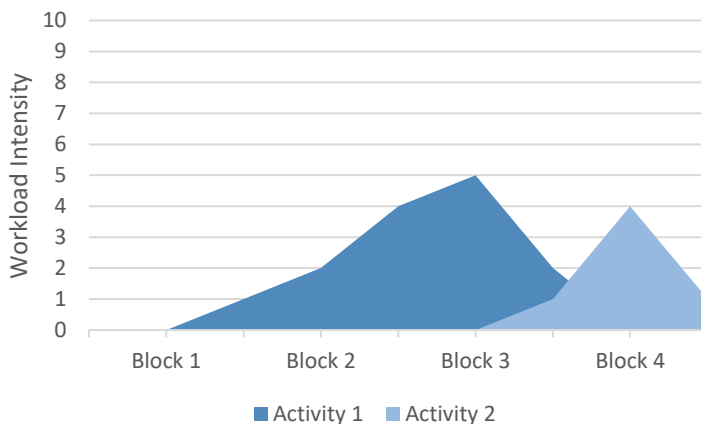
Advancement Committee (AdvanCie)

Formal

In the advancement committee (AdvanCie) you will organize multiple workshops on soft- and hard skill development. These can be from any variety of subjects, from negotiation skills to Excel workshops. This committee doesn't have a heavy workload. During the year, the committee will organize at least two workshops or training sessions.

If you like to organize workshops or even get in contact with different organizations, this committee is for you!

Workload overview

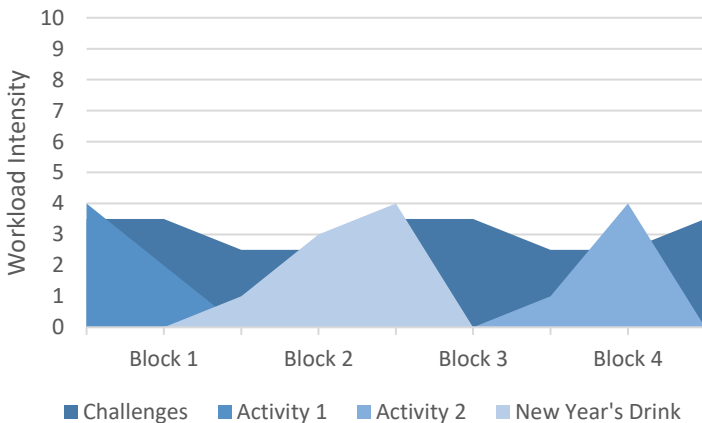


Battle Committee (BaCo)

Informal

Do you like competition? Are you creative and do you always have fun ideas? Can you motivate people to strive for a prize? Then the BaCo is looking for you! In this committee, you will be responsible for the committee competition, a well-known competition within POLIS. With your committee, you will give this competition a whole new image and you will keep the members up to date with the scores. Furthermore, the Battle Committee organizes three themed afternoons at the POLIS room where committees can score extra points for the committee battle.

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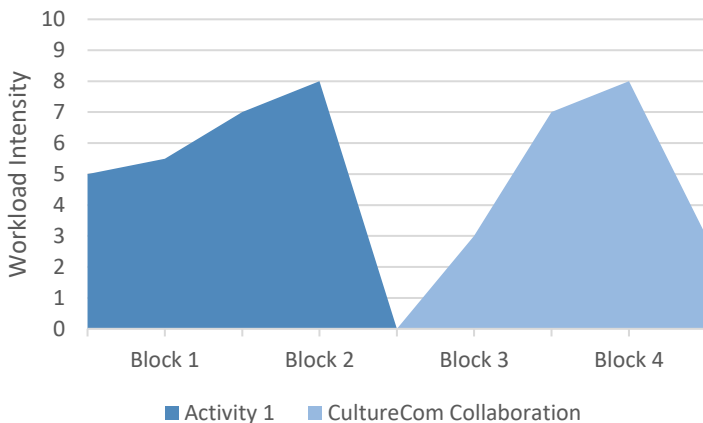


Career Committee (CareerCom)

Formal

The CareerCom has the goal to get students in touch with the working field of Organization Studies and Global Management of Social Issues. You and your fellow committee members will organize two career-oriented activities that will cover both fields of study in at least one of the activities. One of these two events is organized in collaboration with the Culture Committee. The activities are free to fill in, as long as they are career oriented. This committee offers a great opportunity to get in touch with companies related to Organization Studies and Global Management of Social Issues.

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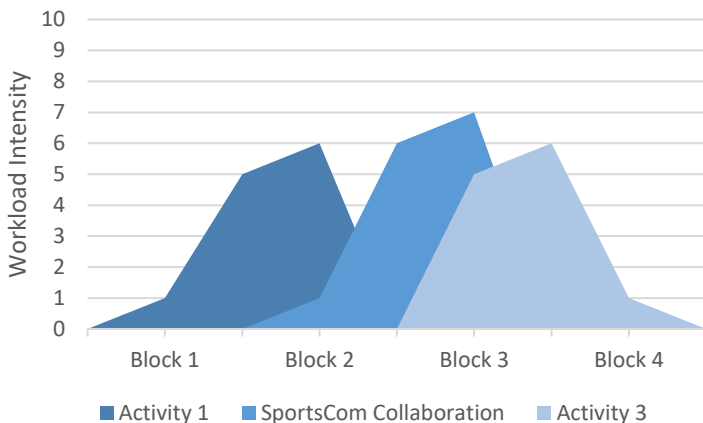


Community Committee (CommuniCie)

Informal + Formal

The Community Committee (CommuniCie) is the newest addition to POLIS. If you care about charity and sustainability, this is the committee for you. This committee focuses on helping the members of POLIS to make a difference in society and raise awareness about sustainable issues. The CommuniCie organizes three events: one fundraising activity, one sustainability-oriented activity and a collaboration with SportsCom!

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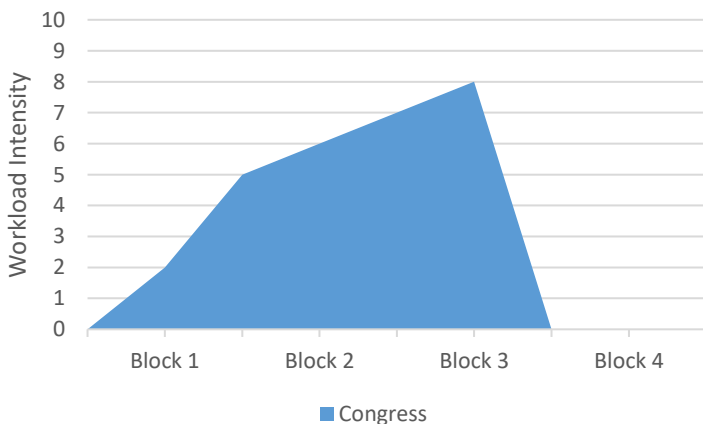


Congress Committee (CongressCom)

Formal

The Congress Committee (CongressCom) organizes a congress each year. The purpose of this congress is to exchange knowledge on a certain topic related to Organization Studies, which you can choose as a committee. If you are interested in organizing a large, informative event tailored to students of Organization Studies, then CongressCom is the committee for you!

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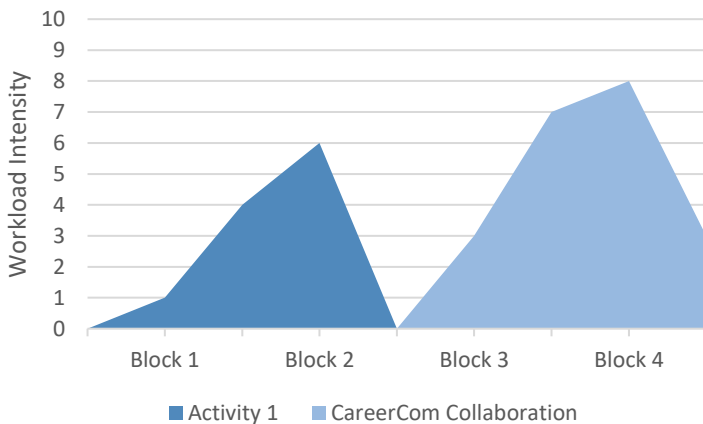


Culture Committee (CultureCom)

Informal

In the Culture Committee (CultureCom), you will organize two events related to culture. The first event will be an easily accessible event during which you try to get as many members as possible in touch with cultural topics. The second event will be a collaboration with CareerCom, during which you combine topics of culture with career-oriented topics. If you are creative, want to work on cultural awareness and want to organize activities with as many participants as possible, you should definitely join this committee!

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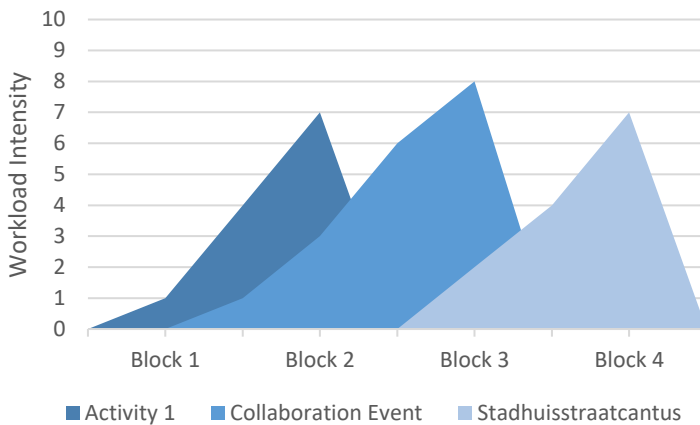


Event Committee (EC)

Informal

The Event Committee (EC) is a committee which allows for a lot of creativity. The EC organizes three informal events throughout the year. The first event is completely up to the committee to fill in, anything goes! The second event will be a collaboration with a different study association, aimed at getting to know even more people. The third event is one of the most exciting and most well-known POLIS events out there: the Stadhuisstraatcantus! If you have that creative spark, and if you get excited at the thought of organizing an amazing cantus, look no further than the EC!

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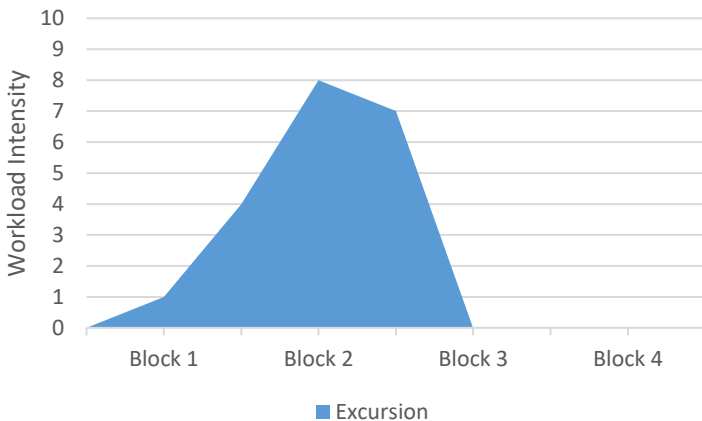


Excursion Committee

Informal + Formal

The Excursion Committee organizes a two-day long excursion to a destination of your choice! You can show everyone the interesting places of the city you're visiting. The excursion is not only about sightseeing and partying, but you will also visit two local companies. The committee is free to choose what they want to organize! The excursion has been very popular since its establishment and takes place at the end of January. If you like being a city guide, and exploring new surroundings with your POLIS friends, the Excursion Committee is exactly where you need to be!

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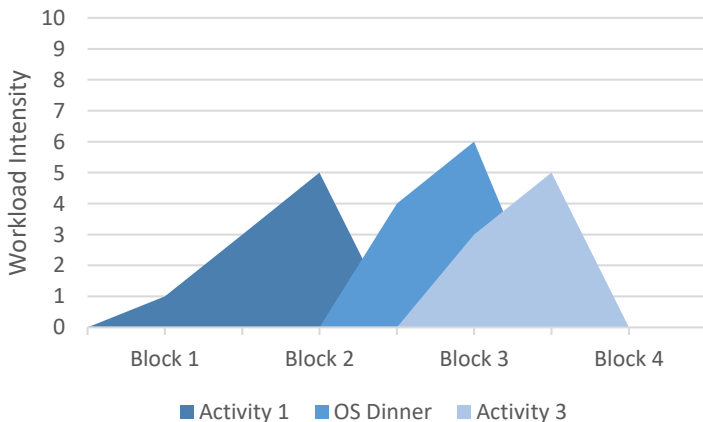


Food Committee (FoodCie)

Informal

Do you love cooking and eating? Then the Food Committee might be the perfect committee for you! The FoodCie will be responsible for organizing three food-related activities. One of the activities will be the OS dinner for OS and GMSI students, which will also be attended by the professors of your study. The other two activities are free to fill in by the committee. This committee has been one of the most creative and fun committees of the previous years!

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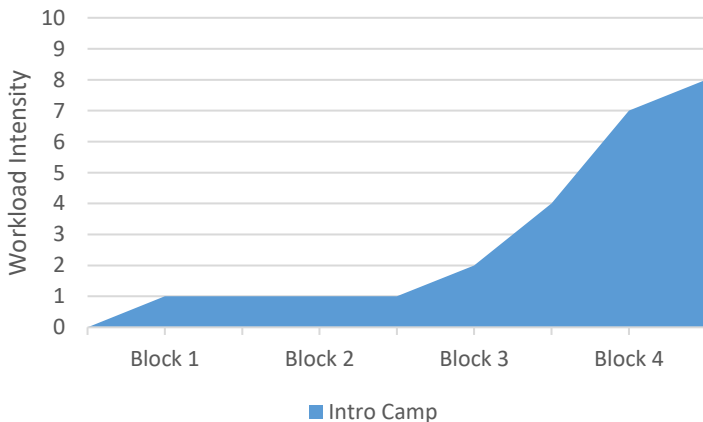


Introduction Committee (Intro)

Informal + Formal

The Introduction Committee (Intro) organizes the introduction camp for the new freshmen. This committee has the freedom to come up with a theme, fun activities and of course take care of the whole weekend. This committee has the longest preparation time and will mainly work on organizing the event during the second half of the year. This committee is a perfect mix between working on fun activities and serious business!

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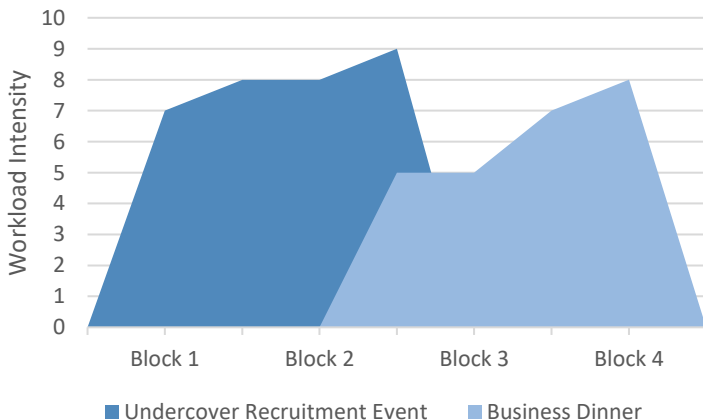


Master Committee (MaC)

Formal

This is a committee especially for (pre-)master students. You will organize two events for the almost graduated students of POLIS. One activity will be the Business Dinner and the other activity will be the Undercover Recruitment Event. Both events provide the opportunity for students to get in touch with potential new employers and share their knowledge and experiences.

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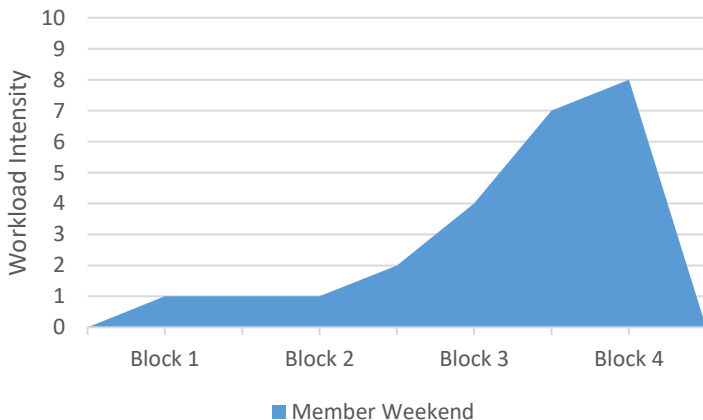


Member Weekend Committee

Informal

The Member Weekend Committee oversees organizing a fun weekend for the members of POLIS, consisting of games and other fun activities. This weekend is always centred around a theme, which the committee can choose themselves. If you want to contribute to creating a legendary weekend which is sure to create long-lasting memories, this is the committee to go to!

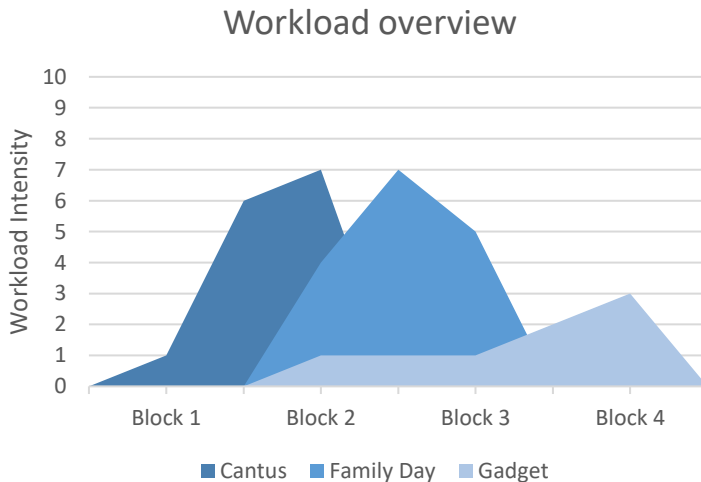
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Promotion Committee (Promo)

Informal

The Promotion Committee (Promo) will show your friends and family what it's like to study Organization Studies or Global Management of Social Issues and to be a member of POLIS. You will organize a family day, and a bring- your-friends cantus. At the end of the year, you will also create a POLIS-gadget that all the members of the association can order.

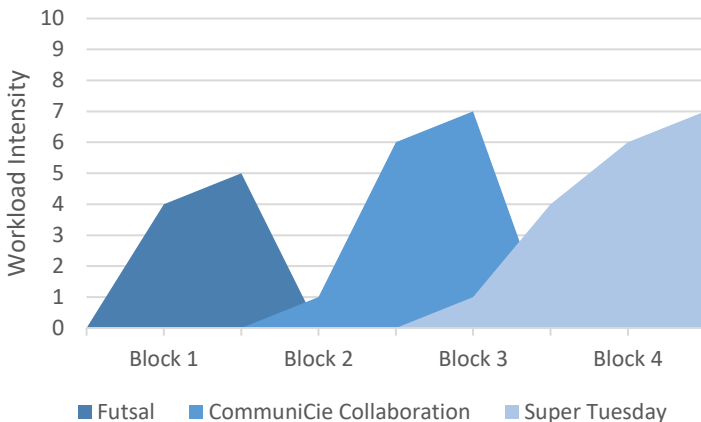


Sports Committee (SportsCom)

Informal

The SportsCom is a committee which has the goal to organize three sport- related activities. The SportsCom combines sport with informality and/or formality, this makes the committee very diverse. The SportsCom has become an icon within our association, because the events are very popular. During the year, you will organize a futsal tournament in which the department of OS also participates, an event in collaboration with the CommuniCie and of course the famous Super Tuesday, which is the very last activity of the year!

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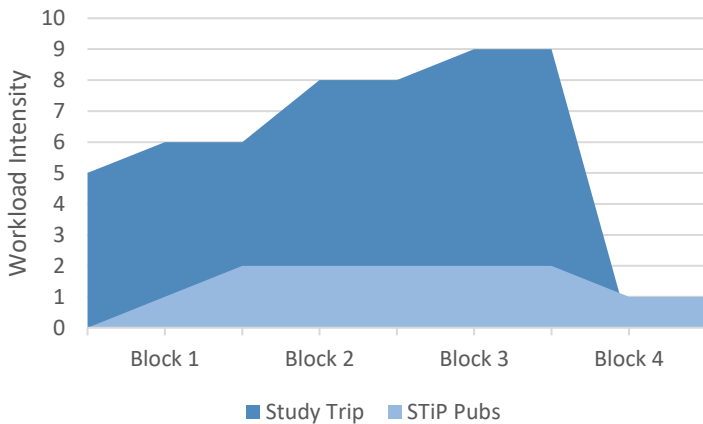


Study Trip Committee (STiP)

Informal + Formal

The Study Trip Committee (STiP) is one of the most popular committees to be part of. The Study Trip Committee will organize a trip to a place which the committee can choose, this year to a country outside of Europe. This committee takes more effort, but results in a fantastic, unique event. During the trip, some companies and the local university will be visited, but the most important element is to see as much of the destination in a small amount of time.

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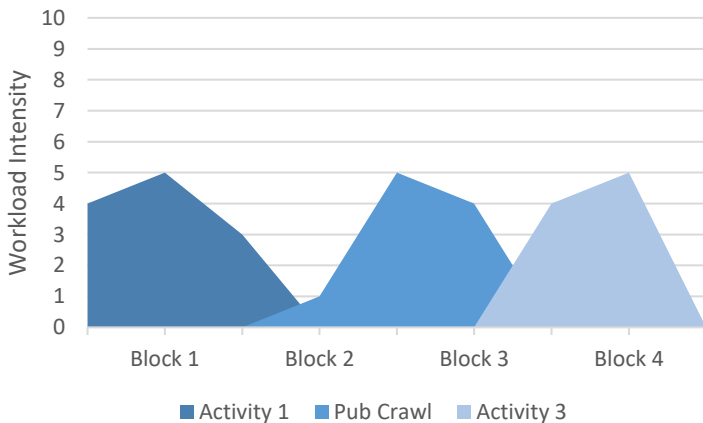


Theme Party Committee (TiPCie)

Informal

In the Theme Party Committee (TiPCie), you will organize the most famous, most well-visited and notorious parties of Study Association POLIS. You and your fellow committee members will organize two theme parties and a pub crawl through Tilburg. You are free to come up with the craziest ideas and themes and transform 'Café de Boekanier' completely into the theme. From experience we can tell: nothing is too much or too crazy at TiPCie parties!

Workload overview



Yearbook Committee

Informal + Formal

In the Yearbook Committee, you and your fellow committee members will be responsible for creating the famous almanac. The almanac is a yearbook which looks back at the whole year and captures all the beautiful memories. Don't worry, it won't be just writing and editing all year! You will also help organize the New Years Drink where all POLIS members can meet again after the winter break and wish each other a happy new year! If you are creative and would like to capture memories of the whole year in a wonderful almanac, you should join the Yearbook Committee!

Workload overview



3. Committee Functions

In every committee, members take on different functions. These functions all come with their own, unique tasks and responsibilities.

Chairman

The chairman has the responsibility of leading every committee meeting. You will have to schedule each meeting and set up an agenda for those meetings too. It is your task to call enough meetings, and to make sure tasks are divided equally among your committee members. During your committee's events, you have the ultimate responsibility to make sure things run smoothly. Every committee also includes one board member, your coordinator, who will be your right hand in the committee and will assist you in all of these tasks.

Secretary

The most important task a secretary has, is keeping the minutes of each meeting. It is important to document that which has been discussed and decided during meetings, so the committee can always reference it later. Being a secretary also means you are tasked with checking whether your fellow committee members have completed their tasks on time. You also keep track of how many crosses (strikes) each committee member has gotten. Getting too many crosses results in somebody being punished in any way the committee has agreed to.



Treasurer

Being the treasurer of a committee, means you will be responsible for the money spent and received by the committee. You will keep track of how much budget the committee has to work with, and you will draw up balance sheets for each of the committee's events. You will also be supported by your coordinator and the board's treasurer.

Public Relations (PR)

As a PR officer, your main task is to contact external parties on behalf of your committee. When the committee needs to get in touch with a pub, company, prom venue, etc., it is your job to contact them, maintain contact, and notify your committee of any updates.

Publicist

The role of publicist is a brand new one, and an exciting one at that! As a publicist, you will be responsible for promoting and communicating your committee's efforts to the rest of the association. You will make sure your events will be properly announced and have a beautiful poster to go along with that. More than anyone else, you want to excite as many members as possible to come visit your committee's events!



Chief of Drinks

Being in a committee is about more than just organizing events. In your role as chief of drinks, you are tasked with organizing fun activities, such as drinks, with your committee. This is a great way of getting to know each other and creating a great atmosphere in the committee. You will also be included in a WhatsApp group with all the association's chiefs of drinks, so you can easily reach out to other committees to join you for some fun too! As a fun extra, you will also be involved in organizing two chief of drinks activities during the year.

Chief of BaCo

As described earlier in this booklet, the Battle Committee (BaCo) always organizes a competition between committees to complete as many challenges as they can. Your job as chief of BaCo is to make your committee aware of which tasks are up for completion, and to make sure your committee racks up as many BaCo points as possible!

If you are planning on signing up as an active member, you don't need to apply for a specific function right away (with exception of the role of chairman). We recommend you just browse through this booklet and get a feel for which committee you'd like to be a part of first!

