**Sloan Runners Bylaws**

**Article I: Purpose**

The mission of theSloan Runners Club is to provide Sloan students who have a desire to participate in recreational and competitive running a community of athletes with whom to connect.  We hope that the Sloan Runners Club will encourage students to make running a part of their lifestyle to improve overall wellness and reduce stress.

**Article II: Membership**

1. Any member of the MIT Sloan community (e.g. undergraduates, graduates, faculty, staff, SOs, Sloan alumni) is eligible to become a member of this club.
2. One is considered a member of this club in any given academic term if (s)he has paid monetary dues in the amount of $0 and/or attended at least one club activity and one meeting in the preceding or current term.
3. Members will receive the following benefits:
   1. Organized group runs at scheduled times
   2. Invitations to races and social events
   3. Informal coaching and training when provided by the club
   4. Option to purchase Sloan Runners attire
   5. Participation in sponsorship offerings
   6. Access to group events and training sessions within organized MIT spaces (e.g. indoor track, outdoor track)
4. The club’s membership will at all times consist of at least 5 MIT Sloan students and be comprised of more than half undergraduate or graduate MIT Sloan students.
5. This club will not discriminate based on any characteristic listed in MIT's Nondiscrimination Statement.

**Article III: Officers**

1. This club will have at a minimum three officers:
   1. President: The president shall be the official representative of the club to any other organization and to MIT; preside over all meetings; and be responsible for determining when meetings are held and publicizing this to the club.
   2. Finance lead: The finance lead shall be responsible for the finances of the club and is required to complete the financial training.
   3. Space signatory: The space signatory shall be responsible for managing all requests for space on behalf of the club and liaising with Sloan Educational Services and the Campus Activities Complex.

\*All officers of this club must be distinct current MIT Sloan students.

1. Appointment:
   1. 2nd year leadership will send out an e-mail in the fall to ask 1st year students to nominate themselves for a Co-President position
   2. The Presidents will be selected by 2nd year leadership based on involvement in the club, leadership ability, expected commitments, and overall passion for running.
   3. We recommend having 2-3 presidents.
2. Removal: Officers may be removed by a two-thirds vote of the members.
3. Resignation: Officers may resign their office by giving one month’s notice in writing to the club.

**Article IV: Meetings**

1. No meetings are required
2. Goal is to have at least one group run per week

**Article V: Amendments**

1. Amendments shall be presented by any member of the club.
2. Amendments shall be passed by a two-thirds voted of the members present.
3. Quorum for amending this constitution shall be two-thirds of all members of the club.

**Article VI: Student Life Governance Clause**

The Sloan Runners Club agrees to abide by Sloan Values and the recognition requirements of the Sloan Student Clubs. These bylaws, and any amendments to them, shall be subject to review by the MIT Sloan Student Life to ensure that they are in accordance with the aforementioned requirements.