

STUDENTS’ REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL (SRC) CONSTITUTION

# Goldstone Software Engineering Institute

## PREAMBLE

We, the students of Goldstone Software Engineering Institute (Goldstone), recognizing the importance of student representation in academic, social, and administrative affairs, hereby establish this Constitution for the Students’ Representative Council (SRC) to promote unity, leadership, and student empowerment.

## ARTICLE 1: NAME

This organization shall be known as the Students’ Representative Council (SRC) of Goldstone Software Engineering Institute.

## ARTICLE 2: AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

The SRC shall:

1. Represent the interests and welfare of all students.

2. Act as a formal communication channel between students and the Institute’s administration.

3. Advocate for academic and institutional improvement.

4. Encourage participation in extracurricular, social, and cultural activities.

5. Uphold the values and code of conduct of the Institute.

## ARTICLE 3: MEMBERSHIP

1. All registered students of Goldstone are members of the student body.

2. All students in good academic and disciplinary standing are eligible to vote in SRC elections.

3. Only full-time students are eligible to be elected or nominated to stand for SRC office.

## ARTICLE 4: STRUCTURE OF THE SRC

The SRC shall consist of:

Executive Committee:

* - President
* - Vice President
* - Secretary General
* - Treasurer
* - Academic Affairs Officer
* - Student Life and Welfare Officer

## ARTICLE 5: ELECTIONS

1. Elections shall be conducted annually under the supervision of the Academic Dean’s Office.

2. Nominees must:

* - Be full-time students in good academic and disciplinary standing.
* - Submit a nomination form endorsed by at least 5 students.

3. Campaigning must follow institutional guidelines and maintain academic integrity.

4. Voting shall be conducted via secret ballot, either manually or electronically.

## ARTICLE 6: TERM OF OFFICE

1. Each SRC member shall serve a one-year term.

2. No member may serve more than two consecutive terms in the same position.

## ARTICLE 7: MEETINGS

1. The SRC shall hold at least one open general meeting per semester.

2. Executive meetings shall occur monthly.

3. Special or emergency meetings may be called by the President or upon request by one-third of the SRC.

## ARTICLE 8: FINANCES

1. The SRC shall maintain transparent financial records of all income and expenses.
2. The Treasurer shall present quarterly reports to both the Student Affairs Office and the student body.
3. All funds shall be used for activities that benefit the student body and have SRC approval.
4. All SRC positions are not remunerated by the Goldstone.

## ARTICLE 9: REMOVAL FROM OFFICE

1. Grounds for removal include:

* - Misconduct
* - Incompetence or dereliction of duty
* - Violation of the SRC Constitution

2. Removal requires a two-thirds vote by the SRC following a fair hearing.

## ARTICLE 10: AMENDMENTS

1. Any student may propose an amendment to the Constitution in writing.

2. Proposed amendments must be debated at a general meeting.

3. A two-thirds majority vote is required for adoption of any amendment.

4. Any amendment need to be approved by Goldstone’s governing body (College Board).

## ARTICLE 11: IMPLEMENTATION & INTERPRETATION

1. This Constitution shall be implemented in accordance with institutional policies and student governance regulations.

2. The interpretation of this Constitution shall rest with the SRC Executive in consultation with the Student Affairs Office.