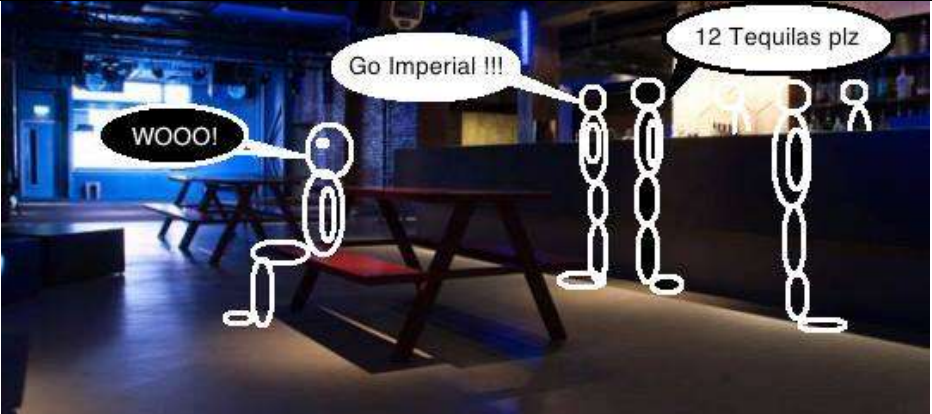



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Club Name:	ACCExec
E-activities code:	000
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We're broke, subject to an ADB application due to inconsistencies with sports hall funding.
Membership	N/A
Sporting Achievements	Overall a really successful year. Lots of promotions, a few slight incidents and working towards the first ever ARCS dinner.
Best event?	The first ACC barnight of the year had over 1100 people attending and, via sponsorship made £1000. H
Plans for next year?	Better barnights, potentially away from south ken. Use the money to build up a supply of communal kit like the RCC/subsidise the big end of term dinner
Any issues this year?	Number of minibuses bookable, training times at Harlington and some nakedness.
Best pictures:	

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Club Name:	ACC Cheerleading (IC Titans)
Eactivities code:	001
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	Although we had more expenses this year (professional coaching costs, competition costs..) we managed to cover all of our expenses and leave the club in a good financial position for next year.
Membership	44 current members
Sporting Achievements	Our team won 3 rd place in the UK during the BCA National Cheerleading competition against both professional and university teams across the UK. Our group stunts won 1st and 3 rd place in the UK in their respective categories. We also won a bid to compete in a European cheerleading competition.
Best event?	Our annual fundraiser "Save the Cheerleader was a big success this year and managed to raise a significant amount of money that was used to subsidize competition costs for our members. The highlight of this year still remains BCA competition and the team placing 3 rd in the UK which is the highest place ever obtained in the club's history.
Plans for next year?	We are currently in negotiations with potential sponsors and hope to be able to obtain sponsorship for next year. We also aim to compete on another competition (Legacy) beside BCA in order to offer more opportunity to our members
Any issues this year?	No issues within the club or the committee. Only issue we encountered was the bad distribution of the Spring Tour Funding which we really relied on the fund our competition and hence made subsidizing competition costs more difficult for our club.
Best picture:	

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Club Name:	ACC Cross Country
Eactivities code:	008
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	Good financial position thanks to the Hyde Park Relays which made a profit of £1515. Current balance 6,364.82, deliberately reduced from last year through increased event subsidy, we were told our SGI was too high.
Membership	126
Sporting Achievements	Two Silvers in BUCS Outdoor Athletics. 7 th and 8 th Teams in BUCS Cross Country. Won Oxford University Relays
Best event?	Brighton 10k in November saw 40 members travel down for the day. Really great achievements and social afterwards.
Plans for next year?	Another international trip (Paris half marathon or a Relay Race in the Netherlands, which we attended this year and last year respectively, or new event) this time with more people, increase athletics participation and challenge the new London Athletics League title.
Any issues this year?	
Best picture:	

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Club Name:	ACC Cycling
Eactivities code:	009
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We have managed to continue our sponsorship with Eaton, helping us continue our strong financial position. They have given us £3,000 again this year, which will hopefully help to purchase a club time trial bike to allow us to compete at a higher level.
Membership	49/40 (members/target) + 2 life members
Sporting Achievements	Increase in participation to the BUCS time trial events and continued participation in the BUCS road race and hill climb races.
Best event?	Hopefully our summer tour to the French alps will be one of the best club events ever. We plan to do 5 days of riding covering many famous climbs such as Alpe d'Huez
Plans for next year?	Better accommodate differing fitness levels within the group, including stricter training sessions as well as more casual rides. Continue to retain strong membership levels
Any issues this year?	Nothing major. Had to cancel our Snowdonia trip due to weather conditions, but managed to organise to go to the Peak District instead last minute.

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Best picture:



Club Name:	ACC Dance
Eactivities code:	108
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently are in a good financial position, with £6,808.35 in the bank. SGI has made £28,274.80, we have used £5,000 from Harlington and have exhausted our grant. We have applied for non-BUCS grant and turnover has been high and variable throughout the year. Classes will continue through the summer and our financial situation should remain stable.
Membership	259 of 210 (123.33%)
Sporting Achievements	We went to four university competitions including Nottingham, Sheffield, SUDC and IVDC. We also supported our members going to UK Open competitions
Best event?	Dance Club Summer Ball, mixing alumni, Dance Imperial and current members of Ballroom, Latin and Salsa, packed out the UCH and a great night of entertainment with professional demonstrations and the new committee performance. Good feedback from all.
Plans for next year?	We want to increase our membership, gain discounts from dancewear shops and find sponsorship for events such as a winter ball, summer ball, international tour and socials.
Any issues this year?	Not enough room space, inadequate officer training

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Best picture:



Club Name:	ACC Fencing
Eactivities code:	10
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently have just under £2,000 in the bank, which shouldn't change significantly after Summer term training sessions. Our main expenses have been £3200 on coaching, £3300 on ground hire, £1300 on equipment and repairs, and £4000 on travel and accommodation for BUCS. We've brought in £6000 in SGI.
Membership	102/85 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	Women's 2 nd team won their league with more than twice the points of the team in second, and won their BUCS trophy competition; all other teams finished comfortably in their leagues. We came back from BUCS Individuals with 1xGold, 2xSilver, and 1xBronze.
Best event?	Tri-weapon tournament – a three-person team competition, where the order each person fences in is fixed but which of the three weapons they use is randomised.
Plans for next year?	Introduce sessions from September for previous year's intermediates to help them develop and become integral members of the club. Find sponsorship in order to cover ground hire costs for matches.
Any issues this year?	The subsidy Sport Imperial give us for BUCS Individuals took several months to finally reach us (it's here now

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	thankfully).
Best picture:	

Club Name:	ACC Ultimate Frisbee
Eactivities code:	035
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We have had a difficult year financially, having received less funding this year than the previous year. We are waiting to receive a refund for a large number of Ethos sessions that we cancelled but had to pay for up-front.
Membership	51/45 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We finished 11 th in the country at Mixed Indoor Nationals, the highest ever finish for the club; qualified for Nationals in both the indoor and outdoor categories; won trophies in both beginners and experienced tournaments throughout the year
Best event?	Taking part in the SICKO indoor beginner's tournament at the beginning of the year. This was a hugely successful weekend and ensured that the beginners were exposed to the sport in a way that otherwise would not have been possible. This ensured that a large majority of these beginners went on to play an active role in the club and are in next years' committee
Plans for next year?	A new BUCS league is being introduced next year so the club will be undergoing significant changes to facilitate this. We plan to compete with the best university teams in the UK in this league and earn some BUCS points. We will ensure recruitment is as effective this year as last year and continue to increase membership

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Any issues this year?	There have been some communication issues with Sport Imperial in organising training sessions, including a double booking meaning we missed a crucial session. A lack of funding has meant that the players have paid more than in previous years for indoor training sessions and accommodation at tournaments.
Best picture:	

Club Name:	ACC Golf
Eactivities code:	011
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently are in a good financial position, with £2,031 in the bank. We have not quite spent our entire grant but look to fund more tuition before the end of the term. We also plan to invest in a new set of ties.
Membership	34/20 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We held our own in the BUCS league this year despite difficult competition. Our 1 st team Captain Rob Hollinshead was a fantastic leader.
Best event?	Our best event this year was the Spring Cup. A tournament hosted at Denham Golf Club that has been played since 1927. This was very well attended and enjoyed by all.
Plans for next year?	We plan to further increase our membership. This year our 1 st team sometimes struggled for players so we want to really encourage all members to get involved in the team if they wish to do so. We would also like to organise another tour to possibly a more exotic location than Wales.
Any issues this year?	It was difficult at times as the 2014-2015 president was in his final year of studying so wasn't able to fully commit to the club. However this gave the current committee more experience in what is required to run the club. Also, our membership struggled towards the start of the year. We have had a late surge this summer but ideally we would like more people to be involved in the club throughout the year.

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Best picture:



Club Name:	ACC Handball
Eactivities code:	060
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	Our finances are looking fine, we have put aside ~£1000 in SGI to fund a trip this summer
Membership	28/30 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	Beat most of the other London Uni teams.
Best event?	Hopefully yet to come, we are planning a beach handball trip to Bournemouth this summer
Plans for next year?	We want to come top of the LUSL league again. Hopefully build a stable team without the many people leaving this year
Any issues this year?	This year has been a disaster for the club. We always struggle with numbers and this year commitment was an issue too. The league struggled with fixtures and with unis entering more teams than they could actually field teams for many games went un-played. The uni champs were also out of question due to an unforeseen increase in price to over £100 per player.

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Club Name:	ACC Ju-Jitsu
Eactivities code:	013
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We have been able to make a profit of £700 this year, despite paying several outstanding bills from last year (adding up to £1,000). We are currently in excellent financial shape at £2,500 total, the highest it has been since the club was founded
Membership	38/27 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We have had 13 members go up a belt, and 5 members go up two belts this year. There is another grading coming up with possibly 7 more people going up a belt. We also had our highest attendance at the BUCS Atemi National Competitions yet.
Best event?	Sport: Our first GIAG session was hugely popular to both male and female students interested in self-defence. Social: Nandos Club Social. The improved financial situation of the club allowed more subsidy which greatly increased this event's attendance and atmosphere!
Plans for next year?	Increase membership of graduate and post-grad students, and increase participation for Randori National

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	Competition. Also encourage more inter-club events.
Any issues this year?	We had a disappointing turnout for Randori National Competition. Club hoodies arrived too late in the year to show off at national events.
Best picture:	 <p>Give It A Go – October 2014</p>

Club Name:	IC Judo
Eactivities code:	014
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	The club is in a good financial position, with £1500 in the bank. £840 of this has been earmarked to pay our coach this term. This year the club has turned over £6608.76, and will have spent £5979.85, generating £628.91 of SGI to add to last years £674.23 of SGI.
Membership	50/50 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We won various medals in The Southend International Open and managed 4 BUCS points, as non Dan-grade medals do not count for this purpose. We achieved 4 medals in the London Open.
Best event?	The few sessions after Fresher's Fair were awesome, we had full sessions for a couple of weeks and our membership numbers soared. Two GIAG sessions were run where we managed to recruit a few extra members.
Plans for next year?	<p>We want to conduct an extra training session for the competitors so they can up their game and hopefully get us more BUCS points in next year's competition.</p> <p>At least maintain the number of members and perhaps increase them by means of higher club advertisement.</p>

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Any issues this year?	<p>Half our competition team left, and the team spirit was reduced, but we have a few very talented new recruits, so hopefully the spark will be re-lit next year.</p> <p>Because of this, the club lost its Strength and Conditioning support from Sport Imperial, which led to a notable reduction in athlete performance.</p>
Best picture:	

Club Name:	ACC Krav Maga
Eactivities code:	072
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We expect to be more or less flat at the end of the year once the rest of the grant has been spent to purchase the outstanding equipment (supplier was out of stock) and the remaining funds on the SGI will go to the payment of the instructor fees over summer term.
Membership	23/20 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	N/A
Best event?	For GIAG we ran a first free class that allowed us to gather a group of motivated people from the beginning of the year.
Plans for next year?	We intend to continue developing the society and promoting it at the Fresher's fair next year, to improve on the quality of sessions thanks to more equipment and a mix of beginners and more advanced people.
Any issues this year?	Lots, as this was a new society and we had no Union funding this year. So we had to monitor the budget very cautiously. But everything has been essentially fixed. The critical outstanding thing is the fact we have no storage space, entailing we cannot make the inventory nor apply to the Harlington Thrust Fund. Given that we did not get any

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	equipment related funding precisely for that reason, getting it sorted by the end of the term is currently the big challenge!
Best picture:	Afraid we were too focused throughout the year to take pictures! :p But lots of cool pictures should be coming next year!

Club Name:	ACC Football
E-activities code:	001
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We are in a good financial position due to thorough budgeting and a solid year in terms of sponsorship.
Membership	148/130 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	Our first team won the LUSL premier division and our 3 rd team gained promotion in BUCS for the 3 rd successive season. Our 1 st , 2 nd , 4 th and futsal teams all came close to promotion in BUCS. In total we obtained 41 BUCS points.
Best event?	Our annual dinner consisted of 100 members, 25 alumni (one who graduated in 1975) and 15 members of the women's football club at the Rembrandt in South Kensington. Loads of great speeches and awards handed out.
Plans for next year?	Expand the number of members playing futsal and continue with their integration to the club (clubs merged 2 years ago). Continue to run a club that caters for all abilities and provide a range of social events throughout the year that appeal to all members.
Any issues this year?	We do not agree with the decision to move elections to take part in the big elections. This year we had close to 100 members in attendance, comfortably meeting quorum and believe that the elections would lose a lot of character and excitement for voters and those standing if they are to be moved to an electronic

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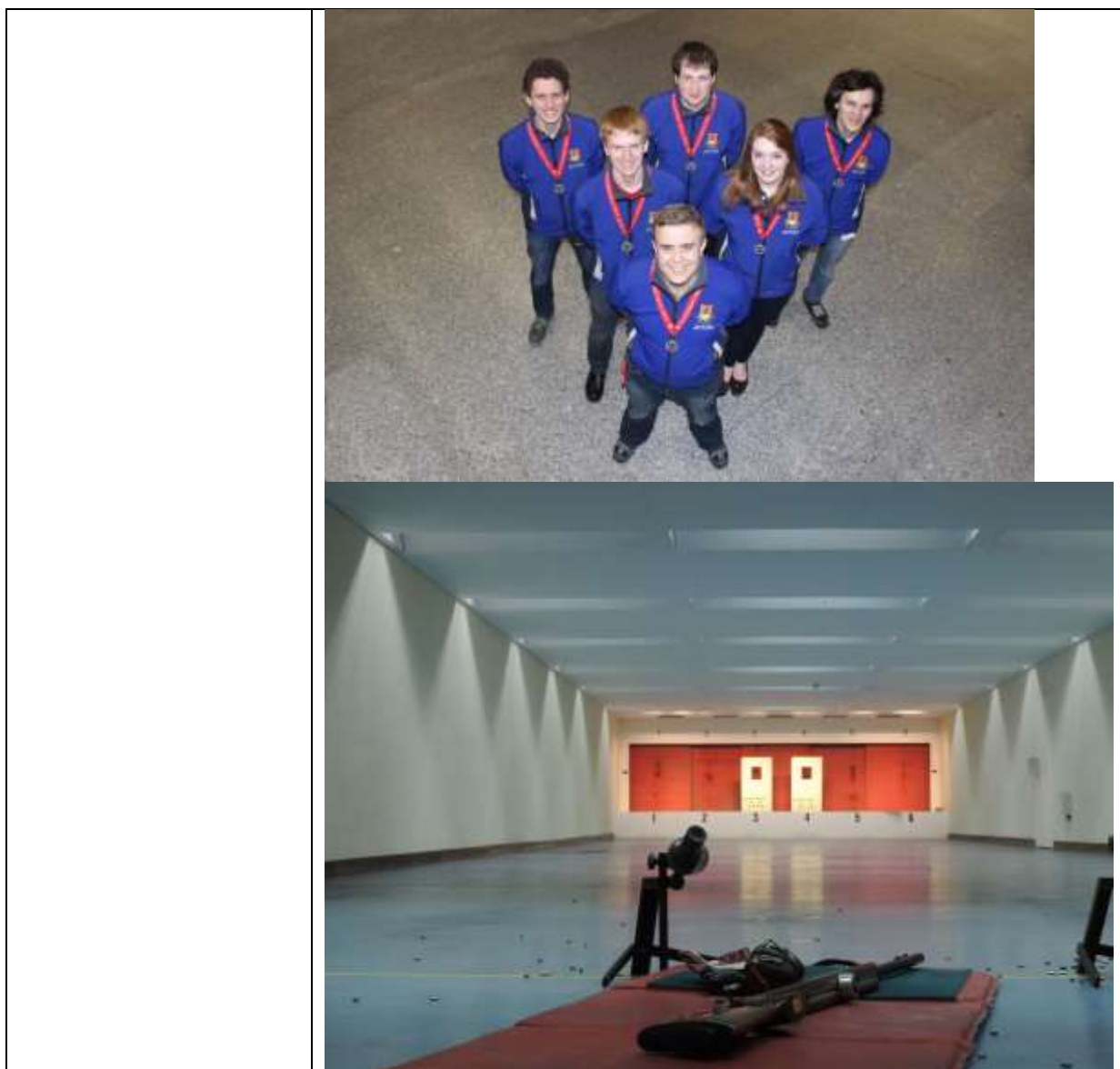
	system.
Best pictures:	Our elections and then our 1 st XI squad the morning before they played in the LUSL cup final (they lost but it was another great day as the players made the most of the occasion and we took a coach full of fans.



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Club Name:	ACC Rifle and Pistol
Eactivities code:	020
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We will be making a slight loss this year; however this is primarily due to the acquisition of new rifles. By the end of the year our turnover will be approximated £18k, with our grant for next year rising to just under £6k.
Membership	163/110 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We have come 2 nd in short-range BUCS; the best result for our club in its known history. Three people have also qualified for the finals of a national air pistol competition.
Best event?	Easter Bisley – A week long training event that saw about 25 people of all levels attending. Held in conjunction with Exeter and Southampton Universities the week offered a variety of different events, both sporting and social.
Plans for next year?	Plans for next year include expanding our activities to accommodate our increased number of active members and potentially our first ever tour. We also hope to expand gallery shooting (a discipline of our sport) to allow us to partake in future competitions of that discipline.
Any issues this year?	We have unfortunately had one unexpected bill that was unpaid from a couple of years previous coming to a few hundred pounds (this may potentially be put through as a contingency claim when the amount is settled on), but other than that have had a fairly smooth year. There was a bit of an issue over the Big Elections, but fortunately the union were able to exempt us from having our committee elected in it to resolve this!
Best picture:	I can't decide; take your pick!

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Club Name:	ACC Sailing
Eactivities code:	023
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We are in a reasonably good financial position with £300.00 in the bank
Membership	20/20
Sporting Achievements	We have attended five events this year as a team with several members attending even more sailing with other teams. We have also ensured that any of our members who were keen have been able to attend at least one event.
Plans for next year?	We would like to attend more events and increase our membership. We would also like to qualify for at least BUSA playoffs
Any issues this year?	We have struggled slightly to maintain attendance of

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	beginners towards the end of the year as people have got busier.
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Club Name:	ACC Shotokan Karate
Eactivities code:	015
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	The income of the club is from membership and term class fees, most of which is paid for the instructor. Due to the limited grant support and decreased BUCS funding from the union, we will face a deficit for this year's finance and experience a significant decrease in SGI reserve.
Membership	22/22 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We won a bronze medal at Individual Kata at Bucs.
Best event?	We sent 10 members to a KWF weekend course in south London in February and visited another dojo in St. Andrews, Scotland, for training in November 2014. We celebrated Burns Night 2015 with a Karate Ceilidh.
Plans for next year?	Boost membership
Any issues this year?	The floor in the UDH is not suitable for barefoot training.

Best picture:



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Club Name:	ACC Swimming and Water Polo
Eactivities code:	028
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently are in a good financial position, we should break even this year and next year the budget that we were allocated should put us in a good position
Membership	97/82 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We won the inter university swimming gala that we run, women's water polo got through to the finals in Sheffield and stayed in the premier division.
Best event?	Our water polo tour in November is always a popular weekend away with many stories being brought back.
Plans for next year?	We want to continue increasing the number of people going to Swimming BUCS competitions and for water polo we want to both the male and female teams to make it to the national finals.
Any issues this year?	The budget for this year was quite limited so we had to manage the finances quite strictly.


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Club Name:	ACC Tae Kwon Do
Eactivities code:	052
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently are in a good financial position, with £1300 in the bank. Turnover this year has been £13000.
Membership	71/45 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We came 1 st place in team ranking at Imperial College Open (ICO) 2014 and came 3 rd place in Team ranking for WTF sparring event at British Student National Championship 2015! Recently, we have competed at English Open 2015, bringing home 4 medals for 3 competitors.
Best event?	ICO 2014 was the best event of the year! It was hosted by the club committee and attracted over 230 UK students across 26 universities! It was the biggest event we ever hosted and we had so much fun!
Plans for next	Currently organising a Spain Tour to visit the Spanish Taekwondo

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year?	National Team and started organising ICO for the next academic year. Maintain our membership number and continue to provide high quality training to our members.
Any issues this year?	We had limited storage space, which is stopping us from purchasing our own taekwondo mats. This affects our training and our performance.
Best picture:	

Club Name:	ACC Volleyball
Eactivities code:	031
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	The Club is currently in a good financial state (unless the BUCS matches are charged!). Currently about £2.7k remain, however we are still expecting a number of claims and an Ethos charge for summer trainings, so this will be reduced substantially.
Membership	87/45 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	80 points total -BUCS women: 3 rd place in 1 st division (<i>1st year back in 1st division</i>) -BUCS men: 2 nd place in 1 st division -BUCS men: BUCS Trophy Champions!!!
Best event?	Charity Volleyball Tournaments This was the first year that the Club organised Charity Volleyball Tournaments, raising money for two different charities. It was a great way to combine the love for the sport with raising awareness and donating to good causes. It was the perfect opportunity to engage with a wider community beyond our membership, as the

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	tournaments were open to all, and collaborate with the Imperial College Rag society.
Plans for next year?	This year the Club saw many greats and firsts. We hope to be able to continue this positive growth and development next year. We aim to achieve a membership of at least 70. In terms of training we want to schedule trainings according to levels, ensuring that the teams can train effectively for their matches. The men's team is aiming for 1 st place in the 1 st division while the women are aiming for at least 2 nd place in their 1 st division. The charity tournaments, which started this year, will become an annual event.
Any issues this year?	The Club struggled at the beginning of the year due to the unexpected record-high membership. The trainings and the teams suffered due to overcrowding. Ground hire being the main (and a very expensive!) expense of the Club is always an issue (both in terms of availability and finances). The Club managed to eventually add an extra training slot to support the high numbers.
Best picture:	<p>'Where History Begins – BUCS Trophy Champions!'</p> 

Club Name:	ACC Wing Chun
Eactivities code:	033
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We are in a decent financial position. We have approximately £1600 from SGI. We are also expecting about the same amount for next year's budget. Since the primary source of expenditure is instruction fees, we are in good shape to continue affording our excellent instructor.
Membership	28/30 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	Not applicable.

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Best event?	Club socials at the end of 1 st and 2 nd term. These events helped create a mutual bond between members. Everyone is familiar and friendly towards each other and this cultivated a good atmosphere during training.
Plans for next year?	Integrate ourselves moreso with the UK Wing Chun Kung Fu Association with respect to training outside of normal club times. We hope to expand membership.
Any issues this year?	None.
Best picture:	Not applicable.

Club Name:	ACC Windsurfing
Eactivities code:	005
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	SGI has been used to cover small grant allocation. Forecast to leave just over £200 SGI (+375 – tour savings). Large investments from AD and Harlington (£4100) allowed for significant equipment improvements.
Membership	32/25 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	Top Individual Achievements: (Vasilis Lyras) 1 st in the Advanced racing SWA event series, winning a board sponsorship. (Sam Cooper) 5 th place individual finisher in the BUCS advanced fleet. BUCS team 1 st in heats, 6 th overall finish.
Best event?	Aussie Kiss, Student Windsurfing festival Bude Cornwall. 2 days windsurfing for all abilities. Freestyle competitions, instructor clinics, beginner sessions and team racing.
Plans for next year?	We are desperate for an Easter Tour to Egypt. Additional beginner training programs to bring beginners through the club.
Any issues this year?	Storage Situation: Currently a shipping containing in White city houses all our equipment, but this is very impractical to fetch from and there are talks of moving them elsewhere. We would also like union storage for land windsurfers.

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Club Name:	ACC Womens Football
Eactivities code:	002
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently are in a good financial position, with around £1450 in SGI. Currently have a large unspent grant due to not training at Harlington this year.
Membership	27/20 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	Placed 4 th in BUCS league.
Best event?	Group trip to watch England vs Germany womens game.
Plans for next year?	We will look into going on tour, and also will expand to two teams, one in LUSL and one in BUCS. Also we will try and increase our membership to 30. Since we nearly reached that number this year, we are confident that we will reach this target.
Any issues this year?	Handover from last year's committee was rather brief and left us unprepared, which led to us to not being able to train at Harlington this year and also submitting a few things late such as the FA affiliation.

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Club Name:	ACC Badminton
Eactivities code:	003
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	We currently are in a good financial position, with £8,000 in the bank (Some booking fees, totalling a couple of £1000s are still pending) and we've made £8000 from SGI.
Membership	173/175 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	The women's team won the 1 st division in BUCS and the promotion matches. Therefore they will be promoted to the premium division next year.
Best event?	Training sessions, which were held regularly every week, aim to promote the sport to complete beginners.
Plans for next year?	We want to look for sponsorship to organise tournaments. We also want to organise joint racquet sports club socials.
Any issues this year?	SportImperial did not provide as many courts as we expected from last year.

Best picture:



What have you been doing with the Union grant you've been allocated this year?

This Year the grant for entrance fees was £132, of which we have already spent £104 entering two teams of 3s and two individuals to a weekend tournament, leaving £28 remaining. However, with another upcoming UK university championship coming up in February where we wish to enter three teams of 5s, one for experienced members and two for beginners as well as at least 15 members for individuals competition. The total cost of entrance fees will be at least £190. The grant for affiliations this year was £19.74, will be completely spent as the usual cost every year is £40.

What, and how much, are your other sources of income and what do you spend these on?

e.g. Sport Imperial, Sponsorship, Donations etc.

Our SGI comes from membership (£10) and lessons (£30) which is required for each member and lasts for a year. We use this to subsidise for equipment sales to members, which we do not make a profit on, as well as cover for events, such as visitors from Japan coming in February, which requires us to book for ethos as well as

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Imperial College Snowsports Club Annual Report 2014/15



A 1st year finds the simulator harder than it looks at freshers fair

One of the risks for the club identified in the handover period last year was that with the Christmas trip being the largest contributing factor to member recruitment and the term dates being aligned in such a way as to force the club to have the Christmas trip in January, there was potential for a loss in members as many Imperial students have exams when term starts again and hence would be unwilling to come on trip. Historically whenever the trips have been in the New Year attendance has decreased from a pre-Christmas average of around 150 to approximately 80-90. Fortunately this scenario did not play out and 150 students decided to attend our headline event of the year, which was a fantastic result for the club and was down largely to the extensive promotional operation we undertook to convince people to come with us. This meant that in a year where club membership was expected to fall, it was marginally increased from 175 to 178, 23% above the target for the year.

This year kicked off with freshers fair which had been months in the planning and as always the snowsports stall was one of the most popular with the new students with hundreds of them coming throughout the day. This year for the first time ICSC organised an event at Hemel Hempstead snowdome as part of the club's drive to increase awareness and participation in snowsports through the student community. It was open to all Imperial students and a wide range of abilities turned out to give it a go: from beginners right through to experienced skiers giving racing or freestyle a try for the first time. Thanks to the kind sponsorship from Oliver Wyman the club was able to run this trip at no cost to the Imperial students who attended, which definitely contributed to the large turnout. One of the great things about the snowsports club is our interaction with other London universities and this Welcome event is a perfect example of this where having taken the initiative to plan the event, the snowsports clubs of UCL, LSE, Queen Marys, Greenwich, KCL and a few others were invited to come and join ICSC, both making the event cheaper for each club to run and also setting up a sense of community for the year.



One of the boarders getting inverted at our freshers Welcome event at Hemel Hempstead snow dome

The first term is one of the busiest for the club, training starts immediately for the British Universities Dry Slope championships (BUDS) and thanks to our Welcome event there was a large amount of interest both in racing and freestyle from the outset. After weeks of preparation BUDS was finally upon us and after a 10 hour minibus drive up to Edinburgh the team was ready for an intense weekend. Unfortunately the team didn't manage to place however it was definitely a good learning experience, which will hopefully carry through to next year. The autumn term also sees the first few rounds of the Kings Ski Club dry-slope race series, which is a team slalom relay. Here we had more success coming



fourth in the southern division for the year, first out of the London universities. A large part of the committee's attention in the first term is devoted to advertising the Christmas trip to the students at Imperial, which this year proved especially challenging due to the January trip dates just prior to many students' exams. By the time the end of term came rolling around we had 150 people booked to come on the trip.



Club president Tariq Shair generating some serious angles in GS training

Our Christmas trip to Val Thorens lived up to all our expectations with many of the trippers giving very positive feedback. With the help of the tour companies reps we worked to make sure that we delivered on our promise of "one of the best experiences you will have while at university," ensuring that everyone was having a great time skiing and keeping everyone safe and sound on some of the nights out. A highlight of the trip was the mountain meal at one of the restaurants on the mountain and after the lovely fondue we had an incredible torch-lit descent. Amongst the general controlled chaos and revelry of the trip the race team even managed to get some mountain training time to

get some Giant-Slalom practice in. It was with heavy hearts that the coaches were boarded for the return journey, for some it would be their last time in the mountains this season.

The Easter term was focused on preparation for the British Universities Indoor Snowsports Championship (BUISC) as well as maintaining the interest of our members to participate in socials and come on our Easter trip. Once most departments' exams were finished we had a reunion curry night for those who were on trip, which was very well attended and we elected a new events officer to organise lessons sessions. At BUISC we had a much better result than on the dry-slope with Ross Maske coming fourth in the men's snowboard freestyle and Jordan Ford coming 6th in the men's snowboard slalom.



A link to our [trip video](#)



Cracking out the retro ski-onsies for one of our socials

Our Easter trip was to the British University Snowsports Council (BUSC) Main Event in Tignes. The club's presence at BUSC Main Event this year was boosted from the usual 30-40 to a record 79. This was due to the committee's increased effort to retain people from the Christmas trip. For many this was an excellent opportunity for a week's skiing with their friends however for some this was the most important week in the snowsports competition calendar. Again our snowboarders performed well scoring some hard earned BUCS points, with Mikkel Kranker coming third in the snowboard big air competition, Ross Maske coming second in the snowboard rail-jam and fifth in the snowboard GS and Richard Simmons

getting to the quarter finals in the snowboard knock-out competition and coming twelfth in the snowboard GS. Unfortunately Ross broke a couple of vertebrae in the big air finals, ending his week's



snowboarding however he was well taken care of and is set to make a full recovery. In the skiing our race captain Michael Backhouse made the top 30 in the highly competitive ski GS. This trip was a fantastic opportunity for the club's members to meet other students from around the UK in the best setting you could hope for, the countdown has already begun for Main Event 2016!

With Main Event completed, most of the club's activities are complete for the year with just the annual dinner still in the calendar for the club to come together and have a great time reflecting on the past season. Next year's committee are already hard at work making preparations for the ICSC Christmas trip 2016 and with such an enthusiastic and cohesive group the next season is shaping up to be even more of a success.



*At the top of the race course overlooking
Tignes*

Club Name: ACC Shorinji Kempo

Eactivities code: 040

Brief financial overview: We are in a solid financial position with £547.09 in the bank mostly from SGI. The biggest financial consideration of this year was the British Shorinji Kempo Federation's 40th which took us through £1750.

Membership: 21/25 (members/target)

Sporting Achievements: Imperial Kempo entered both sparring and Embu competitions at the 40th BSKF anniversary in which we achieved 3rd and 4th positions respectively. It was fantastic to see the Imperial teams do so well in a multinational competition seeing teams represented from Japan, Switzerland, Spain, Norway, Czech Republic, Ireland and across the UK.

Best Event: The Kempo Christmas pub crawl


Plans for Next year: Imperial will be hosting the British Shorinji Kempo Federation Taikai competition and seminar February 2016 and we're also going to a special seminar in Japan, summer 2016. We're also planning ways to increase membership and subsidise membership fees further

Any issues this year? We've had a slight dip in membership which resolved itself with increased advertisement across campus. It was a combination of the union gym being unavailable for our first 2 training sessions and a bad year. The handover to the new committee also never happened

Club Name:	ACC Hockey
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Eactivities code:	012
Brief financial overview: (50 words)	Several large expenditures late the previous year lead to us starting this year with a deficit of approximately £3,000. We have managed to save a significant amount of money through a temporary arrangement with a local hockey club to use their pitch for some of our training and matches, thus cutting down on minibus costs and have managed to return our accounts to a little over zero. We still have a number of match fees and tour payments outstanding, and as thus aiming to hand over to our new committee with around £1,000 in the account. This will be very much needed as the money-saving pitch usage negotiated for this year will likely not be possible next year.
Membership:	110/90 (members/target)
Sporting Achievements	We had a frustrating year in BUCS leagues, with Ladies 1s, Men's 2s and Mens 3s all narrowly missing out on promotion. However, in LUSL our Men's 1 st team won the Premier Division and the Cup leading to a nomination for Team of the Year and Coach of the Year (Men's 1s coach Will Cooper) at Sport Imperial's ARCS awards. We also had some national league representation, with ICHC member Loic Cerulus featuring for Wimbledon Hockey Club in the national premier league finals.
Best event?	Last summer we were invited by Hamburg Business School (HSBA) to participate in a hockey tournament with them in Hamburg to help build ties between themselves and London, through Imperial College. They flew two of our teams over to Germany and we took part in a fabulous weekend of hockey and social events, with a particular highlight being the presence in the HSBA Mens team of London 2012 Olympic Gold Medalist and IHF World Young Player of the Year Florian Fuchs (see picture below). Needless to say, with Olympic standard players in their side both HSBA teams won convincingly, but the event was such a success that we are currently organising a similar weekend to be held here in London this summer.
Plans for next year?	We are planning to work with the new kit provider Under Armour to ensure that for the first time in many years, the entire club is fully kitted out in matching shirts shorts and socks. We are also hoping to build on the excellent LUSL form showed by several of our teams this year by pushing for promotion in BUCS across the board. All of our teams regularly challenge for the top of our respective BUCS league and we feel that with improved training attendance and coaching, all teams genuinely can push for promotion. We are also hoping to revive indoor hockey (an alternate, faster paced and more technical version of the sport) which hasn't been played at Imperial for several years. We have applied for time in Ethos and are also investigating the possibility of using facilities at Heston.
Any issues this year?	The biggest issue for our club was the consistent inability to get enough minibuses for either training (Monday) or our Wednesday fixtures. This meant that we were facing forcing one or more teams to use public transfer for training and home matches each week.

	<p>This is both expensive (up to £12 per person) and takes around 1 hour 20 mins each way in travel. Clearly this is not something we can regularly ask our members to do, and the only solution we could come up with was to pay to use a pitch closer to South Kensington rather than using Harlington. We would much rather use our own pitch, but until the minibus situation is resolved, we are facing the possibility of having to hire alternate pitches again next year.</p>
Best picture:	 <p>Three Imperial players try (in vain) to tackle London 2012 Olympic Gold Medalist and IHF World Young Player of the Year (2012) Florian Fuchs during our summer invitational match against HSBA in Hamburg.</p>

Dodgeball :What have you been doing with the Union grant you've been allocated this year?

We are allocated £407.96 for Affiliation Fees which we have completely used towards payment for the £550 required to affiliate our First (£300) and Second (£250) teams in the UK Dodgeball Association's (UKDBA) Premier League (DPL) and Nation League 1 (DNL1). Such costs follow from the fact that our First team is competing amongst the top 10 in the country and our Second team in the next 20 teams and that the UKDBA asks for such participation costs.

We are allocated £100 for Entrance Fee Competition which have been used to enter two teams to several Open and Non-League tournaments (at the price of £60-£65 per tournament). We have in fact entered a total of 15 teams to such tournaments this season, only 2 were covered by Grant. Outside of league matches, Opens are

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