

Submission for the General Member Meeting of S.A. Proto on September 25, 2018

*Subject: Primary Membership Fee Interaction Technology Students*

Dear General Member Meeting,

Via this letter we would like to reevaluate the membership fees that are charged for members of Study Association Proto. As of now it is noted that 'Ordinary members' pay an amount of €10,-, and 'Extraordinary members' an amount of €5,-.

'Ordinary members' are members that study Creative Technology or have studied Creative Technology and is still studying at the University of Twente. 'Extraordinary members' are members that have never studied CreaTe, but study something else at the University of Twente, staff members, and other people that show interest in joining our association.

Under these rules, students of Interaction Technology are part of the 'Extraordinary members' and thus pay an amount of €5,-. A changing of the statutes is planned to take place later this year, in which we plan to change them from 'Extraordinary members' to 'Ordinary members' as Interaction Technology now also belongs to Proto. In that case, they will pay an amount of €10,- from then on.

For the upcoming year, we would like to treat the Interaction Technology students as 'Ordinary members' for the membership fee. This is because we would like to organise activities and other things for them as well. This can better be provided when these members also pay the amount of €10,-. We are aware that Interaction Technology students do not have the right to vote at General Member Meetings according to the statutes, but we think that master students will have other ways to share their thoughts, due to the Master Committee and the evaluation committees.

We would like the General Member Meeting to vote on the proposal to, in advance of a change of the statutes, treat Interaction Technology students as 'Ordinary Members' for the membership fee in association year 2018/2019.

Kind regards,

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