

CAMBRIDGE SOCIETY OF UKRAINE

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



MAIN GOALS

- 1 **Socialise** – uniting Cambridge alumni in Ukraine.
- 2 **Develop** – organising public events to share experience, ideas and inspiration.
- 3 **Contribute** – building a platform of people eager to contribute to the development of a happy Ukraine.



EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

- Education trips to schools in Kyiv and across the country;
- Co-organising students debates on decentralisation reform in regions.



NETWORKING

- Events at museums;
- Picnics and garden parties with other alumni societies.



CHARITY

- Majority of networking events are charitable;
- Funds go to support wounded soldiers in Eastern Ukraine, children whose parents have suffered in armed conflict and to our education trips.



PUBLIC DIALOGUE

- Lectures from prominent political and civil activists to raise awareness about political situation in Ukraine and around world.



OUR PLANS

- 1 **Exchange programmes** between Cambridge and Ukrainian students.
- 2 **Live sessions (webinars)** from Cambridge labs and auditoria broadcast into Ukrainian classrooms.
- 3 **Attract more funding for our educational programmes** for youth in the regions of Ukraine.

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Ukraine is going through one of the most tempestuous periods of its contemporary history. Painfully affected, both economically and psychologically, by the occupation of one part of the country and the hostilities in the other, the Ukrainian population, including 1.6 million internally displaced persons, is deeply discouraged. Expectedly, children are the most vulnerable victims of the situation.



STRATEGIC VISION

The Cambridge Society of Ukraine ("CSU") is an Ukrainian NGO registered run by Cambridge alumni with a view to:

- Popularising the idea of doing a degree abroad among Ukrainian students;
- Consulting on the best approaches to choosing a degree at a foreign university and on admissions process;
- Encouraging pupils to learn foreign languages and revealing the most interesting ways of doing it;
- Promoting unconventional ways of dealing with a conventional curriculum (e.g. partnering with the initiatives that elaborate alternative (not boring) versions of typical school textbooks);
- Supporting children in pursuing their academic and professional dreams that seem even less viable in the country affected by the armed conflict.



ACTIVITIES

- Educational trips to schools in different regions of Ukraine;
- Co-organising students debates on decentralisation reform in Ukrainian regions;
- Charity events at museums bringing Cambridge alumni, business and Ukrainian public institutions closer, changing perceptions and fostering further cooperation;
- Lectures of prominent political and civil activists to raise awareness about political situation in Ukraine and in the world.



PLANS

- Exchange programmes between Cambridge and Ukrainian students.
- Long- and short-term study-tours for Ukrainian students to Cambridge.
- Live sessions from Cambridge labs and lectures broadcast into Ukrainian classrooms (due to the lack of resources, Ukrainian pupils rarely have a chance to practice Chemistry or Physics with real reagents and specialised equipment).
- Attract more funding for our educational programmes for youth in the regions of Ukraine (inter alia, creation of a "Dream Camp" for pupils and students).



COOPERATION

CSU closely cooperates with Ukrainian networks at Oxford, Harvard, LSE and other universities as well as the Professional Government. The latter is a union of Ukrainian alumni of foreign universities that has close contacts with Ukrainian parliament, government and other state authorities aiming to bring the best international expertise into rebuilding Ukraine.

WE WOULD LIKE TO COOPERATE WITH YOU TOO!

CSU is always open to cooperation with civil society, academic institutions, alumni organisations, businesses, state authorities, international organisations and NGOs, entrepreneurs, dreamers and anyone eager to change this world for the better. If you have any ideas or just a desire to have joint initiatives with CSU, **please contact Ms. Alina Sviderska (alina.sviderska@gmail.com), Ms. Kateryna Busol (katya.busol@gmail.com)**. We are looking forward to doing great things with you!