

YS JOURNAL

England & Wales · Charity number 1188626

Details

Other names YOUNG SCIENTISTS JOURNAL

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2020-03-18

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECTS OF THE CIO ARE TO ADVANCE YOUNG PEOPLE'S EDUCATION AND TO ADVANCE PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE OF SCIENCE BY:- INSPIRING AND SUPPORT SCHOOL-AGE STUDENTS TO CONDUCT AND DISSEMINATE ORIGINAL SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH- FURTHER UNDERSTANDING OF THE SCIENTIFIC METHOD, AND APPRECIATION OF SCIENCE AS A PROCESS OF CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT- DEVELOPING THE SKILLS OF SCHOOL-AGED STUDENTS, BOTH TECHNICAL SKILLS AND ÆSOFTÆ SKILLS SUCH AS COMMUNICATIONS, TEAMWORK, LEADERSHIP, NETWORKING- RAISING SCHOOL-AGED STUDENTSÆ ASPIRATIONS FOR SCIENCE-BASED STUDIES AND CAREERSTHE CIO ACHIEVES ITS OBJECTS BY PROVIDING SCHOOL-AGE STUDENTS WITH A PLACE TO PUBLISH THEIR RESEARCH, SUPPORTING THE STUDENT-RUN EDITORIAL TEAM, HOLDING CONFERENCES AND NETWORKING MEETINGS, PROVIDING CAREERS INFORMATION, ADVICE AND GUIDANCE, AND SHOWCASING THEIR WORK TO OTHERS, OR BY ANY OTHER ACTIVITY IT SEES FIT.

Activities: We run an international peer-review science journal written, reviewed and produced by school students aged 12 to 20 in over 50 countries. We also run international science conferences for young people.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Children/young People

Geography

- Throughout England And Wales

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	-	-	-	-
2023-12-31	-	-	-	-
2022-12-31	-	-	-	-
2021-12-31	-	-	-	-
2020-12-31	£294	£681	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Dr Malcolm Edward Morgan	Chair	2020-03-18
Alan Sheridan		2020-03-18
George David Edwards		2020-03-18
Laura Mawby		2020-03-18

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Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 18th March 2020 **Period start date To** 31st March 2021
Period end date

Charity name: YS Journal

Charity registration number: 1188626

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	To inspire and educate the next generation of young scientists.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	To operate and publish a student led peer review science journal for 12 – 20-year-old students in the UK and abroad. To organise a series of conferences to allow students the opportunity to present their research.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
Other		

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Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	2020 was a challenging year globally. The journal continued to publish its work and support its students. We continue to drive collaboration across many time zones, teaching young people to leverage digital collaboration tools and approaches. Our annual in person conference was cancelled. However, our digital and social media teams ran a number of new initiatives that created engaging and educational content aligned to social issues, for example highlighting the role of black scientists in support of the Black Lives Matter movement.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	Our reserves cover our minimum operating costs for at least 2 years. Our reserves are still relatively low in relation to our aspirations, so we are planning a concerted fund-raising drive through the 2021-2022 financial year. Our ability to maintain a low overhead and fundraise for projects is critical to our long-term viability and this year we have demonstrated that ability.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	We strive to maintain a level of reserve that ensures the continuity of operations, recognising the
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	We are currently hold reserves of £2400.
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	-
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	-
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	We don't believe there are any material challenges to the organisation continuing as a going concern.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.48	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Charitable Objects
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	New trustees are proposed are elected by the current board of trustees.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	YS Journal
Other name the charity uses	Young Scientists Journal
Registered charity number	1188626
Charity's principal address	THE KINGS SCHOOL BURSARS OFFICE 25 THE PRECINCTS CANTERBURY CT1 2ES

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Laura Mawby			
2	Dr Malcolm Edward Morgan	Chair		
3	Alan Sheridan			
4	George David Edwards			
5	Katherine Theresa Stewart Mathieson			
6	Rosalind Mist			
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	None
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

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Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	George David Edwards	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Treasurer	
Date	28 th October 2021	



Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 18-Mar-20	To	Period end date 31-Mar-21
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Conference Ticket Sales	294	-	-	294	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	294	-	-	294	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	294	-	-	294	-
A3 Payments					
Web Hosting	245	-	-	245	-
Computer Software	399	-	-	399	-
Accommodation	27	-	-	27	-
Bank / Finance Charges	10	-	-	10	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	681	-	-	681	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	681	-	-	681	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	387	-	-	387	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	-	-	-	-	-
Cash funds this year end	387	-	-	387	-

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Natwest Account	2,247	-	-
	PayPal	153	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	2,400	-	-

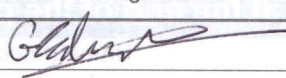
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets	Details		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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			-	-

		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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		Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	Details		-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	GEORGE EDWARDS	25/10/21