

# Privacy policy

## – *Membership register*

This register is in accordance with the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

### 1. Registrar

Helix ry  
Student association of biochemistry, microbiology, and cell and molecular biology  
at the University of Helsinki.  
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### 2. Contact information for registry related matters

Vice Chairperson Jani-Matti Pärkkä  
[varapuheenjohtaja@helix-ry.fi](mailto:varapuheenjohtaja@helix-ry.fi)

### 3. Name of the register

*Membership register of Helix ry*

### 4. Purpose of processing personal information

According to EU's general privacy protection regulation, the legal basis for processing personal data is the register holders' legal interest.

The purpose of processing of personal information according to Finnish Associations Act (503/1989) 11§ is to maintain membership register and to maintain the contact information of the members of the Association.

## **5. The registers' information content**

Register contains the following information of registrees

- Name
- Email
- Hometown
- Starting year of studies
- Year of becoming a member of the association
- Membership type
- Student number (Official members)

## **6. Storage period of personal information**

Register does not hold any information of unaffiliated people and the information will be removed immediately if membership is terminated.

## **7. Regular source of information**

Information that will be saved to the register is obtained from people joining the association and from already registered people with a www-form.

## **8. Regular disclosure of information**

Information can be handed over to the authorities in legal cases. Helix ry does not hand over information to third parties nor outside the European Union or European Economic Area.

## **9. The principles of register protection**

Register information is only stored electronically. Information is stored only electronically in reliable and under EUs Privacy Protection Act on third-party internet servers. Registers server hardware is maintained according to good maintenance practices. Register usage is instructed.

Access to database containing register information is limited with network technology, personal usernames and personal passwords. Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and Treasurer have access to the register. A limited group of the student association functionaries are responsible for maintaining the register and therefore have administrative rights to the register.

In the end of term, register manager(s) are responsible for transfer of access rights of the registers and databases to the future managers. Additionally, they are responsible for the removal of their access rights (or requesting their access rights to be removed) and deletion of downloaded version of the registers.

## 10. Right of inspection

Registrees have, according to Finnish Personal Data Act, the right to inspect their information for free once a year. The registree who wants to inspect information related themselves, has to present a written and signed or in other way verified request to the contact person responsible of the register.

## 11. Right to demand the correction of information

Register holder corrects information according to Finnish Personal Data Act 29§. Requests for correcting information have to be addressed to the contact person responsible of the register.

## 12. Other rights related to handling personal data

The registree has a right, according to Finnish Personal Data Act 30§, to deny the usage of their personal information.

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