



User Group Leader Agreement

Thank you for taking a leadership position within our new online community. To ensure the best possible experience for you and all members, we have established some parameters and guidelines for participation.

The opinions and thoughts shared through this platform, are not necessarily those of Scrum Alliance. Messages posted with the intent to price fix, boycott a business, restrict free trade, or messages that violate the Scrum Alliance Code of Ethics and Business Practice Guidelines are strictly prohibited. Scrum Alliance reserves the right to monitor any postings, and may remove postings that violate our guidelines. Scrum Alliance is not responsible for the accuracy of member postings that are made public.

The Guidelines:

- We hope that the Scrum Alliance online community portal hosts most group activity. We want to create an engaged and involved community for Scrum Practitioners. You can still use outside platforms for engagement and membership management, such as Meet Up, Facebook or other social sites, but please engage equally within the Scrum Alliance community platform by posting events, blogs, forums, and sending emails to members.
- Participation in user groups are free to Scrum Alliance members and other individuals within the community. We ask User Group leaders not to charge monthly or annual dues to individual participants. If funds are needed for group activities please submit a sponsorship request, or you can ask attendees to pay a minimal fee to help support event speakers, food and beverage, materials, etc.
- Any Scrum Alliance information or resources (such as articles, fact sheets or findings), provided exist as a benefit to our membership and are meant to be shared within the community. Any other materials remain owned by the creator and is shared with their permission.
- Be nice. This platform is intended to be a vehicle to share, network and learn from one another – not to create conflict.
- Any profane, threatening or unethical postings are strictly prohibited
- No personal or commercial selling, please
- Scrum Alliance reserves the right to remove any postings or user if they do not comply with these guidelines and rules.

The Abilities You Have as a User Group Administrator:

- Add or remove members to your Use Group
- Add events and if desired, collect registrations
- Create blogs or forums to generate dialogue amongst group members
- Approve all activity
- Create a custom layout for your group homepage, based on your group's activity and goals
- Send emails or announcements to all group members
- Apply for Sponsorship funds from Scrum Alliance
- A custom group logo will be created for you, Please keep in mind the logo usage guidelines which will be provided to you with the logo.

Finally, please keep in mind that as the User Group Leader, your goal is to engage the community as a catalyst to for community dialog and engagement. Should you have any questions regarding this agreement, or how best to engage the community, please contact please email Membership Support, support@scrumalliance.org.

User Group Name: _____

User Group Leader Name: _____ **User Group Leader Contact Email:** _____

User Group Leader Signature

Date