



BUSAs 2021 Development Fund Round 2 Information

The Development Fund is a pot of money set aside by BUSAs every year to support development in university sailing. Development Officers in the past few years have used the fund to address specific issues in student sailing, by supporting and funding University Sailing Clubs (USCs) who are delivering projects which address this issue. For example, the development money has been used to fund collaboration with the Magenta project, run regional team racing training, purchase sailability equipment and fund a social sailing event.

This year we would like to support applications for projects which should address one of the focus areas for development for the year:

- improving a USC's ability to run training for beginners and developing teams.
- widening participation within university sailing, for example through women-in-sailing, sailability or equality and diversity.
- Supporting racing development

Please submit an application using the guidance in the bidding document.

All applications should be submitted to development@busa.co.uk before the closing date of **23.59 on 31st January 2022**.

The maximum funding that can be applied for is £200. If funding is given to development events, these must be open to all BUSAs member USCs. Any application for more than the maximum amount or for support other than financial requires a conversation with the BUSAs development officer prior to submitting an application. Funds are limited, but alternative funding mechanisms may be possible for larger and more complex projects with higher costs, as are other support mechanisms.

If your application is successful you will be required to write a post project report.

Decisions about the success of applications will be made by the 21st February 2022. There will be no further subsequent rounds of development funding available this academic year.

While the final decision regarding funding success lies with the development officer, and the senior committee which deals with club development and strategy (Chair, Vice chair, Vice President, Development Officer). If your project targets a specific region or area of sailing then the relevant officer will also be consulted.

If you have any questions about how to fund your project or about filling in this form then please drop the BUSAs Development Officer an email on development@busa.co.uk

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