BUSA Committee Applications 2012/13									
Post	Name	University	Bio	Proposed	Seconded	Attending AGM	Vote 1	Vote 2	Abstain
Western Rep	Miles Blaver-Mann	UWE	2nd year student at UWE. I have been the sailing captain of UWE and worked alongside Andy Pinkham to run the qualifiers this year. The event ran very smoothly even though we faced very challenging weather conditions. (frozen lake on both mornings)	Andy Pinkham (UWE)	Billie Quinlan (Southampton)	Yes	Vote 1	VOICE	Abstain
South Central Rep	Rajita Patel	Southampton	Ist year student at Southampton. I have been sailing dinghies at The Rutland Water Sailing Club from the age of 14 and have achieved my Assistant Dingy Instructor certificate by 16. Though I am a new comer to team racing, I have learned a great deal from being an avid member of the Wessex Sailing Club, and learning a lot by being in a Southampton University sailing team. Also, having participated in the BUSA qualifiers and helping during events such as the Wessex Winter Warmer and Southampton Alumni event I've broadened my knowledge on the logistics and roles of team racing events. I feel like this knowledge will aid my skills if I become a part of the BUSA committee. Since starting university in September, I've already been elected onto a committee in the position of first year representative for my course society. The roles include organising functions, liaising between the members of my course and the committee and partaking in regular meetings. Being on this committee helped expand my organisational, team work and leadership abilities which I hope to continue to develop whilst being on the BUSA committee.	Ed Morris (Southampton)	Billie Quinlan (Southampton)	No			
South Central Rep	Helen Taylor	Southampton	As a first year, I have made an effort to throw myself into the Wessex Sailing Club. Participating in all their activities, such as team racing and furthermore attending events around the southern region this year. I have helped at events held at Spinnaker Sailing club including the BUSA Southern Qualifiers, and learnt a great deal. I feel this experience enables me to understand the roles needed to run a successful event. I could see how well the events ran last year and I want and feel I am a capable to uphold this tradition this following year.	Ed Males (Southampton)	Tim Russell (Southampton)	No			
Northern Rep	Tessa Hamer	Liverpool	4th year student at Liverpool. BUSA TR Co-ordinator 2011-12. LUSC Vice Commodores and Race secretary 2010-12. Involved with the running of the Big Lash, BUSA Finals, Bottled Firefly ad Christie Cup. Sailing with LUSC for 3 years and been integral to the running of the club and team. Committed to the promotion and improvement of northern university sailing.	Ed Morris (Southampton)	Ed Fox (Durham)	Yes			
Ladies Captain	Marianthe Evangelidis	Bath	3rd Year student at Bath. Being an enthusiastic, organised and committed sailor, I work well in a team and work hard to obtain objectives, whilst also having fun. I would aim to promote BUSA sailing and represent the committee at a range of events which would make me a great committee member.  I have been a crew on the 1st team of Bath university and won UKTRA 2012 with Spinnaker Auspicious. As well as developing our University ladies team. Last year I went to the team racing worlds with BUSA and hope to go to the Ladies world university match racing in September.  I have fleet raced in RS200, Merlin rockets and competed at several SB3 events, coming 2nd at the Trinations Cup and 3rd at the Dutch Nationals. As well as these I am Bow on Classics Yacht Kelpie for summer events. In terms of committee experience, I have been Captain of Bath University Sailing Club for 2 years.	Ed Morris (Southampton)	Andy Pinkham (UWE)	Yes			
Vice President	Steve Gibson	Exeter	PG-T 6th Year. BUSA Chairman 2005-07, BUSA PR Officer 2004-05. EUSC Club Captain 2005-06. With my previous experience I can bring a measured and objective view to current university sailing issues. I also have experience of setting up a charity (as per AGM motion)	Toby Collinson (Exeter)	Oliver Kemp (Exeter)	No			