

Cross-Party Group Registration Form

Please read [Section 6 of the Code of Conduct](#) before completing this form.

Name of Cross-Party Group
Cross-Party Group on Ukraine
Purpose of The Group and Proposed Discussion Topics 1. Please state the purpose of the Group. To promote political, cultural, educational and economic links between Scotland and Ukraine and to facilitate meetings and contacts between parliamentarians of both countries. 2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest. The Group intends to examine the relationship between Scotland and Ukraine, especially in the context of the war in Ukraine, to see where the bonds can be strengthened to the mutual benefits of both countries 3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established. No overlaps foreseen. 4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months. Issues facing displaced people from Ukraine in Scotland.
MSP Members of the Group

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Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group. In doing so please note:

- Section 6 of the Code of Conduct requires there be 5 members from the parties represented on the Parliamentary Bureau. The SPPA Committee agreed a waiver for this session that requires 5 MSP members from 5 parties represented on the Bureau;
- MSPs can be on no more than 10 CPGs of which fulfil no more than 3 office-bearer positions;
- If the group fails to comply with MSP membership requirements, the Convener must ensure this is resolved within 90 days.

MSP

Colin Beattie

Martin Dey

Lloyd Melville

Keith Brown

Murdo Fraser

Miles Briggs

Alex Cole-Hamilton

David Green

Senga Beresford

Gillian Mackay

Iris Duanne

Paul Sweeney

Party

SNP

SNP

SNP

SNP

Conservative

Conservative

Liberal Democrats

Liberal Democrats

Reform

Green

Green

Labour

Non-MSP Members of the Group

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals

Anna Kulish

Kseniia Smyrnova

Yevgen Gorash

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	Yulianna Shalenyk Bohdan Kruk Kvitka Perehinets Anastasia Klimash Hanna Tekliuk Illia Malanchuk Peter David Kormylo Zhenya Dove Olga Maksymiak Vasyl Kren Hannah Beaton-Hawryluk Tetiana Balanova John Hawryluk Steven Carr Maryan Pokhylyy Anne Yarney Doug Allan Kateryna Campbell Olena Litvinova-Kutsai Dmytro Syrota Oleksandr Chernykh Oleksandra Novatska Olga Biryuk Olena Yuzkova Juliette Lichman Valeriya Golovina Dr. Giles Hansen Sutherland Peter Cooper
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	Joe Goldblatt Mykola Zinchenko Maryna Zvarych Serhii Kuzminov Varvara Mishyna Daniel Smith Anna Makhlay Olga Niekrasova Daria Shapovalova Amy McNeese-Mechan Erik Avetisov Ian McFarlane Vitaliia Melnyk Olga Lutsyshyn Oksana Saiapina David Hamilton Andriy Chornenko Martin Hunt Tetiana Puchkova Nazarii Lialiuk Nataliya Lyalyuk Oleksandra Zhyhalkina Yurii Filippov Larysa Zhdankina Andro R. Mathewson Olga Maslova Yuliia Solovyeva Ritwij Raj
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	Elena Frantskevych Vasyl Shvets Polina Moshenska Nataliia Danova Maryna Mokretska Yuliia Ismail Sofiia Solodovnyk
Organisations	Consulate of Ukraine in Edinburgh The Association of Ukrainians in Great Britain (AUGB) Glasgow branch The Association of Ukrainians in Great Britain (AUGB) Edinburgh branch The Association of Ukrainians in Great Britain (AUGB) Dundee branch Ukrainian Collective Scottish Refugee Council Center for Civil Liberties Nadiya Scottish Council of Global Affairs

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	Edinburgh Voluntary Organisations Council (EVOC)
	Feniks
	Ukraine Solidarity Campaign Scotland
	Nazovni
	shevchenko.philia
	Mission of Innocents
	Carey Tourism
	Ukrainian Product Design
	Balakun
	Abandoned Artists
	Ukrainian Business Hub of Scotland
	Reusing IT
	Ukrainian Society at the University of Dundee
	Ukrainian Society at the University of Edinburgh

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Group Office Bearers

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

Please note:

- No more than 3 named contacts per CPG - the Convener, the Secretary and one other individual who can provide information to the Standards Clerks about the activities of the Group. The Convener of a Group must confirm the name of this individual.

Convener	Colin Beattie
Deputy Convener	Alex Cole-Hamilton
Secretary	Andrii Kuzma
Named Contact	Andrii Kuzma

Financial Benefits or Other Benefits

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) the Group anticipates receiving from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

N/A

Subscription Charged by the Group

Please provide details of the amount to be charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

N/A

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Statement on Compliance with the Code of Conduct. Must be read and signed by the Convener.

Please read the following:

- The Convener of a Group is primarily responsible for ensuring that the Group complies with the Code of Conduct;
- The Convener is solely responsible for providing Standards Clerks with:
 - The names of new MSP members of the CPG and changes to office-bearers;
 - Named contact details;
 - The registration form;
 - All minutes of meetings within 30 days of the meeting being held; (Substantially verbatim minutes will not be accepted and will be returned)
 - The AGM return (to be submitted within 30 days of the AGM to be held within 11 – 13 months of the initial meeting).
- Groups are required to have five MSPs from five of the parties represented on the Parliamentary Bureau;
- CPGs must hold at least two formal meetings per year (not on the same day), where two MSPs members of the Group are present;
- CPGs must provide Standards Clerks with 10 calendar days' notice of all meetings;
- If a CPG meeting is cancelled or rearranged, notification must be provided to the Standards clerks by no later than the day after the meeting was originally scheduled to take place;
- If a Group fails to comply fully with the Code for more than one year in a row, the Committee will withdraw recognition from that Group.

I declare that I have read the above and that the Cross-Party Group on <SUBJECT> is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Signed (Convener)	Colin Beattie
Date	28/07/2026

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