

# Bulldog Democrats' Privacy Policy

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This Privacy Policy describes how *The College Democrats at The Citadel*, *Bulldog Democrats*, and the *United Independence Coalition* ("we", "our", or "us") collect, use, and share information collected through our website and related digital platforms.

By using our website, submitting information, or engaging with our services, you agree to the terms of this Privacy Policy.

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## 1. Who We Are

The College Democrats at The Citadel is a student-led organization supported by the Bulldog Democrats, an alumni initiative. The Bulldog Democrats is a Section 527 nonprofit under the law of South Carolina, with Articles of Incorporation filed accordingly as a DBA for the United Independence Coalition.

Any views expressed by The College Democrats at The Citadel / Bulldog Democrats / United Independence Coalition or its leaders/members do not represent the views of The Citadel, the Corps of Cadets, the U.S. Military, or the South Carolina Military Department.

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## 2. Information We Collect

We may collect the following types of information through forms, surveys, subscriptions, donations, or other interactions:

- **Personal Information:** such as name, email address, phone number, mailing address, occupation, or affiliation.
- **Business Information:** such as organization name, business contact info, position/title, or public records data.
- **Technical Information:** such as IP address, browser type, device information, and browsing activity using cookies or analytics tools.

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## 3. How We Use Your Information

We may use the information collected for purposes including:

- Communication and outreach
  - Event organization and participation
  - Volunteer or donor engagement
  - Marketing and promotional campaigns
  - Compliance with legal and regulatory obligations
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#### **4. Information Sharing**

We **may share your information with trusted third parties**, including:

- Partner organizations and sponsors
- Political or advocacy groups with aligned interests
- Service providers (e.g., email platforms, analytics tools)
- Government agencies when required by law

We do not sell your information for profit. However, we reserve the right to share personal and business information for lawful political, educational, or organizational purposes in alignment with our mission.

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#### **5. Your Choices**

You may opt out of communications or request your data be updated or removed at any time by contacting us at [CitadelCollegeDemocrats@gmail.com](mailto:CitadelCollegeDemocrats@gmail.com)

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#### **6. Security**

We take reasonable steps to protect your information but cannot guarantee complete security. Use of the website is at your own risk.

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#### **7. Links to Other Sites**

Our website may contain links to third-party sites. We are not responsible for their privacy practices. Please review their privacy policies independently.

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## **8. Children's Privacy**

We do not knowingly collect personal information from individuals under the age of 13. If you believe a child has provided us with personal information, please contact us to have it removed.

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## **9. Changes to This Policy**

We may update this Privacy Policy at any time. Changes will be posted on this page with an updated effective date.

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## **10. Contact Us**

If you have questions about this policy, please contact:

**United Independence Coalition / Bulldog Democrats**

CitadelCollegeDemocrats@gmail.com