



UCISA data retention policy

Data	Retention period
Membership database Personal details Name, address, email address(es), telephone number(s).	For the duration of their membership of UCISA. All membership data except for the member's name is removed from the Organisation's database within one week of notification of cessation of membership.
Members directory Personal details Name, address, email address(es), telephone number(s). Role in UCISA group ie institutional representative, executive committee member, special interest group member, correspondent*.	For the duration of their membership of UCISA. All membership data except for the member's name is removed from the Organisation's database within one week of notification of cessation of membership. For members withdrawing only from a special interest group or subject, only the contents of the relevant field of the directory record will be deleted.
Financial information about member organisations.	Financial information for member organisations is not retained Credit cards – used and processed directly by Barclays EPDQ to which UCISA has no access; Members paying on invoice do not require UCISA to have their bank details.
Personal financial information provided by members, volunteers, trustees for claiming expenses.	UCISA will retain financial data you provide for as long as it is needed for the relevant purpose and in line with data security best practice.
Events Participant registration data.	Registration data at Organisation's events and other activities will be retained for a period of 3 months following the event.
Event feedback form Name & email address with comments	Personal details are not mandatory to enter when providing comments. However, any personal details provided voluntarily in the feedback will be removed during the processing of feedback.
Survey of members , including special interest subjects generating summary statistics. Name & email address with comments	Personal details are not mandatory, details of the member institution are required. Survey results or summary statistics are held in 2 files: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Secured version of survey results can be accessed strictly by named representatives of 'full member' institutions; 2 General access version of survey results is stripped of <i>all</i> identifying data, including institution names and may be accessed by anyone. Any personal details provided voluntarily in the survey are removed during the processing of survey results.
Bursary candidates Name, address, organisation, email, telephone number,	Data collected during the Bursary applications and judging process: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 successful applicants' names – published on the website



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application, photograph	are subject to website data retention policy; 2 unsuccessful applicants – all data except for the applicant name, will be deleted within 3 months of the judging date. All data created during the process, for applicants and judging, is secured with multi- level access controls in a secure location.
Website data Personal details: Name, job title, institution name, email address and photograph.	Data for trustees, officers, executive committee, and all committees/ Special Interest Groups is retained for the duration of their role in each of the named groups.

*Correspondent is a UCISA member who may not a member of a stated group, but has expressed an interest in a particular group.

Retention periods - summary

Hopefully, most of the periods outlined below are self explanatory. By *superseded* it is meant that one version of a document is replaced by another (e.g. when version 1 of a policy is replaced by version 2 or 2007 by 2008). Items reaching their archive date, will be automatically archived unless a review/update has been completed. It is the Groups' responsibility to carry out these reviews (i.e. when NG get to 2009, it should be scheduled into their Business Plan to review the Best Practice Guide on *Exploiting and protecting the network*).

Type	Live retention	Total retention	Notes
News	Date first published + 2 months	Date first published + 2 years	Archived to Jisc National Archive at https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Events (inc pdfs of presentations/event reports)	Date of event + 1 month	Date of event + 3 years	Archived to Jisc National Archive at https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Photos	Stored on external sites (such as Flickr, Mediasite, Utube) then linked	N/A	N/A
Position statements (consultations and responses etc)	Date first published + 3 years	Keep (on UCISA website)	
Press releases	Date first	Date first	Archived to Jisc National Archive at



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	published + 2 months	published + 2 years	https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Publications (Guides, Toolkits, Handbooks, Conference Proceedings* etc)	Date first published + 3 years	Keep (on UCISA website)	
Executive Strategy documents (inc AGM papers, Exec minutes/papers etc)	Until replaced by updated version or Date first published + 3 years	Keep (on UCISA website)	
Group documentation (inc Minutes, Annual Reports and Business Plans)	Date first published + 3 years	Date first published + 3 years	Archived to Jisc National Archive at https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Policies and procedures	Until replaced by a newer version	Date superseded + 3 years	Archived to Jisc National Archive at https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Surveys inc HEITS	Date first published + 3 years	Date first published + 5 years	Archived to Jisc National Archive at https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Awards	Date first published + 3 years	Keep winners submission (on UCISA website)	
Staff details	Until staff departure	N/A	Remove from CMS when staff have left UCISA - no need for transfer to archive
General content	Date first published + 6 years	Date first published + 2 years	Archived to Jisc National Archive at https://web.archive.org/web/*/http://ucisa.ac.uk/
Admin	Date first published + 6 years	Date first published + 1 year	Special admin-only schedule for overriding other rules

* By *Conference Proceedings*, we mean a formal publication that identifies the key issues presented and discussed within an event. (This would be considerably more detailed than a standard event report).

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