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## UNION LAUNCHES GLOBAL STREAMING SERVICE

- Cambridge Union to extend Members' streaming service to all students around the world for the cost of £30 per year
  - They will need an email affiliated to an educational establishment to register

The Cambridge Union Society has always sought to make free speech and the art of debating accessible to as many people as possible. The Union strives to do so by keeping its membership fees as low as possible to cover its costs, and by providing discounts to those on Bursaries so that as many people as possible may become members of the society and benefit from our high calibre speakers and enriching events.

In order that even more people may benefit from our events, we are proud to announce that the Union will launch an Online Streaming service for individuals who are not members of Cambridge University and therefore cannot become members. Students from other universities around the world will be able to register for the service and enjoy the content provided by the Cambridge Union.

For the price of £30 per year, students will be issued with an online account so they can log-in to the Members Streaming Service, which is currently only available to regular Union members. They will then also be able to comment and ask questions via Twitter. We hope to be able to lower this price in the years to come should the scheme prove successful, and will be investigating offering discounts to underprivileged regions of the world.

"We are incredibly proud of this launch. For the first time, the Union will be able to stream free discussion and exchange all around the world. No matter where you live or what you believe - you can be a part of the discussion."

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