

Roleplaying

What is Roleplaying?

Roleplaying games come in many forms from *Dungeons & Dragons*[®] to *How To Host A Murder*[®].

In roleplaying games, players assume a created character's role and act out improvised stories in an imaginary setting.

One of the players creates the setting and invents situations and puzzles around which the players must negotiate.

There is a lot of variety within roleplaying, both in the format of the game and the setting.

If you are interested, come along to a meeting and find out more.

What We Do

We run weekly roleplaying sessions. There are always a few different types of games running. Whether you are new to roleplaying or an old hand we're happy for you to join us.

Session Times

Wednesday 7:00pm, Quad G025

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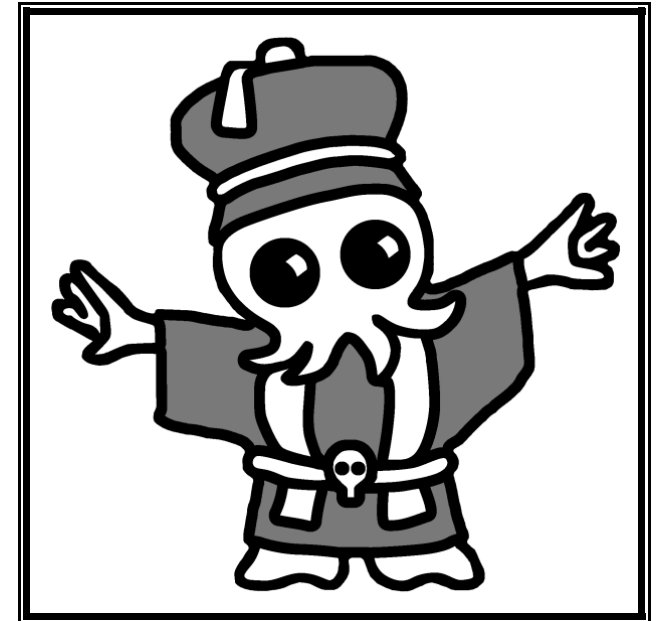
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UNSW Gameplayers Society



Roleplaying, Collectable Card Games, Board Games, Table-Tops, Computer Games, Any Games, All Games...

Collectable Card Games



Recently collectable card games or CCGs have risen greatly in popularity. The most famous CCG is *Magic: the Gathering*[®] but there are many others.

What are CCGs?

CCGs are games played with special decks of cards, particular to each game. Cards represent many things, including people, spells, places, items or events.

Players strategically assemble their decks and play them in competition with other players.

In general players take turns drawing cards from their deck, then play these cards to gain advantages over their opponents.

What We Do

Our members trade and play CCGs both casually and in organised tournaments.

Table-Top War Games

What are Table-Top War Games?

Table-top War Games are all games which involve battles staged between armies of miniatures. This genre is made up predominantly of *Warhammer*[®] and of historical battle re-enactments.

Players collect and paint armies to wage war against their opponents.

Each miniature has strengths and weaknesses. The better the miniature, the more points it is worth.

Players assemble armies of equal points value, which are pitted against each other in elaborate miniature settings, constructed on desk tops.

What We Do

We hold weekly sessions at the university. New players are always welcome.

Board Games

We play all sorts of board games including Pictionary, Taboo, Settlers of Catan, Bloodbowl and RoboRally.

Board games are sometimes played before roleplaying and we also hold the occasional board game and social night as a break from roleplaying campaigns.

Conventions

There are several annual conventions held in Sydney which host CCGs, roleplaying, board games and table-tops. UNSW Gameplayers Society are proud to be affiliated with Sydcon.

Sydcon

The UNSW games convention.
Easter Long Weekend

<http://www.sydcon.net>

Necronomicon

A dark fantasy convention.
Labour Day Long Weekend

<http://www.necronomicon.org>

SAGA

“Sydney Adventure Gaming Awards”
Queen’s Birthday Long Weekend