**REPORT OF THE AUS VP FINANCE – November 4th 2015**

I was in California attending a conference last week so could not do much AUS work. However, I’ve been catching up this week so there should not be any delays in my portfolio’s operations.

**Financial Management Committee:**

* FMC met yesterday to go over departmental budgets that were tabled earlier as well as approve funding applications.

FMC allocations up till now are as follows:

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| Association/Event/Group Requesting Funds | Journal Fund | Supplementary | Special Projects |
| Starting Balance | 16,000 | 16,000 | 10,000 |
| Plumber's Faucet (45 copies) Journal | 30.6 |  |  |
| Women In House (Thomson House Rental) Conference |  | 891.95 |  |
| Lieu Commun Journal | 300 |  |  |
| Slate Journal | 200 |  |  |
| RUSS Event with Speaker Gary Molson |  | 265 |  |
| F Word Journal | 200 | 200 |  |
| Diaspora Conference (MVSA) |  |  | 450 |
| Pensee Canadien (PSA) Journal | 337.5 |  |  |
| Plumber's Ledger (Paper) | 648 |  |  |
| Menage a Toga (PSA/CSA/SSA/HSA) Event |  | 1200 |  |

**Departmental Budgets:**

* Still missing a few budgets, otherwise most should be approved.
* If you want to make changes to your budget after it’s approved, please email me with the amendments and I will put them through FMC and Council.

**Arts Undergraduate Improvement Fund:**

* AUIF has been set up for February 2nd 6-9 pm.
* Applications are now open, so please email me if you wish to purchase any capital equipment.
* I will also be recruiting some committee members to sit on the AUIF Committee, which composes of the Dean, myself, the VP Communications, Faculty of Arts Admin as well as a few members at large/departmental executives.

My office hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays 12-3 pm so please drop by if you have any concerns, questions or require money. ☺

**Respectfully submitted,**

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