

## **Motion to Amend AUS Financial Bylaws Regarding Journal Fund**

*Whereas*, article 8.2 of the Financial By-Laws includes a Journal Fund, but does not include guidelines for use of the Journal Fund to ensure a proper publication;

*Whereas*, Arts Undergraduate Society Publications Commission under AUS has recently been established and require certain standards to be held from all journals produced.

*Whereas*, the institutionalization of these rule will assist AUSPC, thus provide for a richer history of AUS and the respective departmental journals;

*Whereas*, power for distributing funds will stay within the power of FMC and the current rules still hold;

*Whereas*, these bylaws have been reviewed and approved by the AUS Constitutional and Bylaw Review Committee (CBRC);

**Be it Resolved That** AUS Council approve the following amendments to the Financial By-Laws

### **Current**

8.2 A Journal Fund shall receive a minimum of 10% of the Society's collected base fees. The Vice President Finance, FMC, and Council shall determine the use of this fund, with internal entities to be given priority.

### **Proposed Changes**

8.2 A Journal Fund shall receive a minimum of 10% of the Society's collected base fees. Journals or any publications requesting use of this fund must meet the minimum standards outlined in the AUS Publishing Commission Bylaws

8.2.1 Vice President Finance, FMC, and Council shall determine the recipients of this funding, with internal entities to be given priority.

### **Moved by:**

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