



## Motion to Decrease the Arts Computer Lab Fund Fee

**Whereas**, the Arts Computer Lab Fund Fee was reduced by 25% in the winter of 2016, and computers were reduced at that time;

**Whereas**, the balance of the Arts Computer Lab Fund has continued to rise since that point, and presently sits at \$385,000;

**Whereas**, the usage of AUS computers has steadily decreased over time, with the maximum simultaneous usage of AUS computers maxing out at 66% last year;

**Whereas**, the average usage rate of AUS computers has continued to decrease even past that of other computers;

**Whereas**, the usage of the laptop lending has increased by a factor of 2 or more every year since its inception;

**Be it resolved**, that AUS Legislative Council send the following question regarding the Arts Computer Lab Fund Fee to the fall referendum;

**Do you agree to lower the opt-outable levy for the Arts Computer Lab Fund to a rate of \$3.85 per semester for full-time students, and \$1.93 per semester for part-time students, with BA&Sc students paying half the full-time or part-time rate, for the Arts Computer Lab Fund (ACLF)?**

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