



POLICY 9.04

POSITION

Tuition and Fees Student Travel Expenses

POLICY RESPONSIBILITY

Council

POLICY

WHEREAS some Athabasca University students are required to travel to labs and practicum sites across Canada to complete their Athabasca University degree requirements;

WHEREAS travel costs associated with these degree requirements are an extreme financial hardship for some Athabasca University students;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Athabasca University Students' Union petition Athabasca University to develop relationships with businesses and academic institutions, to provide students with a list of inexpensive accommodations and travel options;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Athabasca University Students' Union petition Athabasca University to provide financial aid for students traveling to required labs and practicums;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Athabasca University Students' Union petition Athabasca University to add more regional labs to reduce travel costs for remote students.

POLICY HISTORY

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