# **AUSU Internal Goals**

**Website** – Launch and promote new AUSU website to better serve the needs of members and council

- Work with the web developers to ensure that all desired content is incorporated or archived into the new website including
  - Digital awards applications (new)
  - Course evaluations (new)
  - All current website content
- 2. Work with web developers and AUSU staff to train staff and develop written instructions for maintaining and updating the new website including
  - Posting blogs
  - Updating/uploading policies and documents
  - Creating/deleting pages as needs and services change
- 3. Use social media and other appropriate avenues to promote the new website and its features

#### <u>Communications</u> – Improve outgoing communications and membership engagement

- 1. Develop a procedure to communicate with new members that highlights AUSU's services
- 2. Develop and implement a social media strategy that incorporates AUSU's Facebook and Twitter accounts
- 3. Investigate a Writer in Residence program
- 4. Analyze the results of the recent survey that closed June 15 and explore possible changes based on member feedback

<u>Lobbying</u> – Highlight and communicate AUSU membership's unique needs and priorities more effectively to external stakeholders.

- 1. Become familiar with CASA organization (goals, policies, bylaws, etc)
- 2. Actively participate in the 4 yearly conferences with minimum of 1 Exec attending in person

Services – Successfully launch and monitor new and recent services available to the AUSU membership

- Work with AUSU staff and Oohlala to successfully launch and promote the new AUSU/AUGSA mobile app
- 2. Work with AUSU staff and Ceridian to successfully launch and promote the new Student Life Line (Mental Health Services)
- 3. Review all usage reports provided by Oohlala and Ceridian to gauge uptake of the new services
- 4. Work with Gallivan to assess the feasibility of the Health Care plan and discuss the ability of the plan to continue.

## <u>Governance</u> – Review and revise the AUSU policy manual as needed

- 1. Evaluate the current bylaws and policies and their current compliance with the PSLA. Review previous legal opinions and suggestions regarding bylaws. Make appropriate updates as a result of recommendations and implement changes.
- 2. Conduct a successful general election.
- 3. Complete all policy review and revision in the 2015 / 2016 year as outlined in Policy 1.01
- 4. Investigate Governance Training for staff and exec members.

### Internal Advocacy - Improve services and support to AUSU membership within the AU community

1. Continue to foster a positive working relationship between AU and AUSU through regular meetings and discussions with AU executives.

#### **The Voice** – Support The Voice as an important member service and form of communication of AUSU

- 1. Work collaboratively with The Voice to help create a meaningful action plan to improve the publication and increase readership by
  - Providing support to The Voice as requested to ensure a successful consultation process
  - Reviewing and making recommendations to the action plan as presented by The Voice
  - Supporting the implementation of the action plan through non-financial resources as agreed
- 2. Work collaboratively with The Voice to develop a procedure to review and reassess the action plan on a regular basis that shall include
  - Inviting The Voice to meet with council to discuss the successes and challenges at defined points in the action plan
  - Making recommendations to The Voice on potential ideas where AUSU can help with the identified challenges