



Student Society
of UBC Vancouver

Submission to the UBC Board of Governors Regarding Annual Tuition Increase

**On Behalf of
Alma Mater Society of UBC Vancouver
November 6th, 2016**

Dear Board of Governors,

This submission is being made on behalf of the Alma Mater Society (AMS) of UBC in regards to the consultation surrounding the annual tuition increase of domestic tuition by 2%, thesis-based international tuition by 2%, non-instructional fees by 2%, and continuing international tuition by 2-3%.

The AMS acknowledges the commitment the University has to proper consultation and we are appreciative that this consultation occurs every year. As per the student directive from 2014, the AMS is in opposition to any and all increases to tuition, and as per the AMS Policy on UBC and Student Affordability, the AMS advocates for the maintenance of the government's 2% domestic tuition cap.

We would like to thank the Board of Governors for ensuring student voices are properly heard at the highest levels of governance at the university, and we hope to see this continue.

Sincerely,

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