Constitution of the Mathematics Graduate Student Association

Article 1. Name

This association will be known as the Mathematics Graduate Student Association.

Article 2. Membership

All persons regarded as in the Mathematics Graduate program are considered members of this organization.

Article 3. Purpose

This organization will serve to address the needs and opinions of the graduate students in the Mathematics Department and to represent the graduate students with the faculty, administration, and other campus organizations.

Article 4. Officers

Section 1. Officers

The Mathematics Graduate Student Association shall elect one Executive Chair and one Administrative Chair.

Section 2. Duties of the Officers

The Executive Chair shall conduct all meetings of the organization and oversee election of the new chairs. The Executive Chair shall also attend all meetings of the GSSA. The Administrative Chair shall maintain documents of the organization and disseminate information about the organization and meetings to the members.

Section 3. Election

Elections shall be held annually. Votes shall be cast by secret ballot and officers will be elected by a simple majority.

Section 4. Term of Office

Officers shall serve for one year and may be re-elected.

Section 5. Removal of Officers

Officers may be removed from office by a two-thirds vote of the membership. An officer must be informed of this vote at least two weeks in advance and be given opportunity to address the membership before the vote.

Article 5. Meetings

Section 1. Regular Meetings

The organization shall meet no less than two (2) times annually.

Section 2. Quorum

Quorum at a meeting shall consist of those members attending the meeting.

Article 6. Amendments

Amendments to this constitution can be made by a two-thirds vote of the members.

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