

# **Constitution of the Associated Students of the University of Missouri**

Adopted by affirmation of campus ASUM advisors, UM System ASUM advisors,  
campus student leaders and ASUM Executive Director: May 9, 2012.

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## **|Organization**

### **Section A. Name**

1. The name of this organization is the Associated Students of the University of Missouri (ASUM).

### **Section B. Purpose**

1. ASUM is a nonpartisan, student-led organization serving all students of

1. ASUM is supported through student fees, therefore, it is subject to the rules and regulations that apply to all student organizations.
2. ASUM determines its own legislative agenda that reflects the concerns and interests of students, even if that agenda puts ASUM in opposition with the administrations of the UM System and its campuses.

#### **Section D. Office Location**

1. The main office of ASUM resides at the UM System office located in Columbia, Missouri.

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3. The overhead expenses of the Legislative Internship program, except those delegated to the Campus Chapters, will be at a minimum, funded fifty percent by the Central Budget. The remaining expenses of the Legislative Internship program may be funded through the Supplemental Budget.

## Finances

The following budgets shall be set in place:

### Section A. Central Budget

1. Contributions shall be made by each campus into a central budget as described in the Bylaws. The Central Budget shall only contain funds collected from Campus Chapters.

### Section B. Chapter Budget

1. Each member campus shall be responsible for its own campus budget. The chapter budget and expenses shall be approved by the Campus Advisor.

### Section C. Supplemental Budget

1. Contributions to ASL third-parties, that is any entity that is not a campus chapter, shall be budgeted in a budget that is supplemental and separate to the chapter budget.

