# Ubcfa 2022

# Annual Report

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# President's Report

#### Dory Nason, President

#### Dear Colleagues,

This is my first report as President and I am grateful to present this report to our membership whose work takes place on the unceded, traditional, and ancestral lands of the Musqueam and Sylix nations. It has been my honor to serve the membership and to be a part of many important accomplishments this year at the Faculty Association.

I'll start my report with an update on the motion that was presented to the Faculty Association last Spring and discussed at last year's June AGM and the follow up meeting in September. Although it took all parties longer than we had expected to form the Data Committee of eight members, I am happy to report that the Committee has held its first meeting and have asked for staff support in undertaking research over the summer with the goal of a final report and recommendations at the Fall General Meeting.

As you will hear from our Treasurer, Karen Smith, the Faculty Association continues to be in a financially healthy position with an unqualified audit report. Following the Treasurer's Report at last year's AGM wherein the Association identified just over a million dollars in savings owing to the restrictions imposed by the pandemic, a member asked whether the Faculty Association is considering a dues holiday to draw down the excess savings. I am happy to report that the issue has been raised and discussions will continue within the Executive Committee; we welcome member feedback on the subject.

Following an intense year at the bargaining table, we were pleased to announce that we have achieved a negotiated settlement with the University. The new Collective Agreement contains many important language changes, with enhanced study leave and retirement options, more transparency around workloads, and new language that better recognizes Indigenous forms of scholarly activity. I wish to thank the Indigenous JCC for their work in accomplishing this last item as it was two years in the making. Building on this work, we also agreed in this round to strike two new joint committees with UBC related to further exploring non-traditional or diverse forms of scholarly activity, and one to look at non-western alternative dispute resolution processes. There were also reasonable salary increases in this round, protecting members from high inflationary numbers over the past couple of years. We are also very pleased that we were able to provide additional salary adjustments to our colleagues in the Educational Leadership Stream and Lecturers in recognition of their valuable work and contributions to advancing the academic mission. I'd like to thank Liz Hodgson, Chair of the Bargaining Preparation Committee, for all her work over this past year. Jim Johnson, who has been our Chief Negotiator for a number of years had his last round at the table - thank you Jim for your dedication over many years to serving the membership. While I won't list all the names of the preparation and bargaining committees, I am grateful for the many hours of work they put in to help us achieve this very positive outcome.

Now that bargaining is behind us, the Faculty Association and the University will resume our Joint Consultation Committee (JCC) meetings. These regular meetings, which are a requirement under Section 53 of the Labour Relations Code, provide an opportunity for the employer and the union to come together and discuss issues facing the membership and the academic community more broadly. I look forward to resuming these discussions and tackling the challenging issues our members are facing, including following up on the work of the previous JCC related to promotion and tenure concerns as a result of the disruptions to academic work caused by the pandemic.

Although the pandemic has been declared over, COVID had a significant impact on our membership - particularly in terms of workloads - but, alongside some organizational changes, has created some significant shifts in the labour relations environment. You will hear from the Chair of the MSGC, Bronwen Sprout, that we have an unprecedented number of grievances this past year, with more on the horizon as we enter into the 2023-2024 academic year. As well as working through the more formal labour relations grievance and arbitration processes to resolve these matters, which falls under the purview of the MSGC and Executive Committee, our Executive Director and I have also been meeting with the Directors of Faculty Relations on both campuses with a view to improving the relationship between the parties, fostering meaningful dialogue within the grievance procedure, and re-focusing our efforts on solving problems and managing issues through our Collective Agreement. We are also exploring how we can better support and train Heads/Directors who are often dealing with issues that arise in their departments.

I would also like to highlight the important work of our newly formed Equity Committee. You'll see in Elisa Baniassad's report that the Committee, which has a significant number of volunteers, has been very active over the past year. I'd like to thank Dr. Baniassad for her leadership in this important area of our work. Sarika Bose, Chair of our Contract Faculty Committee has also been very active is promoting the issues affecting our colleagues on contracts at UBC and fostering a community of practice to highlight the important perspectives and expertise these colleagues contribute to the academic work at UBC.

Our Librarians and Archivist Committee, Chaired by Anne Olsen, has also been quite active in its work over the past year. From successes in improving the merit and PSA process for members in the Library, the Committee has also been working on establishing a Librarian's Council to provide input and advice to the Library's leadership. This is an important collegial governance issue, and we look forward to continuing that dialogue with Susan Parker.

The Okanagan Faculty Committee has also contributed significantly to our work over the past year. While initially led by Diana Carter, the Committee discussed several important issues confronting our members on the Okanagan Campus, including the course scheduling system, which is wreaking havoc on teaching schedules, disrupting research and other professional opportunities, and potentially undermining the role of Heads in managing these aspects of faculty work, as articulated in the Collective Agreement. The Faculty Association continues to investigate the matter and will be following up on the concerns we have already raised with the University. I'd like to thank Diana for her work chairing the committee (before she took on the role of Associate Dean) and to Kevin Chong for stepping in to continue the work of the Committee and who will continue on as our first chair of the Anti-Racism and Indigenous Initiatives Committee.

I'd like to thank my Executive colleagues for their service, and to our staff who have shown me over and over this past year how dedicated they are to the work they do in service to our colleagues. It has been a year full of challenges and triumphs for me personally and I am eternally grateful to my colleagues for their commitment to the work. Finally, I want to thank the members for their insights with a special thanks to those who have attended our consultations, volunteered on committees and offered feedback throughout the year. I hold my hands up to you all.

Chi Miigwech, Dory Nason President

# CFC Annual Report

Sarika Bose, Chair; Contract Faculty Committee



The 2022-2023 Experience for Contract Faculty

#### **Shifting Administrative Policies**

In 2022-2023 teaching mostly returned to pre-pandemic modes of delivery, with some hybrid versions possible. Not all was settled though. Changing administrative policies during the year regarding student accommodations, left both students and contract faculty confused and facing higher workloads. Accommodations allowed during COVID had become normalized for students, and even a partial return to previous academic policies was often a shock to them. Contract faculty experienced the increased burden of student dissatisfaction with unclear, unequal and fluctuating administrative policies with particular acuteness as it was often reflected on the anonymously gathered student opinion surveys, which impact their ongoing employment in more direct ways than their tenured and tenure-track colleagues. Contract faculty also do the bulk of teaching in some departments and took on the brunt of student concerns.

#### **Student Experience of Instruction**

As always, student opinion surveys ("student experience surveys") continue to be deeply problematic and can have disproportionately negative effects on the assessments of teaching faculty. Contract Faculty are uniquely vulnerable to student dissatisfaction as their concerns are that their continued employment often depends on high student ratings. For contract faculty in particular, the anonymous opinions on the work of professionals by non-professionals often result in mental health as well as labour equity and employment security problems.

#### **Job Insecurity Continues**

We continue to hear concerns as student numbers and attendant course offerings drop lower in certain programs, the anxiety level of contract faculty has risen, and both sessional and lecturer contracts are in jeopardy in some units. For example, a recent policy change by the Faculty of Science has directly affected the ongoing jobs for lecturers in Arts.

#### The Committee's 2022-2023 Work

The patterns formed by the pandemic are not easy to overcome. Just as student presence on campus is lower, so is the in-person presence of faculty. However, over the course of the year, the Contract Faculty Committee has seen a steady increase in participation. More contract faculty submitted proposals for the May 2023 Colloquium, offered and attended workshops at the Contract Faculty Community of Practice and attended social events. The 2023 Colloquium was as successful as ever, with a truly interdisciplinary set of papers on field-specific disciplines, pedagogy, and student engagement. The Publication Display featuring recent scholarly books and articles, as well as non-fiction and fiction prose by Contract Faculty was impressive, and the goal is to begin building a bibliography of this work that can be expanded each year.

The Committee continued hosting a monthly Community of Practice for Contract Faculty at both campuses, co-facilitated and sponsored by CTLT, with which the Faculty Association has partnered for almost a decade. This year we offered workshops that focused mainly on feedback pedagogies, such as grading strategies and learning reflections, and potential AI impacts. Despite small numbers at events at times, feedback from participants has emphasized that such events allow for unique experiences in and opportunities for collegiality and inclusivity that are unavailable for Contract Faculty elsewhere at UBC.

Fair Employment Week remains a staple of the Committee's work and this year we organized a series of events including tabling at the Nest, a poster and postcard petition campaign and a members' lunch on both campuses.

In addition to our community engagement projects, the Committee worked on two informational documents. The first tracks the bargaining gains Contract Faculty have made over the last several decades. The second is a revision to the Contract Faculty Handbook, to include the changes to rights and benefits in recent years. Both are intended to be posted to the Faculty Association's website in the coming months.

One goal of the Committee this year was to increase participation and community

engagement between the two campuses at formal events. In conjunction with the Okanagan Faculty Committee, the CFC hosted two lunches and meeting days at the Okanagan campus, once in fall, during Fair Employment Week, and once in the winter term. These events were well-attended and increased virtual attendance at the Contract Faculty Community of Practice sessions. This report gratefully acknowledges that a new Collective Agreement was bargained by the Faculty Association Bargaining Committee just before this report was written, and that it provided some long-awaited gains for Contract Faculty at UBC. We appreciate the commitment and hard work by the Committee.

#### **Chair's Work**

In August 2022, I gave a paper on the issues faced by Contract Faculty after the pandemic at COCAL Mexico. COCAL (Coalition of Contract Academic Labour) includes Canada, the U.S. and Mexico. I also accepted the invitation to be on the International Advisory Board of COCAL and am now serving on the editorial board of COCAL Updates, the Association's online newsletter, where I am increasing the scope of reporting to international Contract Faculty issues.

#### Conclusions

This has been an active year for the Contract Faculty Committee, and I would like to thank Deena Rubuliak, Executive Director, and Robin Roff, Associate Executive Director, for all their work during the year, Sean Hillman, MSO, Emma Burry, Communications Coordinator, and Jan Gunn, Executive Assistant, for their assistance. A special thanks to the Faculty Association staff, who took the time to support the committee during Fair Employment Week. Our work as a Committee would not be possible without their assistance.

Respectfully submitted, Sarika Bose Chair

# EC Annual Report

#### Elisa Baniassad, Chair; Equity Committee

This was the inaugural year for the Faculty Association Equity Committee (EC), which was created through changes to our Constitution and Bylaws as approved by the membership. The Committee's mandate is to, among other things, identify structural sources of discrimination, bias, inequity and exclusions, and abillism within policies, procedures or practices at UBC and to work to reduce and eliminate such barriers.

#### **COMMITTEE STRUCTURE & FORMATION**

The structure of the committee this year used a federated model, wherein there was one working subgroup dedicated to each of the major equity deserving groups at UBC: LGBTQ2SIA+, BIPOC, Disabled faculty, and Women (formerly the Status of Women committee).

Meetings were scheduled in a rotation: first the broad Equity Committee met, then each of the subgroups, then the broad Equity Committee again. The goal of the broader meeting was to bring together intersectional concerns and identify common interests of the subgroups. Each of the groups had their own actions and activities that arose out of the individual discussions.

#### WORKING GROUP ACTIONS

## Disability and Accommodation Section for FA Website

We identified that there are many pieces of helpful information that could be provided to members through the FA website. We are now working on a new section that will provide information to members on accommodations. Another article will be on what to do if you have been incorrectly paid by Workday, which happens often to colleagues as they transition to and from leaves.

#### **Review of the Positive Space Campaign**

There was concern that UBC's Positive Space campaign was structurally problematic, and stigmatizing for people from certain groups. Upon review we were encouraged to see that it has been completely restructured. We will continue



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to monitor to see if the problematic dynamic is still present.

#### Hosted a Campus 2050 Event for Faculty

Because the physical space of the campus is in many ways an equity issue, we took the opportunity to deeply engage with the Campus 2050 process, advocating for the needs of, in particular, disabled faculty and child-raising faculty. We felt encouraged by the group's responses, and will continue to maintain contact with the process to see how it evolves.

#### **Developing an Equity Survey**

An overarching goal of the Committee is to understand the experience of members from equity denied groups in comparison with other members. We jointly developed the foundation for a survey that will explore our members' experiences with equity and inclusion at UBC.

#### THANKS TO ALL

It has been my extraordinary pleasure and privilege to chair this Committee - through COVID and beyond. I have so very much appreciated all the work that the members of the Committee have done, and all the support they provided. The Committee truly became a community unto itself, and I am just so happy to have been a part of it. Thank you to everyone. And a special thanks to Shayna Frawley, UBCFA MSO, who took diligent notes at our meetings and to Robin Roff, who is the engine behind all the amazing work this group has done. We quite literally could not have achieved anything without you. I am infinitely impressed by your energy and insight. Thank you!!

Respectfully submitted, Elisa Baniassad Chair



# LAC Annual Report

#### Anne Olsen, Chair; Librarians & Archivists Committee

The Librarians and Archivists Committee (LAC) mandate is to keep informed of the affairs of the Library and bring matters that directly concern librarians and archivists to the attention of the Association, and to act as a forum for ideas brought forward by our members.

I completed the first year of my second term as Chair of the committee in 2022-2023. During this year we continued our work to review and make improvements to the Library's merit and PSA procedures on both campuses. In recognition of the significant contributions librarians and archivists made under challenging circumstances during the COVID-19 pandemic, and their continued support to the academic mission of the University and the UBC community, the Faculty Association and the University signed a Memorandum of Agreement for equal distribution of the 2022 PSA monies to all eligible librarians and archivists. These monies were in addition to the regular merit awards for the same period.

Through further agreements with Library administration in 2023, we brought the Library's merit and PSA review more in line with other processes around the University and increased the protection of member's privacy by ensuring that the commentary of Heads is shared only with the University Librarian and not the overall review Committee.

Bargaining was a significant focus for our work in 2022 and the beginning of 2023. Following various consultation opportunities, we took forward a number of proposals specific to the Library. Of course, librarians also benefit from many of the proposals that are part of bargaining more broadly. I was a member of the Faculty Association bargaining team in this reporting period.

With the completion of bargaining in the spring of this year, I look forward to working with the Faculty Association and members of the Librarians and Archivists Committee to re-engage with the University and Library administration through our Library Joint Consultation Committee. There are a number of issues to prioritize, including: further improvements to our merit and PSA processes; clarity on both campuses about the Library reporting structure and governance for UBCO; better processes, transparency, and understanding of internal and interim appointments and opportunities within the Library; and the establishment of a Librarians and Archivists Council to participate in collegial governance at the UBC Library.

As always, I would like to extend my sincere thanks and gratitude to the Librarians and Archivists Committee members who dedicate their time and expertise to this important work. We will send out a formal call for new members on the committee soon, however, we welcome new members at any time! I am also grateful for the ongoing support and knowledge Deena Rubuliak so generously shares with us, and the excellent work of the Faculty Association staff on behalf of our committee and our members.

Respectfully submitted, Anne Olsen Chair

# MSGC Annual Report

Bronwen Sprout, Chair; Members Services & Grievances Committee

The Member Services and Grievance Committee ("MSGC") is responsible for overseeing the processing and resolution of questions about the **Collective Agreement and University policies** and processes, complaints and grievances, and recommending for or against proceeding to arbitration on grievance files. The MSGC is composed of members from across both campuses in various ranks and disciplines. We seek to have wide representation on this committee so that we can maintain a collegial dialogue on how best to resolve issues that are brought to our attention. Thanks in large part to work undertaken under the previous committee chairs and the Executive Committee, the MSGC represents a diversity of individuals from across the membership.

The MSGC meets monthly with the professional labour relations staff of the Association (called Membership Service Officers or MSOs, though the Executive Director and Associate Executive Director also manage labour relations files) to review and discuss issues confronting the membership. Where the MSGC and the professional staff identify trends on issues or patterns of complaints regarding a workplace policy or process, the Committee may also recommend policy grievances to the Executive Committee.

The Association opened 395 case files between Jan 1 and Dec 31, 2022. Of these, 332 were resolved by year end, 245 of which were concluded without needing a formal or informal grievance. The overall workload of the Association has increased from 354 cases last year. For a breakdown of the changes by case type see the chart later in this report. When the informal process is unsuccessful or the FA and UBC reach an impasse, the FA files a formal, written grievance. If the Association is unable to settle a formal grievance, the MSGC deliberates and makes a recommendation to the Executive Committee as to whether the Association should advance the file to arbitration. Such recommendations are based on extensive discussion and consideration between MSGC members and professional staff. The Executive Committee, after receiving the recommendation and considering the matter themselves, makes the final decision on which files proceed to arbitration. Even after we formally file for arbitration, the Faculty Association continues to work towards a resolution with the University outside the arbitrator's room, as this generally results in better gains for our members.

The Faculty Association filed 8 grievances this year on matters ranging from unpaid wages, the denial of study leave, discipline and the denial of promotion. Of particular note, were two cases involving the University's failure to complete investigations in a timely manner. This has been an ongoing concern for the FA as investigation procedures drag on for upwards of a year and sometimes more. The average length of the 14 investigations completed in 2022 was 153 days. As of this writing there were 20 open investigations from this year and past years, of which the average length is 272 days, and 7 have taken longer than a year to this point. In many cases this length of time is entirely unnecessary. UBC has advised us that they have no powers to direct investigators, or the various University Offices tasked with performing investigations, to work within a specific timeline or to resolve delays. The Association believes this is an abdication of the

Employer's fundamental responsibility to treat our members fairly and respectfully, and further evidence that the investigations process at UBC needs significant improvement. The Association continues to advocate for changes at the bargaining table, in grievances and through political action.

In May 2022 the FA received a disappointing ruling in the Lecturers' Excellence Test arbitration. In the ruling, Arbitrator Pekeles determined that the University is permitted to apply a test of teaching excellence each time a lecturer's contract is up for renewal, whether they have worked at UBC for 1 year or 20. The Association believes this constant uncertainty is unjustified, and a key goal in this round of bargaining is to obtain greater job security for Lecturers. We have proposed that individuals who have taught more than six years at UBC earn appointments without term. Though these positions could still be terminated if work ceased to be available, our colleagues would no longer have to prove their excellence repeatedly simply to maintain their employment.

Faculty members bring a wide range of matters to the Faculty Association each year. In some instances, these are questions or concerns that require only advice or support, in others, direct intervention with the University is required to seek resolution for our members. The graph below illustrates the range and frequency of case types that arose over the last 12 months. As indicated in chart 1 and chart 2 (pages 11 & 12), the majority of questions and concerns this year involved appointments, leaves, workload, and promotion and tenure.

There were 22 investigation files opened in 2022, of which our members were respondents in 19. For further context, Chart 3 (page 13) provides a break-down of the types of investigations addressed this year.

Of the 7 investigations under Policy SC7: Discrimination, one involved allegations of adverse treatment on the basis of mental or physical disability, two involved allegations of adverse treatment on the basis of sex, gender expression or identity and five involved allegations of discrimination on the basis of race or ethnicity.

I would like to thank the members of the MSGC who volunteered their time to assist FA members and uphold the rights enshrined in the Collective Agreement. These are not always easy discussions but the considered and compassionate responses they brought to the table was always appreciated. Finally, I would like to thank the staff for their skilled work in assisting our members in these difficult times.

Respectfully submitted, Bronwen Sprout Chair

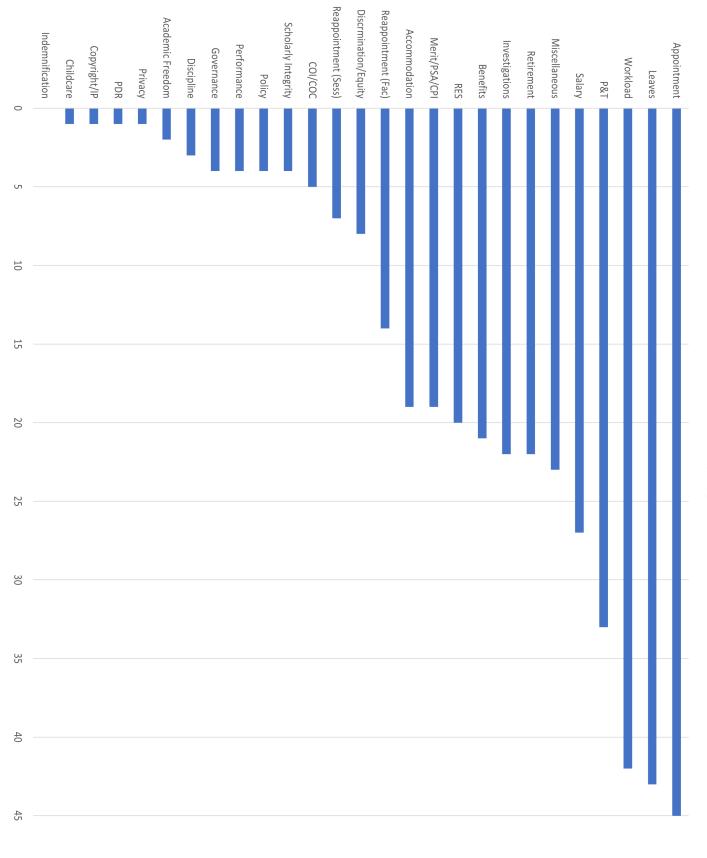
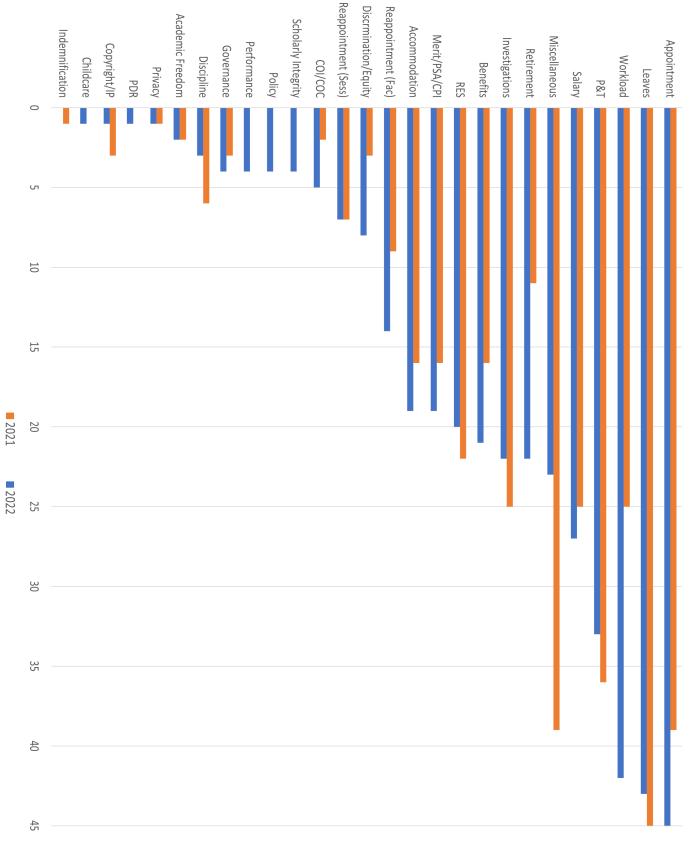


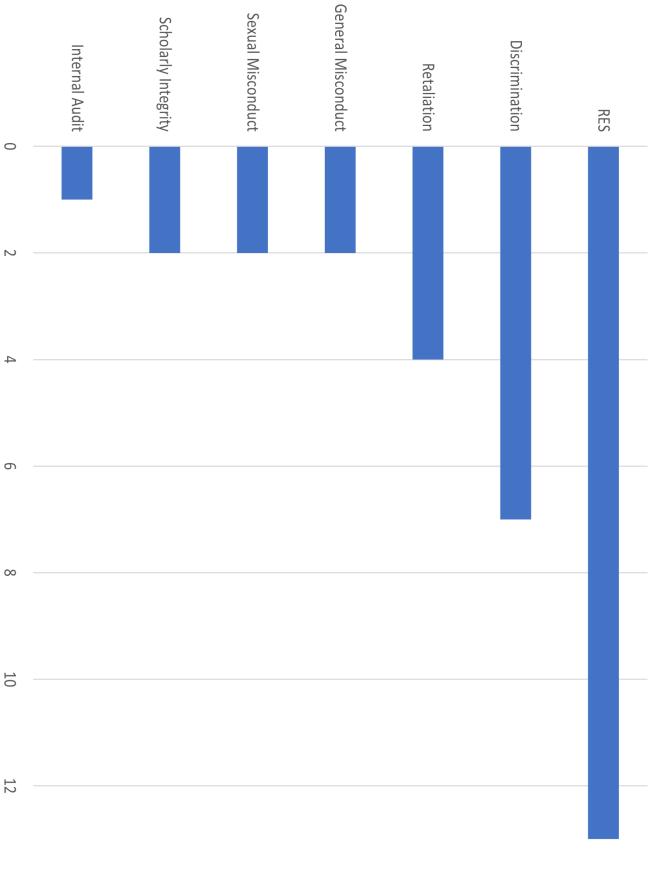
Chart 1: Case by Type, 2022

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# Chart 3: Investigations by Type, 2022

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# OFC Annual Report

Kevin Chong, Interim Chair; Okanagan Faculty Committee

I started my role as interim chair of the Okanagan Faculty Committee in January 2023, taking over from Dr. Diana Carter. Over the course of virtual meetings, the Committee participated in lively discussion of the issues of concern for UBCO members. Central among these continue to be the centralization of scheduling, workloads, navigating Workday and the lingering impact of COVID-19 on faculty and student wellness. Our members from the library brought concerns about the merit and PSA processes in the library to our attention, and although the initial comments were related to the processes in the Library, other members of the committee echoed the concerns and noted the challenges of varying approaches (submission date, forms, personal narratives) of different units. These are topics that are both unique to the Okanagan and have implications for the structure and functioning of the entire University. The Committee will continue to work to resolve these matters and bring further concerns forward to the Executive Committee.

The Committee also discussed developing an orientation package for new members to connect them with the FA and to assist them with understanding the complexities of the University environment. The OFC will continue to work to help develop a sense of community among our members on the Okanagan Campus.

Undoubtedly the highlight of my brief time as interim chair was the lunch-time meeting held for Contract Faculty that the OFC co-hosted with Contract Faculty Committee chair Sarika Bose. In that meeting, we met with contract faculty members who shared their concerns about career progression, workload, and scheduling. Through discussion we were able to share information, advice, and support to assist our members in navigating the challenges unique to their ranks. We reviewed the history of contract faculty at UBC and the myriad rights and protections they currently have.

On behalf of the Committee, I would like to thank Deena Rubuliak and the Faculty Association staff for their expertise and support throughout the year. I also wish the best to my newly elected successor, Professor Peter Arthur.

Respectfully submitted, Kevin Chong, Interim Chair

# BPC Annual Report

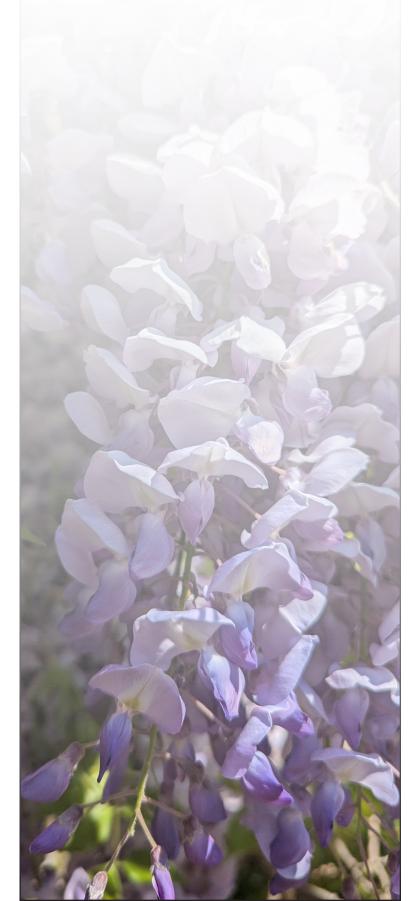
Elizabeth Hodgson, Chair; Bargaining Preparation Committee

Collective bargaining is definitely slow food: careful preparation, lots of patience, quality ingredients, all long before we know how the dish will turn out. The 2022-2025 round has definitely followed the recipe.

Careful Planning: With the expert support of the FA staff, our Bargaining Preparation Committee began its work almost a year before table-negotiations started for the 2022 bargaining round. We held training sessions on collective bargaining; developed consultation plans and schedules; planned communications; researched our own past settlements and other national and provincial agreements; studied trends and crunched numbers; developed surveys and ran many, many consultation sessions; and tested and re-tested possible issues, proposals, and solutions. MANY THANKS to: Tiffany Potter & Anne Olsen (Associate Chairs for the Bargaining Prep Committee); Jim Johnson, Hallie Marshall, Dory Nason, Jonathan Ichikawa, Alan Richardson, Peter Arthur, Mike Law, and of course the inimitable Deena Rubuliak, FA Executive Director.

Lots of Patience: Patience was once described as "a mild form of despair, disguised as a virtue." Nowhere has this been truer than in this round of bargaining. After spending summer and fall of 2021 in training, consultations, and planning, we developed our specific proposals early in 2022 and then waited. We waited for UBC to come to the table (more than a month later than usual); we waited for the provincial guidelines on public-sector salary-increases to emerge (many months later than usual), we waited for UBC to officially declare their salary offer (8 months after bargaining began), we waited for them to agree to an Arbitrator list (2+ months after asking).





And we waited for the money offers to approach acceptable levels. And so on. But all along, we knew that all our members wanted a good deal, not a quick one, so we were willing to be (somewhat!) patient, while also chivvying the administration team when necessary. This is a part of bargaining that's hard to report on, but the slow simmer of negotiations is both crucial and frustrating. THANKS to the Table Negotiating Team: Tiffany Potter; Anne Olsen, Hallie Marshall, Alan Richardson (past President), Dory Nason (President), Jim Johnson (Co-Chief Negotiator), and Deena Rubuliak (Executive Director).

**Quality Ingredients**: Here we are infinitely grateful to you, our members, for sharing your own research (on parental leaves; on student surveys; on benefits plans); for sharing your own experiences (on workload; on respect; on structural inequities); for telling us about your priorities; for coming to consultation sessions and participating on committees and advisory teams. THANKS to our Library and Lecturer advisory teams; to the members of the Joint **Consultation Committee on Indigenous** Scholarship; to all the FA Standing Committees who provided invaluable insights; to Heads and Directors for your lived reports on the Collective Agreement; and to the FA Executive, for your support and encouragement.

The Dish Itself: We are very happy to have concluded our slow-food bargaining with a significant helping of salary money, new rights and protections, language and money to improve equity for many of our members, significant gains in career-path options, and some long-sought workload progress. The members have now ratified this settlement which will be on the UBCFA website soon!

**The Chef**: After 15 years as Chief Negotiator for the UBC Faculty Association (and a long illustrious career of union leadership and collective bargaining), Jim Johnson is stepping down from the role of Chief Negotiator. A labour economist and union expert as well as a profoundly dedicated and nationally respected negotiator, Jim has been a priceless gift to the UBCFA. We would not be where we are without him. THANK YOU, Jim!

Respectfully submitted, Elizabeth Hodgson, Chair and Co-Chief Negotiator

# Treasurers Report

#### Karen Smith, Treasurer

The audited financial statements for 2022 and the 2023 budget as approved by the Executive Committee are attached to this report. Both the planned and audited figures for 2022 are shown, as is the planned budget for 2023 (NB: dollars in thousands).

Membership dues were underestimated in the 2022 budget by \$86K (line 2). The income from dues is hard to predict from one year to the next due to the fluctuations in the number of employees (new hires, retirements, members who go onto long term disability) and negotiated salary increases. We budgeted for a surplus of \$268K in 2022, and there was a total surplus of \$1.123 million (line 41). This was largely due to reduced operational expenses resulting from uncertainty and transition from pandemic protocols. There was less travel between our campuses, to conferences, and with a continued reduction of in-person events.

The Grievance and Legal fees (line 14) were under-spent by \$370K mainly due to grievance and arbitrations being settled between the Parties prior to proceeding to a hearing.



In total, the 2023 budget allows \$1.069 million in Service to Members Expenses (line 19). The increase is in anticipation of a return to more normal activities. Collective bargaining commenced in April 2022 and the Faculty Association budgeted \$500K for related expenses, which is commensurate with bargaining expenses in previous years, and to have funds available should the need have arisen for Interest Arbitration to settle negotiations. Although bargaining has now concluded with the ratification of the new June 30, 2022-June 30, 2025 Collective Agreement, there will still be some bargaining expenses as we continued to negotiate into April of this year. The budget will also maintain a healthy cushion for grievance-related legal fees and for mediation and arbitration processes.

Operational Expenses were under budget by \$41K in 2022 (line 29), again largely due to the transitional return to in-person work. Donations (line 25) were overspent by \$4K due to the ongoing labour strife mainly affecting our colleagues back east. In keeping with the Faculty Association's donation policy in support of "trade union activism in the academic context" we were able to contribute to the strike funds of 7 Faculty Associations across Canada. Overall, Operational Expenses for budget 2023 were increased with the goal of returning to more "normal" operations.

The Human Resources budget was closely on-target for 2022. The budgeted amount for 2023 is \$1.363 million (line 37). This reflects the contractual salary increases for the Association's paid staff.

The 2023 budget calls for a net surplus of \$133K (line 41). This budget was adopted by the Executive Committee in February 2023. In keeping with previous years, the 2022 surplus amount will be invested in the Legal Reserve fund (line 44). The Auditor's report for 2022 was completed in May 2023 by Achieve CPA, LLP. The Statement of Financial Position at December 31, 2022 indicates total funds at \$10,080,161. This is an increase to members' equity from December 31, 2021 of \$1,166,423. The Audit report was submitted without qualification.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Smith, Treasurer

# Budget

Line		2022 Approved	Y-T-D. for 2022	2022	APPROVED	Line
#		Budget	1-1-0.101 2022	over/(under)	BUDGET 2023	#
1	REVENUE					1
2	Membership dues	3,690,000.00	3,603,571.02	(86,428.98)	3,720,000.00	2
3	Interest Income	2,000.00			2,000.00	3
4	Miscellaneous Revenue		-			4
5	TOTAL REVENUE	3,692,000.00	3,603,571.02	(86,428.98)	3,722,000.00	5
6						6
7	EXPENSES					7
8	Membership Expenses:					8
9	CAUT Dues	625,000.00	651,918.98	26,918.98	652,000.00	9
10	CUFA-BC Dues	300,000.00	293,571.52	(6,428.48)	300,000.00	10
11	Subtotal Membership Expenses	925,000.00	945,490.50	20,490.50	952,000.00	11
12						12
13	Service to Members Expenses					13
14	Legal Fees and Grievance/Arbitration Reated Expenses	500,000.00	129,945.66	(370,054.34)	500,000.00	14
15	Collective Bargaining Interest Arbitration Legal and Exp.	500,000.00	10,427.22	(489,572.78)	500,000.00	15
16	Member Seminars/AGM & FGM/Communications	9,500.00	1,941.67	(7,558.33)	9,500.00	16
17	Special Events	30,000.00	13,110.77	(16,889.23)	40,000.00	17
18	Standing Committee and Meeting Expenses	20,000.00	2,321.54	(17,678.46)	20,000.00	18
19	Subtotal Service to Members Expenses	1,059,500.00	157,746.86	(901,753.14)	1,069,500.00	19
20	· · · · · ·					20
21	Operational Expenses					21
22	Travel and Conference Fees/Exec PD	75,000.00	38,282.97	(36,717.03)	75,000.00	22
23	Office Expenses including IT Tech Services	40,000.00	40,978.60	978.60	55,000.00	23
24	Insurance	5,000.00	5,338.00	338.00	5,500.00	24
25	Donations	5,000.00	9,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	25
26	Audit and Professional Fees	15,000.00	20,240.50	5,240.50	20,250.00	26
27	Asset Purchases-Equipment	12,000.00	6,445.36	(5,554.64)	12,000.00	27
28	Leasehold Improvements	10,000.00	-	(10,000.00)	30,000.00	28
29	Subtotal Operational Expenses	162,000.00	120,285.43	(41,714.57)	202,750.00	29
30		102,000100	120,200110	(12)/2110/7	202,7 50100	30
31	Human Resources					31
32	Release Time	320,000.00	184,000.00	(136,000.00)	208,000.00	32
33	Staff Salaries	790,639.70	908,839.58	118,199.88	963,370.00	33
33 34	Staff Benefits - Taxes, PDF	146,662.28	159,783.24	13,120.96	170,000.00	34
	Contract Office Support/Recruiting	7,500.00	602.70	(6,897.30)	2,500.00	35
35 36	Staff Training	12,000.00	3,412.50	(8,587.50)	2,300.00	36
30 37	Subtotal Human Resources					37
37 38		1,276,801.98	1,256,638.02	(20,163.96)	1,363,870.00	38
30 39	TOTAL EXPENSES	3,423,301.98	2,480,160.81	(943,141.17)	3,588,120.00	39
59 40		3,423,301.38	2,400,100.01	(343,141.17)	5,565,120.00	40
40 41		260 600 02	1 122 /10 21	(95/ 712 10)	122 000 00	
41 42	SURPLUS (LOSS)	268,698.02	1,123,410.21	(854,712.19)	133,880.00	41 42
42 43	Transfer of Funds*					
	Legal Reserve Fund	766 600 02	1 1 2 1 1 0 2 1			43
44	5	266,698.02	1,123,410.21			44
45	Operational (General) Reserve Fund	200,000,00	1 1 2 2 1 4 2 2 4			45
46	TOTAL TRANSFER OF FUNDS	266,698.02	1,123,410.21			46

## THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022



#### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Members of The Faculty Association of the University of British Columbia

#### Report on the Financial Statements

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Faculty Association of the University of British Columbia (the "Association"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2022, and the statements of revenues and expenditures and changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Association as at December 31, 2022, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations ("ASNPO").

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Association in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with ASNPO, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Association's financial reporting process.

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of The Faculty Association of the University of British Columbia (continued)

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Association's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting
  and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or
  conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Association's ability to continue as a going concern.
  If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's
  report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to
  modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our
  auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Association to cease to continue
  as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

#### Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

As required by the Societies Act of British Columbia, we report that, in our opinion, the accounting policies applied in preparing and presenting the financial statements in accordance with Canadian Accounting Standards for Not-for-profit Organizations have been applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Burnaby, BC May 9, 2023 Achieve CPAs LLP Chartered Professional Accountants

#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Statement of Financial Position

	P	General urpose Fund	Legal Reserve 2022 Fund Total			2021 Total					
ASSETS											
Current assets											
Cash	\$	5,975,258	\$	4,418	\$	5,979,676	\$	4,626,130			
Investments	,	2,083,045		1,774,552		3,857,597	,	3,849,631			
Accounts receivable		360,611		-		360,611		333,808			
Prepaid expenses		55,259		-		55,259		222,432			
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		8,474,173		1,778,970		10,253,143		9,032,001			
Tangible capital assets (Note 3)		19,664		-		19,664		14,757			
	\$	8,493,837	\$	1,778,970	\$	10,272,807	\$	9,046,758			
LIABILITIES											
Current liabilities											
Accounts payable and accrued											
liabilities (Note 4)	\$	192,646	\$	-	\$	192,646	\$	133,020			
		FUND BA	LAN	CES							
Internally restricted		-		1,778,970		1,778,970		1,776,053			
Unrestricted		8,301,191		-		8,301,191		7,137,685			
		8,301,191		1,778,970		10,080,161		8,913,738			
	\$	8,493,837	\$	1,778,970	\$	10,272,807	\$	9,046,758			

December 31, 2022

Lease commitments (Note 5)

#### ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Officer

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#### 2022 Annual Report

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Statement of Revenues and Expenditures and Changes in Net Assets Year Ended December 31, 2022

	P	General urpose Fund	Legal Reserve nd Fund		2022 Total			2021 Total
Revenue								
Members' dues	\$	3,670,899	\$	-	\$	3,670,899	\$	3,416,323
Loss on disposal of	Ψ	0,010,000	Ψ		•	0,010,000	Ψ	0,110,020
investments		(9,801)		(5,226)		(15,027)		(5,555)
Interest		30,098		32,987		63,085		95,111
Unrealized loss on market		00,000		0_,001		,		,
value of investments		(6,950)		(24,844)		(31,794)		(76,932)
		3,684,246		2,917		3,687,163		3,428,947
Expenditures								
Amortization		6,594		-		6,594		5,107
Donations		9,000		-		9,000		15,000
Dues to CAUT		666,816		-		666,816		593,460
Dues to CUFA BC		296,691		-		296,691		286,979
Employee benefits		161,462		-		161,462		155,372
Insurance		2,605		-		2,605		2,481
Legal and arbitration		138,327		-		138,327		129,816
Office		50,840		-		50,840		22,102
Professional fees		20,241		-		20,241		14,075
Recruiting		603		-		603		3,628
Release time		188,000		-		188,000		248,000
Seminars and meetings		773		-		773		452
Staff salaries (Note 6)		908,840		-		908,840		775,386
Staff training		3,413		-		3,413		2,390
Standing committee expenses		13,111		-		13,111		366
Travel and conference		53,424		-		53,424		2,992
		2,520,740		-		2,520,740		2,257,606
Net excess of revenue over expenditures for the year		1,163,506		2,917		1,166,423		1,171,341
Fund balances - beginning of year		7,137,685		1,776,053		8,913,738		7,742,397
Fund balances - end of year	\$	8,301,191	\$	1,778,970	\$	10,080,161	\$	8,913,738

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA **Statement of Cash Flows**

	General Purpose Fund		Legal Reserve Fund		2022 Total		2021 Total
Cash flows from operating activit	ies						
Net excess of revenue over							
expenditures for the year	\$	1,163,506	\$	2,917	\$	1,166,423	\$ 1,171,341
Items not affecting cash: Amortization		6,594				6,594	5,107
Loss on disposal of		0,394		-		0,394	5,107
investments		9,801		5,226		15,027	5,555
Unrealized loss on		0,001		0,220		,	0,000
investments		6,950		24,844		31,794	76,932
		1,186,851		32,987		1,219,838	1,258,935
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Changes in non-cash working ca	pita					(00.000)	550 740
Accounts receivable		(26,803)		-		(26,803)	556,713
Prepaid expenses Accounts payable and		167,173		-		167,173	(216,675)
accrued liabilities		59,626		_		59,626	(196,179)
		00,020				00,020	 (100,170)
		199,996		-		199,996	143,859
Cash flow from operating activities		1,386,847		32,987		1,419,834	1,402,794
activities		1,300,047		52,907		1,419,034	1,402,794
Cash flows from investing activiti	es						
Purchase of tangible capital							
assets		(11,501)		-		(11,501)	(9,681)
Purchase of investments		(561,143)		(300,123)		(861,266)	(1,299,427)
Proceeds from disposal of		505 004		074 475		000 470	4 000 000
investments		535,004		271,475		806,479	1,200,089
Cash flow used by investing							
activities		(37,640)		(28,648)		(66,288)	 (109,019)
Increase in cash		1,349,207		4,339		1,353,546	 1,293,775
				,			
Cash - beginning of year		4,626,051		79		4,626,130	3,332,355
Cash - end of year	\$	5,975,258	\$	4,418	\$	5,979,676	\$ 4,626,130

#### Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### 2022 Annual Report

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Notes to Financial Statements

#### For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### 1. PURPOSE OF THE ASSOCIATION

The Faculty Association of the University of British Columbia (the "Association") was incorporated under the Society Act of British Columbia on January 22, 1976. The Association promotes the welfare of members in its bargaining unit employed by the University of British Columbia (the "University"), acts as the bargaining agent for all members in its bargaining unit with the University and regulates relations between the members in its bargaining unit and the University through collective bargaining.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations ("ASNFPO").

#### **Investments**

Investments are reported at their fair market values and any unrealized gains or losses are included in the determination of income for the year.

#### Tangible capital assets

Tangible capital assets are stated at cost or deemed cost less accumulated amortization and are amortized over their estimated useful lives on a straight-line basis at the following rates:

Computer equipment	4 years
Leasehold improvements	5 years
Office equipment	5 years
Office furniture	7 years

Tangible capital assets acquired during the year but not placed into use are not amortized until they are placed into use.

Tangible capital assets is reviewed when conditions indicate the asset no longer contributes to the Association's ability to provide services or if the net carrying value exceeds the estimated undiscounted future projected cash flows. If impairment is deemed to exist, the net carrying amount of the asset will be written down to its fair value or replacement cost. The writedown is accounted for as expenses in the statement of operations and changes in fund balances. Writedowns cannot be reversed.

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#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Notes to Financial Statements For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Revenue recognition

Internally restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the Legal Reserve Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the General Purpose Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Members' dues are reported as revenue in the General Purpose Fund on a monthly basis and calculated as a percentage of the members' payroll.

Investment income consisting of interest and gains or losses on investments are recognized using the accrual method as follows:

- a) Interest is recognized as earned on the investments;
- b) Gains and losses are recognized when dispositions occur;
- c) Unrealized gains and losses are recognized when there is a change in trading value for investments held.

#### Income taxes

The Association is exempted from federal and provincial income taxes.

#### Financial instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, derivatives and investments in equity instruments quoted in actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments carried at fair value are expensed when incurred. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments carried at fair value are expensed at amortized cost are deferred and amortized over the life of the related instrument.

#### Measurement uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with ASNFPO, requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Significant estimates include valuation of accounts receivable, investments, tangible capital assets and completeness of accrued liabilities. These estimates are periodically reviewed and any adjustments are reported to the statement of operations in the period in which they become known. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

#### Fund accounting

The Association follows the restricted fund method of accounting using two separate funds.

The General Purpose Fund accounts for unrestricted resources used for the Association's delivery of members' services and administrative activities.

The Legal Reserve Fund accounts for internally restricted resources set aside to cover legal costs incurred from time to time which are non-routine and require approval of the Executive.

#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Notes to Financial Statements For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

		Cost		Accumulated Net		2022 et book value	Ν	2021 let book value
Computer equipment	\$	26.020	\$	12.403	\$	13.617	\$	8,319
Leasehold improvements	1	34,663	•	34,663	•	-	,	-
Office equipment		29,722		29,722		-		-
Office furniture		54,238		48,190		6,047		6,438
	\$	144,643	\$	124,978	\$	19,664	\$	14,757

#### 3. TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

As at December 31, 2022, no events or changes in circumstances had occurred which indicated that the carrying amounts of tangible assets may not be recoverable.

#### 4. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

Included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities are government payroll remittances of \$1,200 (2021 - \$2,004).

#### 5. LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Association assumed a lease for office space at the University of British Columbia, Okanagan Campus on July 1, 2005 in Kelowna, BC for a fee of \$70,000. The original lease included an option to renew for four additional terms of five years each with an annual rent of one dollar per year. The Association renewed the remaining three options which expire on December 31, 2032.

#### 6. **REMUNERATION**

The Society Act of British Columbia requires the disclosure of annual remuneration for employees and contractors earnings more than \$75,000. During the year, six (2021 - seven) employees earned more than \$75,000 individually, resulting in \$726,300 (2021 - \$753,477) paid in aggregate.

#### THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Notes to Financial Statements For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### 7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Association's financial instruments consist of cash, investments, accounts receivable and accounts payable and accrued liabilities. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Association is not exposed to significant credit, interest, currency or commodity risks arising from these financial instruments.

#### Fair value

The Association's carrying values of cash, accounts receivable and accounts payable and accrued liabilities approximate their fair values due to the immediate or short-term maturity of these instruments.

The fair value of investments is based on an actively traded market.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Company is exposed to credit risk from funders. As at December 31, 2022, approximately 79% (2021 - 78%) of the Association's receivables are due from the University of British Columbia which has strong credit ratings and ability to pay. An allowance for doubtful accounts of \$nil (2021 - \$nil) is established based upon factors surrounding the credit risk of specific accounts, historical trends and other information.

#### Market risk

The Association holds investments in fixed income securities. Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Association has developed a comprehensive policy statement and mitigates the risk by regular review of its investments to ensure the risk is acceptable but does not use derivative financial instruments to alter the effects of the risk. Management believes that the interest rate risk is acceptable at present based on a review of the current economic and market conditions.

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