Faculty Level Society

A Faculty Level Society is a society of the Dalhousie Student Union that represents all the students in a particular faculty and collects a fee. (such as the Dalhousie Arts & Social Sciences Society). Faculty Level Societies must submit a constitution for review by the Society Review Committee when they apply for re-ratification every year.

Levy Society

A Levy Society is a society of the Dalhousie Student Union that collects a fee from members of the Dalhousie Student Union. Levy Societies must submit a constitution for review by the Society Review Committee when they apply for re-ratification every year.

Constituent Society

A Constituent Society is any society that receives disbursements from a Faculty Level Society or a Levy Society. This includes University Department societies (such as the Dalhousie Spanish Society) or Residences (such as Gerard Hall). Constituent Societies are no longer required to maintain their own constitution but must abide by the requirements as outlined in Society Policy and as set out by the Faculty or Levy Society to which they report. Constituent Societies can be ratified by the Vice President (Internal) of the DSU.

General Interest Society

A General Interest Society is any society that does not directly receive a fee or levy or any disbursements from a fee or levy. General Interest Societies are not required to maintain their own constitution but must abide by the requirements as outlined in Society Policy, and can be ratified by the Vice President (Internal) of the DSU.

If you have any questions about Society Policy, or if you are unsure as to which type your society is, please contact dsumemberservices@dal.ca or vpi@dsu.ca