

Article I—Name

The name of this organization shall be Staff Infection A Cappella

Article II—Purpose

The purpose of this club shall be (a) to allow students to have an equal opportunity to participate in a music group without affiliation with the TU arts department. (b) To entertain ourselves and the Towson community with a unique sound.

Article III—Membership

Section 1- Any fee paying, undergraduate, students enrolled in Towson University with at least a 2.0 GPA may become a member of the Staff Infection A Cappella club with voting rights and office holding privileges. The club shall determine standards for membership.

Section 2- Students must audition in order to participate in Staff Infection A Cappella. Auditions will be held at the beginning of each semester at the group's discretion.

Section 3- Members of Staff Infection A Cappella will be made up of four voice parts; soprano 1, soprano 2, alto 1, and alto 2, and a beat boxer in order to simulate percussion.

Article IV—Executive Officers

The executive officers of the Staff Infection A Cappella club shall be as follows: president, vice president, musical directors, and secretary/treasurer

Article V—Duties of the Executive Officers

President- To preside at Executive Committee and general meetings and to appoint special committees with the approval of the Executive Board.

Vice President- To preside in the President's absence and to plan and organize publicity for activities and special events.

Musical Directors (2)- To arrange or assign members to arrange the songs for the group to sing; to run the rehearsals and; to determine the order of songs at the concerts.

Secretary/Treasurer- To attend all general meetings of the organization; to manage and maintain email correspondence for the group; to keep attendance and; to handle all financial records and expenditures.

Article VI—Elections

Section 1- Election of the officers shall take place near the end of each spring semester. An election may also take place if there is a vacancy in one or more positions on the Executive Committee at any time of the year.

Section 2- Elections will be chaired by the outgoing President. She may also serve again if elected.

Section 3- In the event of a tie a revote will be done.

Section 4- Any student member is eligible to vote and for nomination as an officer of the Executive Committee (a) who meets the Towson University SGA eligibility for student office holding and (b) fulfills the qualifications as set up by the Executive Committee.

Section 5- An officer may be impeached by a 2/3 majority vote if he or she is not fulfilling their constitutional duties.

Article VII—Amendments

Amendments to this Constitution may be proposed to the voting membership by a majority vote of the Executive Committee. Amendments shall be declared or adopted upon SGA approval.

Article VIII—By-Laws

By-Laws, not inconsistent with this constitution may be adopted or amended by a 3/4 majority of the voting members and upon SGA approval.

Article IX—Member Attendance

Section 1- Each member will be allowed 1 unexcused absence during each semester. Otherwise, if a member is not able to attend or is going to be late to a rehearsal, they should contact a Musical Director with a reasonable excuse.

Section 2- Each member may miss no more than a quarter of the rehearsals during a semester.

Section 3- Attendance will be recorded and enforced by the Secretary.