Constitution of the UAF American Chemical Society Student Chapter

Adopted 9/18/12

Article I. Name

The name of this organization shall be the University of Alaska Fairbanks American Chemical Society Student Chapter and hereafter shall be referred to as UAF ACS Student Chapter.

Article II. Mission

It shall be the mission of the UAF ACS Student Chapter to provide a way for students interested in all fields of chemistry to get together. We will discuss current events in science, support student scientific growth, and give back to the community through various outreach activities every year.

Article III. Membership

Section 1. To maintain registration of this organization, we agree to the following regulations:

A. Abide by the established policies of the University, Board of Regents, and the State of Alaska prohibiting discrimination in membership.
B. Abide by all University policies, campus regulations, federal, state, and local laws.
C. Maintain an advisor who is a member of the UAF faculty, staff, or emeriti.
D. Maintain a current copy of this constitution on file with the Leadership Program.
E. Maintain a current listing of officers, advisors, and members with the Leadership Program.

Section 2. All students must be taking at least 3 credits at UAF.

Section 3. Students are encouraged to become members of the American Chemical Society.

Section 4. Membership selection is open to everyone without regard to race, creed, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender, age, disability, status as a Vietnam era or disabled veteran, marital status, changes in marital status, pregnancy or parenthood pursuant to applicable state and federal laws.

Article IV. Voting

Section 1. In order to vote, students must be members of the American Chemical Society.

Article V. Officers

Section 1. The UAF ACS Student Chapter shall have a President, Vice President(s), Treasurer, Secretary, Outreach Coordinator(s), and Graphic Designer. These officers comprise the Executive Committee.
Section 2. Election of officers shall be held at the first meeting of the fall semester. Nominations shall be initiated from the floor and elections done by a show of hands. The person receiving majority vote shall be elected.

Section 3. All officers must be members of the American Chemical Society.

Section 4. Any vacancy that may occur in an office shall be filled by appointment by the president pending ratification at the next meeting.

Section 5. The term of office shall be from September to May.