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Dear Sirs

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Introduction

This document is intended to introduce the new program in Arctic Studies, established by the Board of Regents of the University of Alaska Fairbanks on October 1, 2003.

The new program is designed to provide a broad-based education in Arctic Studies.

Arctic Studies is a discipline that includes traditional Native American studies,

Journalism at the University of Alaska Fairbanks, Research in the Arctic, and other disciplines that are relevant to the study of the Arctic. The program is open to all students, UAF students, those who have been granted admission to the university, and non-degree applicants.

Objectives

Program Objectives

The purpose of the Arctic Studies program is to provide the student with a broad-based education in Arctic Studies, including traditional Native American studies, Journalism at the University of Alaska Fairbanks, Research in the Arctic, and other disciplines that are relevant to the study of the Arctic. The program is open to all students, UAF students, those who have been granted admission to the university, and non-degree applicants.

1. Staff

The Arctic Studies program has approximately 10 faculty members, the majority of whom are from the University of Alaska Fairbanks.

2. Policy

The Arctic Studies program has a policy of providing a broad-based education in Arctic Studies, including traditional Native American studies, Journalism at the University of Alaska Fairbanks, Research in the Arctic, and other disciplines that are relevant to the study of the Arctic. The program is open to all students, UAF students, those who have been granted admission to the university, and non-degree applicants.

1. Administration
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3. Activities

The Arctic Studies program has a variety of activities, including traditional Native American studies, Journalism at the University of Alaska Fairbanks, Research in the Arctic, and other disciplines that are relevant to the study of the Arctic. The program is open to all students, UAF students, those who have been granted admission to the university, and non-degree applicants.

Article II

The RISE Board

A. Membership

The 13 members (10 voting) of the RISE Board shall include:

- Seats A-C:** Three students at large, appointed by the ASUAF President;
Seats D-F: Three students at large, appointed by ASUAF Senate;
Seat G: One faculty member approved by Faculty Senate;
Seat H: One staff member approved by Staff Council;
Seat I: One additional UAF Community member approved by the RISE Board;
Seat J: The Chancellor's designee;
Seat K: The ASUAF President (or designee);
Seat L: The ASUAF Office Manager (ex-officio);
Seat M: The Sustainability Director (ex-officio).

Seats A-I shall serve 2-year terms beginning September 1st, and ending on the second August 31st. Members in seats A-I may only serve 1 full term. Nominations to fill vacancies for seat A-I shall be solicited by the

C. The Chair

The Chair of the RISE Board shall be a student, subject to the approval of the ASUAF President. The Chair



