

**Algoma University Annual Report: Implementation of *Freedom of Expression Policy*  
(Policy AD4, December 21, 2018)**

**August 26, 2019**

<b><i>Question</i></b>	<b><i>Response</i></b>
<b>1. Institutional Culture &amp; Policies</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· In the wake of the government's requirement for institutional free speech policies, has there been ongoing debate or dialogue on campus with regard to freedom of speech?</li> </ul>	No.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Have institutional practices changed as a result of the free speech policy? For example, has the new free speech policy led to a re-examination or amendment of other institutional policies? If yes, please describe.</li> </ul>	No.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Now that your free speech policy has been in effect for a period of time, have any issues emerged that would cause you to re-evaluate or amend your existing policy? If so, please describe.</li> </ul>	No.
<b>2. Events</b>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To the best of your ability, please provide an estimate of the number of non-curriculum events that have been held at the institution since January 1, 2019.</li> </ul>	<p>18-20 (Average of 3 per month, fewer in summer months)</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Is there a designated office at the institution where members of the institutional community (or guests) are directed when there is a free speech related question or complaint about an event on campus?</li> </ul>	<p>Yes: the Office of the President and Vice-Chancellor.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How did your institution navigate free speech related cost and/or safety concerns related to events on campus?</li> </ul> <p>To your knowledge, were there any instances where a non-curriculum event did not proceed due to these concerns?</p>	<p>There were no additional costs for any daytime event, and no unusual additional costs for any event beyond what security we normally schedule for an evening or weekend event.</p> <p>No.</p>
<p><b>3. Complaints</b></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have any organized campus events or incidents on campus – curricular or non-curricular – caused members of the institutional community (or guests) to make an official complaint about free speech on campus?</li> </ul>	<p>No.</p>
<p>For the remainder of the questions in this section no response is given, as there were no complaints.</p>	

<b>4. Data</b>	
· Number of complaints received under the free speech policy relating to non-curricular events and to curricular events	0
· Number of complaints reviewed that were dismissed	0
· Number of complaints or incidents where the institution determined that the free speech policy was not followed appropriately	0
· Number of complaints or incidents under the free speech policy which resulted in the institution applying disciplinary measures	0

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