

ALUW 2009 Survey Results

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First Question

What do you think ALUW should focus on this year?

Results

1. To act as an advocate for librarians' rights, privileges and conditions of employment (highest for about 50% of you)
2. To serve as a means for the membership's participation in the governance of the University and of the Libraries (2nd highest for about 38%)
3. To provide an interactive forum for consideration of matters of professional concern to members (3rd highest for about 33% of you)
4. To foster collegiality among members (last for about 55% of you)

Second Question

- In June 2008, UW librarians voted overwhelmingly in favor of having the Faculty Council on University Libraries (FCUL) investigate the possibility of inviting librarians to become members of the Faculty Senate. That investigation resulted in a recommendation to the Chair of the Faculty Council on Faculty Affairs (FCFA) to have the issued considered. The recommendation will be considered by FCFA in Winter 2010.
- Would you like ALUW to advocate for UW Librarians to become voting members of the Faculty Senate?

Results

48 Librarians responded

- 42 voted yes (about 88%)
- 6 voted no (about 12%)