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Constitution of QuEST

Article I- Name

The name of this organization shall be "Questioning Established Sexual Taboos".

Article II- Mission

Our mission is to provide Lafayette students, faculty, and staff with a neutral environment in which to discuss issues concerning sexual orientation and gender identity; to offer support to anyone struggling with these issues; to help educate members of the Lafayette community and surrounding areas on topics dealing with sexual orientation and gender identity.

Article III- Membership

Membership in this organization shall be open to all the Lafayette Community.

Article IV- Officers

The officers of this organization shall be "Club Officers" and include the president, vice president, or a co-president, treasurer, secretary, public relations chair. The officers shall be chosen in the late fall semester by nomination for positions and a secret ballot. The current president or co-presidents will tally the votes and announce the results. After this election the new officers will be trained and will begin to assume their office in late December.

Article V- Meetings

The board members of this organization shall meet once every week, and general events for all members should be held monthly.

Article VI- Procedure

The meetings of this organization shall be conducted according to parliamentary law as defined in *Robert's Rules of Order*.

Article VII- Amendments

This constitution may be amended by a 2/3 vote of the members present at a meeting. At least 2/3 of the members must be present in or to have a vote to amend the constitution.