# BYLAWS FOR DEPARTMENT ASSOCIATIONS

## 1. Name of the Association : FINVEST

### 2. Objectives

- (a) To foster unity synergy and spirit of cooperation among the students concerned
- (b) To expose the students to the current trends in the field concerned
- (c) To enhance skills in interpersonal relations, leadership, management and communication
- (d) To disseminate knowledge regarding the field concerned to the students of other departments and to the public
- (e) To provide opportunities for expression of talents

### 3. Association Executive

- (a) Patron (Principal)
- (b) Staff Advisor
- (c) President
- (d) Vice President
- (e) Secretary
- (f) Treasurer
- (g) Arts Secretary
- (h) Sports Secretary
- (i) Executive members

### 4. Role

## (i) Patron

All decisions should be informed to the patron. He can intervene when necessary. The executive committee can seek his guidance.

### (ii) Patron Body

Any inter association activity will be supervised by the Patron Body. In case of any disputes, the final decision will be of the Patron Body.

### (iii) Staff Advisor

He/ She will monitor the association activities. He/ She can intervene when necessary.

### (iv) President

He/ She will preside over both executive meeting and general body. He/ she can direct the secretary to convene both general body and executive meeting after

consulting the staff advisor.

## (v) Vice President

He takes charge in the absence of the President

### (vi) Secretary

- (a) To carry out the day to day administration and execution of the activities in each and every level.
- (b) To convene meeting as per the rules.
- (c) To carry out all correspondence and maintain all files
- (d) To issue notice if necessary.
- (e) To prepare annual reports
- (f) To issue written requests to the treasurer to release money from the fund.
- (g) For any immediate requirements he/she can spend a maximum of Rs.250/- on his own and it should be properly accounted and submitted to the treasurer.
- (h) To keep minutes of the meeting and activity reports.

## (vii) Treasurer

- (a) To collect the annual subscription fee fixed by the association executive.
- (b) To have a joint a/c in the name of the staff advisor and treasurer.
- (c) To provide the necessary receipts and maintain vouchers.
- (d) To prepare annual financial statements.
- (e) To issue necessary funds based on the written request from the secretary as per the directive of the executive.
- (f) To keep all materials, passbooks, and other documents under his/her custody.
- (h) Can keep an amount of Rs.500/-only as cash -in-hand.
- (i) To present the accounts before the executive and general body when requested.

### (viii) Arts Secretary

(i) Arts Secretary will coordinate the association participation in the College Arts Festival.

## (ix) Sports Secretary

(i) The Sports Secretary will coordinate the association participation in the College Sports Festival.

### (x) Executive Members

- (i) One boy and girl from each batch will be members of the executive committee.
- (ii) They raise concerns of each batch before the executive.
- (ii) They can assist the secretary to plan and execute the decisions taken.

### 5. Activities

- (i) Organize seminars, workshop, quiz programmes, cultural programmes,etc.
- (ii) Conduct awareness programmes for public, school students, etc
- (iii) Promote soft skill development activities
- (iv) Training for campus interviews
- (v) Organize career guidance programmes

### 6. Election

(i) To the major posts (President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Arts Secretary and Sports Secretary) only the **second year** students can be elected.

(ii) The association executive members can be elected unanimously or by secret ballot.

## 7. Frequency of meeting

The executive body meeting should be held at least twice in a semester. The general body meeting should be held at least once in each semester.

## 8. Reports

The Secretary should maintain separate minutes for executive body meeting and the general body meeting. The treasurer should keep all accounts in separate book.

## 9. Membership

The members of the association are the students of the department concerned.

#### 10. Fund

Fund for the association is the annual subscription fee from the students and from other sources with the consent of the patron.

## 11 .Scope

The scope of the association is confined to Don Bosco Arts & Science College.

#### 12. Quorum

51% of the members for the general body meeting and 2/3 for the executive meeting

### 13. Amendments

Amendments can be made with a 2/3 majority in the general body meeting and verified by the management.

### 14. No-Confidence Motion

No-confidence motion can be forwarded in the general body and if there is majority of 2/3 it can be passed. If 51% of the members demands, the general body meeting should be convened.

NB: The Committee consisting of the Principal and the Faculty In-Charge of each programme/course will function as the animating nucleus and as the Patron Body.