

Guiding Principles

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The Phoenix

- 1) *The Phoenix* recognizes that it works and learns on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Syilx Okanagan people. *The Phoenix* seeks to operate respectfully on this land and continually engage meaningfully with our local communities.
- 2) *The Phoenix* shall work *with* and *for* the students of the University of British Columbia Okanagan.
- 3) *The Phoenix* shall publish content relevant to students of the University of British Columbia's Okanagan campus, recognizing the many places, peoples, and cultures from which students come.
- 4) *The Phoenix* shall operate in an ethical, fair, and factual manner, and shall ensure that these values are reflected in the work produced by members of *The Phoenix*.
- 5) Members of *The Phoenix* shall be bound to the Bylaws, and shall be overseen by the Governing Committee. The Governing Committee shall enforce the Bylaws of *The Phoenix*, and consult closely with its partners where appropriate.
- 6) *The Phoenix* shall strive to seek out, and provide opportunities for, students of UBC Okanagan who are passionate about journalism and who wish to further their journalistic talents by way of volunteering and working with *The Phoenix*, in support of the above-stated aims.