Constitution of the Stanley McCormick Hall of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology

This Constitution dated December 2010 supersedes all previous documents of this type for this body.

Article I. Name

The name of this organization shall be the Stanley McCormick Hall of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, hereinafter referred to as McCormick Hall.

Article II. Membership

Section 1. The members of McCormick Hall shall be the residents of McCormick Hall who are undergraduates at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Section 2. The voting members of the house shall be the members of McCormick Hall present at the time of voting.

Section 3. The members of a floor/suite of McCormick Hall shall be the residents of the floor/suite who are members of McCormick Hall.

Article III. Executive Committee

The voting members of the Executive Committee of McCormick Hall shall be the President, Treasurer, Secretary, Director of Facilities, Director of Internal Activities, Director of External Activities, and Director of Programming. No person shall hold more than one voting position on the Executive Committee.

Article IV. House Committee

Section 1. The House Committee is composed of the following chairwomen: Alumni, Athletics, Big Sis/Little Sis, Community Service, CPW, Dining, Dish Closet, Entertainment, Environmental, Historian, i3 Video, IAP, Orientation, Room Assignments, Room Reservations, Sewing Room, Social, Spirit, Study Break, Technology, and Webmaster. In addition, there shall be a Judicial Committee and Undergraduate Association (UA) Senators.

Clause 1. The Judicial Committee will be elected in the same election as the rest of the House Committee, excepting the UA Senators.

Clause 2. UA Senators will be elected in September, as dictated by UA regulations.

Section 2. Temporary subcommittees may be formed at any time by the House Committee.
Section 3. No chairwoman position may have more than one vote. Positions that have more than one chairwoman must arrive at a decision together.

Article V. Authority

Section 1. McCormick Hall shall be a member of the Dormitory Council of the Confederation of Undergraduate Dormitories of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall be the governing body of McCormick Hall and its acts and decisions shall, with the provisions described in the Bylaws, be considered those of McCormick Hall.

Article VI. Meetings

The meetings shall be scheduled at the discretion of the President, or at least once a month, and shall proceed according to the Bylaws.

Article VII. Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all votes cast in an open election.

Clause 1. The amendment must have been recommended by a majority vote of the Executive Committee or presented to the President as a petition and signed by at least twenty-five percent of the members of McCormick Hall.

Clause 2. An open election is an election in which all members of McCormick Hall are provided secret ballots.

Article VIII. Ratification

This constitution shall be ratified by a two-thirds affirmative majority in an open election.