

## Bylaws of the Faculty Senate <sup>[1]</sup>

### Introduction

These bylaws are organized to correspond to Articles of the University of Colorado Faculty Senate Constitution <sup>[2]</sup>. Where there are bylaws for an article of the Constitution, their numbering corresponds to the similarly numbered article of the Constitution. Some articles of the Constitution do not have corresponding bylaws at this time.

*Click [here](#) <sup>[3]</sup> to download a copy of the the Bylaws.*

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[1] Supersedes: "Bylaws of the University of Colorado Faculty Council"(December 3, 2002);

"Bylaws of the University of Colorado Faculty Council" (July 1, 1978); Rules of the Faculty Senate (1978); "Panel Procedures for Processing Cases--University Committee on Privilege and Tenure" (RA 12/16/76 and subsequent amendments)

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