

Secretary's Report
Membership Changes since 2017 AGM

392 Members in good standing (+ 8 from December 2016)

54 Members owe dues for this year (-15)

29 Members paid this year, but owe a partial payment, fee, or previous dues (+7)

39 Members owe dues for two years (-11)

514 Members in Total (-11)

12 Resignations (-3):

Rachel Ward-Maxwell	ASSOC	McMaster University
John Dubinski	ORD	University of Toronto
Diana Dragomir	PDF	MIT, U.S.A.
Yasuhiro Hasegawa	PDF	California Institute of Technology, U.S.A.
Visweshwar Ram Marthi	PDF	University of Toronto
Andrew Pon	PDF	Western University
Ashley Ruitter	PDF	Australian National University, Australia
Sarka Wykes	PDF	University of Manitoba
Slavek M. Rucinski	RET	University of Toronto
Alexandre Alarie	STU	Laval University
Lauren Hetherington	STU	University of Toronto
Cory Shankman	STU	University of Victoria

3 Paid five-year subscriptions (-5)

12 New first year student members (+9):

Spencer Bialek	University of Victoria
Mohammed Chamma	Western University
Marie-Eve Desrochers	Université de Montréal
Ruth Digby	University of Victoria
Pamela Freeman	University of Calgary
Hao He	McMaster University
Collin Kielty	University of Victoria
Nicholas Loewen	University of Victoria
Stefan Pelletier	Université de Montréal
Michael Radica	McMaster University
Andrew Reeves	University of Waterloo
Steven Rogowski	Université de Montréal

9 New members (-5):

Bjorn Benneke	ORD	Université de Montréal
Lingjian Chen	STU	St. Mary's University
Douglas Rennehan	STU	University of Victoria

Stephen Ro	ASSOC	University of California, Berkeley, U.S.A.
Paul Scholz	ORD	NRC Herzberg
Chelsea Sharon	PDF	McMaster University
Mehrnoosh Tahani	STU	University of Calgary
Mallory Thorp	STU	University of Victoria
Marie-Claire J. Moquin	PDF	(need app form)

1 Deceased (-1):

Robert Garrison	n/a	University of Toronto
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Conversions:

- ORD to CAP:

David Hanes	Queens University
Erik Rosolowsky	University of Alberta
Nicole St-Louis	Université de Montréal

- ORD to RET:

Tatsuhiko Hasegawa	ASIAA, Taiwan
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- STU to PDF:

Nicholas R. MacDonald	University of Bonn, Germany
Paul Scholz	NRC Herzberg

- STU to ORD:

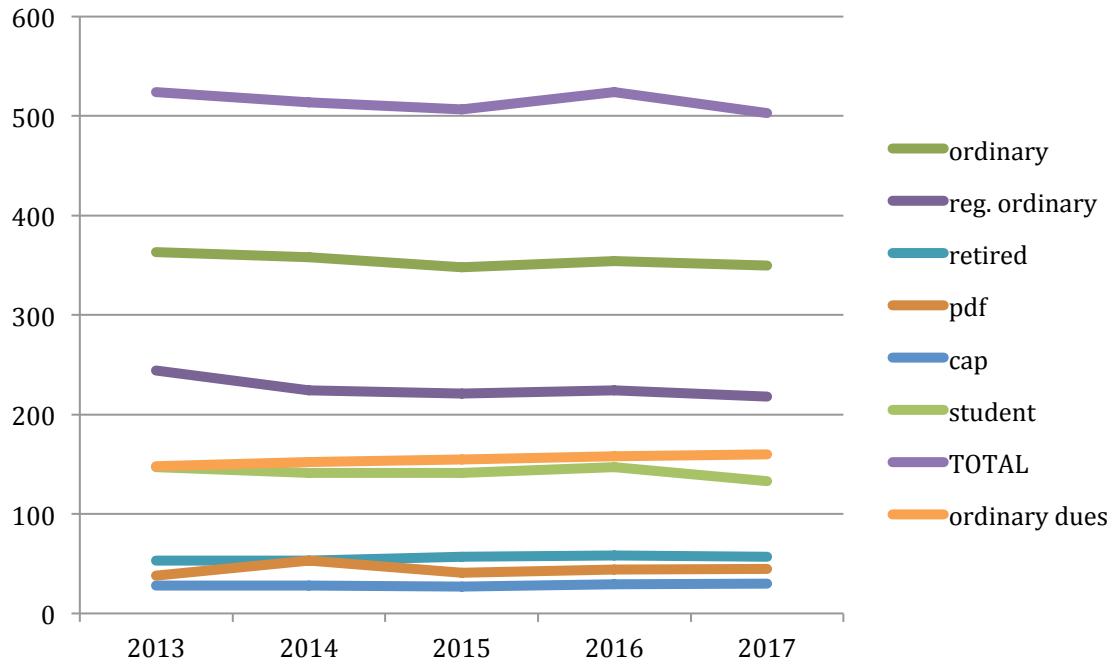
Laurie Rousseau-Nepton	Laval University
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CASCA Membership Trends (2013-2017)

Below are two charts showing CASCA membership trends since 2013, when I became Secretary. The two charts show the levels of the various membership categories in each year, as well as the total, the ordinary membership fee, and the numbers of resignations and expulsions.

The slight decline of total CASCA memberships can be attributed to two trends, decreases in regular Ordinary members (244/224 in 2013/14 to 218 in 2017) and Student members (147/141 in 2013/14 to 133 in 2017). Levels of other membership categories are largely stable, although Associate member numbers have nearly doubled in the last five years (8/9 in 2013/14 to 14 in 2017). Ordinary membership fees have grown modestly with inflation since 2013 from \$148 in 2013/14 to \$160 in 2017, less than 10% in then-year dollars. Resignations and expulsion numbers have varied significantly from year to year but concerted efforts by me to avoid expulsions have reduced those numbers since when I began.

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