

Vice President (Finance & Operations)

REPORT TO COUNCIL

January 25th, 2016 to February 5th, 2016

INTERNAL

Society audits:

-Rehired a finance commissioner to assist with audits this semester. Have begun receiving audits and am getting them back to societies ASAP. The deadline to submit this winter is February 10th. More info on audits can be found at dsu.ca/audit.

Survivor support:

-Continuing to assist where possible in planning/budgeting for survivor support strategies on campus next year.

Budget time!!

-Getting hyped (and prepped) for the upcoming budgeting process. Begun work on retitling and reorganizing the actual lines of our budget so students (and you) can more easily make sense of it without too much explanation.

Election Platform:

-In talks with our likely election platform provider. This will be locked down this week.

Space allocation:

-Working with Rhiannon and the SRC to allocate office space as efficiently as possible for next year. Applications for office space are now available.

OPERATIONS

Food Service Plan:

-If you don't know about this you're in trouble.

Renovations:

-In the final stage of renovations. Currently negotiating with contractor on final costing and details of wrap-up.

UNIVERSITY RELATIONS

International Student Emergency Bursary:

-Have successfully award 2 more emergency bursaries to international students in need.

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President's Advisory Council on Sustainability:

-Working with the folks from DSUSO to lobby the Committee on sustainability issues that students are concerned with. The report to the President will be submitted in January.

Converge 2017

-Currently attending the Converge 2017 - Universities Canada conference in Ottawa.

PROGRAMMING & EVENTS

Grawood:

-Continuing work with Keddy, our Director of Licensed Operations, and our Communications Manager on marketing the Grawood. Society engagement is continuing to increase with lots of great events coming up this month!

St. Patrick's Day:

-Continuing to work with our Director Licensed Operations to plan the best St. Patrick's Day fiesta that the SUB has ever seen (it's the first time it'll be on a Friday in years!), Hoping to have everything set and the Facebook event up by the end of the week. Invite your friends!!!