DSU Vice-President,
Internal
Report for the period
November 21st-December 5th, 2018

Current projects:
- Goal Planning underway
  - Society Anti-O Training for Faculty and Levied Societies (ongoing)
    - E&A Director has been hired! Meeting with the candidate on Thursday to get them situated so they can begin planning Anti-Oppression training
  - Formulation of Society Expo Planning Committee to be launched prior to Winter Society Expo (ongoing)
    - Society Engagement Commissioner hired! Meeting with Member Services Coordinator and VPI this week to touch base and begin training
    - In the interim, working on an e-mail template to distribute to societies as a general call for interested executives to sit on this committee
- Society Ratifications (General Interests and Constituent)
  - Society tagging will be launched on our website when new website is launched
  - Ratifications continue to be processed.
  - Reminder that all societies as of October 10th, 2018 require a minimum of 10 signatures to be ratified. MSA’s have been sending out e-mails to those who applied after October 10th with signature form. Requirement as per passed Society Policy
- Social Media strategy and planning with Communications team (ongoing)
  - Reminder for councilors to bring forward constituents for social media capture. Examples on our Social media pages (Example: Lovepreet and Fatima- thank you friends!!)
- Society Engagement Commissioner Hired!
  - This Commissioner will develop and maintain Society communication channels; will plan Society mixer events; will chair the Society Expo Planning Committee; will work with the E&A Office to coordinate required Anti-Oppression training
  - Applicant pool was 18; 6 applicants selected to be interviewed
• Accessibility Bursary for fall semester is now closed
  o Meeting on Friday of this week to process all applications. Meeting Scheduled for 2 hours but committee members can stay for as long as they are able
• Weekly tasks and meetings
• Working through society conflicts that arise
• E&A Director Hired!
  o 31 Applicants; 7 interviewed
  o Training the successful candidate this week

Successes/Challenges:

• Successes:
  o Ratifications continuing to be processed
• Challenges:
  o Process of ratification has presented some challenges. Looking to revamp ratification process for the future to make it easier to navigate for all parties (For example: bank form request, constitutions, etc.). Looking to post all resources and tips and tricks on ratification tab of new website.
    ▪ Met with DSU Policy and Governance Coordinator, DSU Member Services Coordinator, and General Manager; follow-up meeting next week to reallocate ratification roles where appropriate to limit the amount of delays and confusion from current process
    ▪ Bringing new process to SRC and Executive teams for feedback; once reviewed, will present to council

Society Review Committee:

• Society Review Committee
  o Ratifications that are pending are on the Agenda for this week
  o Society office space applications will be reviewed
  o Societies that passed their audits that are waiting for their money are flagged for SRC to process
• Society Review Committee meeting this Friday December 7th, 2018

Additional information:

• Just worked through my busy part of the term from school and spending the next week getting caught up- apologies if you have been waiting for items on my end, I will be getting to them.
• Getting all committees scheduled to meet before the break
  o Office Steering Committee: Doodle poll sent, waiting for availability
  o SRC: Friday December 7th
- Accessibility Bursary Committee: Friday December 7th
- Society Expo Committee: Early next week once Commissioner is trained