

Vice President Internal

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Internal:

-Societies:

- Ratifications have been continuing! 286 are ratified so far, and many more to come.
- SRC also discussed a special society issue this week and came to a positive conclusion
- Facilitated a conversation between a ratified society, and one hoping to be ratified for a similar purpose. The result was them joining to create one larger society, and both were happy with the product!
- I'm working with our Policy and Research Coordinator to update Society Policy on a few key issues. I will update on this as we get closer to a draft proposal!

-Student Accessibility Bursary Committee

- I met with Pam Goodwin from the University committee (There is DSU-Dal Student Accessibility Bursary, and a DSU only bursary) and awarded 3 bursaries.
- Processing the DSU bursaries is taking a while longer, but is in the works.

-Equity and Accessibility Office:

- I am hoping to meet with Masuma and Aaron (E&A Officer) this week to hold our planning/visioning session for the year.

-Communications:

- Our social media plan has been a little slowed down due to the high volume of work Paul is taking on currently. As well, the nature of recent events requiring more immediate attention has taken precedence over regularly scheduled posts.

University Relations:

- I had my last meeting with the Sexual Violence Policy Committee, and soon the draft will be going to Senate for approval.
- I sat in on an SDC Hearing a few weeks ago, and have another coming up this week.
- Tabled at the Dalhousie Student Life Open House last weekend

Programming and Events:

- Last week we held a successful Anti-Oppression Session open to the public, thanks to Aaron Propser for hosting.
- This week we will be hosting a forum on systemic racism, and next week another Anti-O session.