

IGC report for Speakers October 12th

The following clubs should be approved for interim status:

Exchange Students Association

Mandate:

- Promote the student exchange experience by covering all aspects involved in the process such as financial aid applications, personalized experiences abroad and advice for living in a foreign country, as well as uniting the student-exchange community post-exchange through social events.
- Provide opportunities for students interested in exchange programs to meet with students who have already completed, or are currently on a student exchange to share their opinions and give insight on their destination of choice/travelling tips.
- Hold events relating to information exchanges for study abroad experiences, living abroad, and travelling.

McGill Students We Are Young (McSWAY)

Mandate:

- Continue the tradition of oratory poetry through modern forms of poetic performances, ranging from open mic to poetry slam.
- Promote the appreciation of poetic reading within and without the McGill community
- Provide resources and training on poetic performances to members
- Collaborate with local communities and clubs to promote poetic exchange between McGill and its surroundings
- Allow the experimentation of new forms of poetry in a sustainable and constructive manner

Indigenous Student Alliance

Mandate:

- Form an inclusive and supportive network of representatives who are committed to the spiritual, physical, emotional and mental well-being of self-identifying Indigenous peoples' of the collective student body at McGill University
- Enhance visibility and celebrate Indigenous ways of knowing in a traditional, academic, community, national, and global sphere.
- Highlight our unique traditions, teachings, languages and cultures through special events and gatherings
- Enhance leadership and build capacity amongst students, alumni, faculty and allies within McGill University as well as other Indigenous communities.
- Collaborate with other academic and community organizations currently affiliated with McGill University

Tashan

Mandate:

- Raise awareness in the McGill community about South Asian culture through dance
- Provide a channel of artistic expression for students while fostering a sense of community and belonging
- Collaborate with local organizations and artists to promote both parties

The McGill Students' Astronomy Club

Mandate:

- Hold weekly telescope observation nights
- Create a forum for the discussion of issues related to astronomy or space science with emphasis on a mentoring relationship between the graduate and undergraduate members of the club (note: club membership open to undergraduate and graduate students)
- Disseminate information among the Club members regarding current research being conducted at McGill in relation to space science (e.g. astronomy, astrophysics, earth and atmospheric sciences, engineering)
- Instruct on the proper care and use of a telescope
- Network with local organizations and institutions that deal with space science and make their resources available to its members (e.g. RASC, CSA)
- Support the development of astronomy or space science projects among interested members of the club
- Raise funds to:
 - support projects among members of the club (e.g. constructing telescope, improving Rutherford Observatory, purchasing new equipment...)
 - advertise the Club's existence
 - Attract guest lecturers

Mexican Students

Mandate:

- Provide networking opportunities and resources for students who plan on working in Mexico.
- Promote Mexican culture and heritage within our university
- Organize trips and events that are educational and resourceful for students with an interest in Mexico.
- Aid charities with a focus on Mexico through fundraising and mobilization.
- Organize guest lecturers with a focus on Mexican sociopolitical events.

Full status clubs:

None

Changes in mandate:

StarCraft club to be changed to be changed to McGill E-Sports Student's Association

Mandate:

- Form a community where anyone who is interested in E-Sports is welcome regardless of experience.
- Form networks between the Club and other E-Sports associations in North America.
- Organize events relating to E-Sports such as various tournaments or viewings of international tournaments.
- Organize and assist teams that forms to compete in intercollegiate leagues and tournaments.
- Promote a healthy and competitive environment for students that participate in any given E-Sport.
- Provide information and raise awareness about E-Sports.
- Hold meeting relating to the Club's administration.