



REPORT: VICE-PRESIDENT (UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS)

2019-01-24

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For the period of November 29, 2018 to January 24, 2019

Project Updates

Internal Governance

- further brief discussions with DPSLL
- reached out to 4 different Universities and Student Associations that have already implemented similar policies and have connected with members of exec for from Columbia and Rice

Intergenerational Homeshare

- co-organizing weekly meetings at Building 21 through Intergenerational McGill
- Have connected with people running Homeshares in Saguenay, McMaster, Toronto
- Organized small lego event

Associate Senators

- Some have begun attending committee meetings and Senate meetings
- attendance at Senate caucus has been good
- running a orientation (finally!) on January 31

Know Your Rights

- In class announcements happening but down from last semester so have extended them. right now announcements were made in front of 1.5K students
- [Assignments during Add/Drop](#) already has info on 30+ different courses
- still working on partnership with Student Advocacy for Know Your Rights Website and for some promo material
- Working with DoS on Charter of Students Right guide that should hopefully be released this semester

Two failed projects >> we learn from our failures

- Wanted to work on a change to Statutes to expand the DPSLL advisory committee
- Was working on a research project into divestment



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Smaller goals, where less progress was made

- Committee Calendar and Email: This is a simple one but will require some patience with adoption and hasn't really had any progress
- SSMU Charity #: some research and conversation
- Governance reform: no progress

University Affairs Representation

Representation at Committee

- Senate Steering X2
- Senate X2
- MAUT Council X2
- Enrollment Student Affairs Advisory Committee
- Committee on Student Services
- Advisory Committee for the Selection of the Deputy Provost Student Life and Learning

Senate Caucus

- Meeting regularly
- Senator led projects:
 - Fall Reading Break
 - Open Educational Resources
 - Further explorations into scholarship GPA cutoff and renewals

Individual meetings with

- Associate Provost
- Deputy Provost
- Dean of Students
- [representation made to CAMSR on behalf of SSMU](#)
- Meeting with the Dean of Libraries
- Meeting with Executive Director, Student Services

Equity, Libraries, and other

- **Equity**
 - complaints
- **Libraries**
 - Allocations meeting that I had to miss due to religious reasons



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- fee renewal referendum coming up
- **Other**
 - Daycare Board
 - Ecole Board
 - UTILE meetings
 - MMSA conversations
 - SSMU Board

Respectfully Submitted,
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