Senate Caucus Representative Report
Presented to the SSMU Legislative Council on October 8, 2020

Introduction:
Hi! My name is Darshan Daryanani (he/him). I am pursuing a joint honors degree in Political Science and International Development with minors in Social Entrepreneurship and Communication Studies. I look forward to working with you all! Feel free to reach out at anytime!

Committees/Councils/Caucuses that I serve on:

1. Senate
2. Senate Caucus
3. The Subcommittee on Teaching and Learning
4. The Committee on Student Services
5. The Scholarship and Student Aid Office Advisory Board
6. Senate Caucus Representative on the Board Ad-Hoc Committee on Naming (BACoN)
7. Senate Caucus Representative on SSMU Legislative Council
8. SSMU Clubs Committee
9. AUS Legislative Council
10. Faculty of Arts Council Meetings

Recent Meetings

1. Senate Caucus: Sept 29
   a. Discussion on Athletics Fee question
   b. Discussion of S/U Option for Winter
   c. Motion to censure the Management Senator for their absence from Senate and Senate Caucus, based on IRs

2. The 66th Subcommittee on Teaching and Learning: September 22
   a. Please email YOUR comments on Fall 2020! (will prepare survey shortly)
      i. What is your number one concern about the remote delivery of courses for the remainder of the Fall term?
      ii. What aspects of the remote delivery of courses are working well (e.g., strategies, tools, etc.)?
      iii. We know that assignments and tests in the remote context are significantly different for many courses -- do you have examples of things that have worked well, or things that need to be improved?
iv. What change would make the most difference for you for remote delivery in the Winter semester?

3. **Senate Caucus Representative on the Board Ad-Hoc Committee on Naming (BACoN):** September 18 and October 2
   a. The Board Ad-hoc Committee on Naming (BACoN) is the SSMU committee responsible for naming our two buildings, the University Centre and 3501 Peel. The Committee will be accepting submissions for naming ideas throughout the Fall term. Successful submissions will be brought to referendum for approval by the Membership.
   b. [Terms of Reference](#)
   c. [Guidelines](#)
   d. Michael Rhamey, Luca Lexham Cianciaruso and Gabriel Masi appointed as Members-at-large
   e. Email your suggestions (with a justification)

**Invitation**

- Fourth Teaching and Learning Services (TLS) Forum on the remote delivery of courses hosted by Prof. Christopher Buddle, Associate Provost (Teaching and Academic Programs), and Dr. Laura Winer, Director (TLS)
- Thursday, October 8th from 10:30am – 11:30am
- Link: [https://mcgill.zoom.us/j/83260344441](https://mcgill.zoom.us/j/83260344441)

**Event:**
"All About Student Government" webinar at Activities Night Fall 2020

**Recording:**
[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RhwGHP6vnd9mYUZsRCimz7wcDLEOSi4v/​view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RhwGHP6vnd9mYUZsRCimz7wcDLEOSi4v/​view?usp=sharing)

**Project:**

- Medical Notes Research
  - Survey preparation
- Fall 2020 Feedback
  - Survey preparation
- Equity and Accessibility Guide for Professors/Students
### Future Meetings

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SSMU Clubs Committee
Respectfully Submitted,
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FACULTY OF ARTS MEETINGS
3:00 P.M. – Leacock Council Room, L232
Tuesday, September 15, 2020
Tuesday, October 13, 2020
Tuesday, November 17, 2020
Tuesday, January 19, 2021
Tuesday, February 16, 2021
Tuesday, March 30, 2021
Tuesday, April 27, 2021
Tuesday, May 25, 2021