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Report of the President to Council

Submitted for: 2024-03-21

For the period of 2023-02-16 to 2024-03-20

Governance

- Weekly check-ins with governance team
- Scheduling committee meetings
- 03/01: Consultation on Accountability Motion

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- Chaired weekly meetings of the SSMU Executive Committee
- Ensure the daily running of the society
- Regular meetings with execs

BOARD OF DIRECTORS (BOD)

- Attended bi-weekly meeting of the Board of Directors
- 02/28: Attended Board of Directors training

Governance Reform Committee

 GRC has met to discuss the changes to the IRs of Governance and the creation of the IRs of Sustainability and Operations



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Health and Dental Review Committee

 HDRC met with Student Care to review information related to use of their insurance services

Students Society at McGill for Maintaining Operations and Strategic Advancement (SSAMMOSA) Committee

 SSAMMOSA has met to discuss big changes to the content and structure of the master plan, developed after multiple sub-committees met to review every aspect of the current master plan

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Steering Committee

• Steering Committee met to prepare BoD and LC agendas

Nominating Committee

 Nominating Committee met to discuss different nominations to the committee itself, to the JB and to the BoD

EDI Working Group

• The EDI Working Group has met to develop the new Equity Accountability Plan



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President's Roundtable

- Consulted with Presidents and their faculty associations regarding Interfaculty Relations Plan
- Shared information on the goings on of the different associations

Advocacy & Representation

BOARD OF GOVERNORS (BoG)

• Attended Board of Governors meeting and retreat

Executive Committee (EC)

Attended Board of Governors Executive Committee

CAMPUS RELATIONS

Deputy Provost, Student Life and Learning

 Meetings with Prof. Labeau to discuss a variety of important topics affecting the long-term sustainability of the SSMU

Dean of Student

Biweekly meetings with Prof. Robin Beech



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Leadership & Support

- **Biweekly** Management Meetings
- Weekly check-ins with Maya (GM)
- **Weekly** check-ins with Abril (Secretary General)
- Weekly/Biweekly check-ins with execs
- **Weekly:** Base fee recurring meeting with execs
- Attended preparations to the food coalition summit, regrettably could not attend the summit
- Worked with the VP Finance on the budget for the President portfolio
- SSMU Awards related meetings and tasks
 - Meetings of the SSMU Awards Selection Committee
- Meeting potential president candidates in preparation for the possible by-election
- Work and negotiation on the University Centre Lease with the VP Ops
- Weekly meetings to work on the Base Fee Increase campaign with the VP Finance, VP Internal, and General Manager
- Staff Meeting
- Discussions on legal action to Combat Tuition Hikes
- GSVP Amendments Review
- SSMU Staff Social Committee
- Work on, and consultations about the Accountability Policy and discussion on the commissioner role

HUMAN RESOURCES

- Weekly meetings with HR team
- Work with HR on a variety of important HR matters



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PROJECTS

SSMU Grocery Program

• Grocery Program has started recruiting for volunteers, April 9-10 distribution dates

Governance Reform and other policies

- IRs of Governance
- Accountability Policy
- Interfaculty Relations Plan
- Committee Consolidation
- Yearbook pilot plan for next year

Respectfully Submitted,

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SSMU President