

Report to Council
February 10 , 2019.

Introduction

Campus Trust

In January I was in Toronto with Candice for the Campus Trust AGM. Campus Trust strives to provide members unions like ours with the best coverage and health and dental plans possible, and I am very proud to sit on the board of Campus Trust, bringing the concerns of UPEISU to the forefront.

I've been having a few meetings a month for the various committees I sit on in the trust and I believe as a whole the organization is taking a smart approach with students' money and becoming more sophisticated with promoting the services to students.

The Campus Trust has made three offers to other student associations to join the Campus Trust.

Yearbook

With a yearbook writer hired, we expect the 2018-2019 yearbook will be completed shortly after graduation. Putting the writer on a 14 week schedule seems like the best option to get it done in an efficient manner. After these 14 weeks Janna will edit it and put in the graduation section and send it off the publisher. We're both very confident that this year's yearbook will be completed on schedule.

As part of my mandate I am writing a critical review of the yearbook, and I hope to present my findings on what is the best future for the yearbook.

History book

The writing on the history book is going well, and we expect it to largely keep the the 14 week schedule the writer is on. I am closely working with the writer/researcher and Janna to make sure the information can be put together into an interesting and comprehensive book.

We have been meeting with the Library and Alumni to find the information and get their feedback as to what approach would get the most positive response from the public.

Budget

Budget 2019 has begun! On Wednesday the first meeting to create the 2019-2020 budget occurred, and we got lots of feedback from committee members as to what direction we should

take the consultation and budgeting process. A survey for consultation has been created, and the budget committee engaged in three similar in-person consultation activities we had for budget amendments in the fall

As always I appreciate feedback. If you, someone else, or a group of students would like to see the budget changed or reassessed in some way please don't hesitate to contact myself or another committee member.

Cadre

The Cadre Board of Governors met last week, Cadre is increasing its viewership over last year. They are also always looking for volunteer writers and guest opinions, if you know anyone that wants to get involved just contact the Editor-in-Chief.