



Course Cuts:

- Will be putting together an information package about course cuts and strategies for action at the departmental level, so look out for an email soon
- Have met with Dean Manfredi a few times, met with Provost Masi Feb 11th
- Process of departments making course prioritization list, meeting with Dean, and dean allocating CAS funds will be happening from now until mid-march
 - If you haven't already, get in contact with your Chairs/Directors to find out how your student association can participate in this process!
- Updates on details about reduced CAS budgets and action plan (oral report)

Committees:

- Faculty of Arts Committee meeting January 28th
- Curriculum Committee meeting February 24th
- Committee on Student Affairs meeting February 12th

Programs:

- ASEF
 - Applications are posted to AUS website 'Funding Applications' page
 - Applications due Feb 19th, ASEFC is meeting Feb 25th and Feb 27th
- AIO (Arts Internship Office)
 - 4th annual Arts Undergraduate Research Event was on February 6th
 - Thanks to the AIO and all the volunteers for the great event!
- People, Processes, and Partnerships
 - Meeting soon (date TBA) as part of Project Team Communications

TA and Advising Working Groups

- Meeting (along with Arts Rep Baraldi) Deputy Provost Dyens, Dean Costopoulos on Feb 10th to discuss student feedback- details in oral report
- Great first meetings with both working groups and are meeting again soon
 - Beginning to write the surveys for the TA working group
 - Have come up with a number of ideas for improving advising
- In contact with TA union regarding their participation and help for TA group

Know Your Rights and Responsibilities Campaign:

- Have draft of survey questions, revisions will be finished very soon
 - Working with former VP Academic Zheng and Wildcard on some of the more difficult technological aspects of the survey
- If you have any issues that you think should be part of the campaign, or any questions or comments, please email academic.aus@mail.mcgill.ca

Respectfully submitted,

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