



## Senate

- Senate met on March 18
  - Question regarding OSD funding
    - Probably not all of funding envelope will go to OSD
    - But then “the funds have already been distributed. There is no pending disbursement to OSD or to any other unit”
    - Claim they cant give full breakdown of how fund is used
  - Question regarding Disparities in Student-Advisor Ratios
    - Provoked very interesting, productive discussion on support for advising & low number of advisors at OASIS

## Jacob

- Committees
  - **Senate**
    - **Note:** more detailed reports on these committee meetings are available--please ask us if you are interested in them!
    - i) Enrolment and Student Affairs Advisory Committee
      - March 10 meeting was cancelled
      - Next meeting April 7
    - ii) APC Subcommittee on Courses and Teaching Programs
      - March 26 meeting cancelled
    - iii) Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Advising
      - Met on March 18 and discussed new changes to the late withdrawal policy and several advising initiatives
      - Next meeting April 15
    - iv) Subcommittee on Student Affairs Policies (SSAP)
      - Next meeting April 1
  - **Faculty of Arts**
    - i) Faculty of Arts Council
      - Next meeting April 14
    - ii) Curriculum Committee
      - Next meeting March 30
- McLennan-Redpath Library Food and Noise Policy Working Group
  - Status quo--will get in contact with HSSL staff re: policy implementation
- Know Your Rights:
  - Check out a website preview at <http://ssmu.mcgill.ca/studentrights/>
  - Assessment Policy revisions to be discussed at April 7 ESAAC
- Fall Reading Week
  - Met March 20 to go over models and draft of the survey
  - Now asking about both October (Thanksgiving) and November breaks
  - Aiming to have survey out by end of March, the hope to have any fall reading week proposal go to Senate in May



Kareem

**AUS**

i) Faculty of Arts Council; SQ  
AIO referendum began Monday!

**SSMU**

- i) Sustainability Committee – Met Monday, discussing plebiscite question results (most students want a Sustainability Coordinator)
- ii) Accountability Committee - SQ
  - Helping organize Disabilities Awareness Week with the OSD - check it out! This week! <https://www.facebook.com/events/856302204416182/?fref=ts>
  - Developing the UDL (Universal Design for Learning) pilot project - ongoing

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- i) Committee on Student Services – Discussed Innovation Fund and OSD funding
- ii) Subcommittee on Persons with Disabilities; SQ
- iii) Committee on Enrolment and Student Affairs (CESA); Cancelled
- iv) Selection Committee for the Dean of Post-Graduate Studies - conducting interviews
  - **ECOLE** ; Referendum passed!!!
  - **SEDE**; Working on the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Launch - ongoing
  - **QPIRG**; Organizing Annual General Meeting, Study in Action Conference went well!
    - Universal Design Working Group in Residences to share resources with campus groups on accessible event organizing

Respectfully submitted,

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