



Report of the Vice-President Communications, AUS Council January 27th, 2016

I. Committee Updates

A. Fine Arts Council

- Ran into some issues with room booking at SSMU for Nuit Blanche. Unfortunately we may not be able to get the SSMU Ballroom, but we managed to coordinate with other student groups that were booked that evening to either ask them to collaborate with FAC on Nuit Blanche or find a different location. Everyone has been super helpful with clearing up this mishap and we're still scheduled for Friday, March 18th, from 8 PM to midnight!
- The Dance Fine Arts Representative held a dance workshop on Friday, January 22nd. I will get more details about how the event went from our meeting on Tuesday, January 26th, and will report on this orally.

B. Francophone Commission

- Both of the new Francophone commissioners have been hired and are figuring out dates for the French Conversation circles (I anticipate having concrete times and dates for you at council which I will present orally)
- The Francophone Commission is also hoping to be featured at BdA later in the semester much like it was last year to help advertise!
- We're working on finalizing a Francophone Commission logo with the AUS Graphic Designer!

C. Marketing Committee

- Still putting together logistics for the AUS Services Week which will be happening next week (February 1st-5th)
- Also planning to host Coffee in Ferrier somewhere between February 15th and 19th

D. Prof Talk Coordinators

- Prof Talk with Professor Hans Beck last Thursday (January 21st) went very well!
- The coordinators are in contact with two professors in women's studies and are hoping to do a double feature Prof Talk in which each professor will speak for a period of time and then a question/answer period for both professors will follow
- This will likely be happening at the end of February before reading week

E. Technology Coordinators

- Status quo

II. Miscellaneous

- #### **A. Working with Becky to contact applicants for AUS's *Leacock's* publication**

B. Also working with Becky to plan an Arts Lounge Wine and Cheese event at which students can come tell us what they love and what they don't love about the Arts Lounge so we can put together some ideas about how to improve the space

Respectfully submitted,

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