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Report of the International Development Studies Students' Association (IDSSA) to the AUS Council (11/16/16)

General Updates

- We have relocated offices to 541 Leacock and our new office hours are on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12pm-5pm.

Past Projects / Events

- The IDSSA ran a well attended Wine and Cheese event on November 1st in Arts 160.
- Two days ago, on Monday, the IDSSA facilitated an Open Forum for all IDS students to voice their opinion on certain topics inherent to development studies. Several articles published in student newspapers and magazines on campus, as well as the upcoming cyclical review in December sparked the need for this forum. As this is after the due date for this report, I will speak to this at the meeting.

Current Projects / Events

- The IDSSA is hosting a training session for the Sustainable Development Goals run by a representative from the United Nations on December 1st in the SSMU ballroom. Early bird tickets are available before the event.
- The IDSSA is continuing to offer peer tutoring for students in INTD 200, ECON 208, 313 and 314.
- The publications committee has started meeting in order to discuss a new name for the journal as well as the process for article submissions.

The next meeting of the IDSSA is scheduled for Monday, November 20th from 6:00PM – 7:30PM in the new IDSSA office (541 Leacock).

Respectfully Submitted,

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