



Report of the Vice-President Communications, AUS Council April 6th, 2016

I. Committee Updates

A. Fine Arts Council

- FAC will be having its final meeting next Tuesday, April 12th, to round out the year and debrief about Nuit Blanche.
- I'm asking the Fine Arts Commissioners to each write an exit report for the incoming commissioners (seeing as both will be graduating) and I'm asking the Fine Arts Representatives to each write a brief exit report about their discipline's event since this was a new initiative this year.

B. Francophone Commission

- I'm working with the commissioners to determine whether we'll be holding French Conversation Circles next week in the lounge (attendance has consistently been great, but given that it's the last week of classes we don't know what to expect).
- I'm also organizing a meeting at the beginning of next week between the current commissioners, the incoming Vice-President Communications, and myself to talk about ideas for next year.

C. Marketing Committee

- Meeting with the Marketing Committee on Friday to talk about hosting a final Coffee in Ferrier event during the final exam period and/or providing snacks for students in the Arts Lounge at some point next week.

D. Prof Talk Coordinators

- Status quo

E. Technology Coordinators

- The television in the Arts Lounge is now functioning! I'm hoping that next year students/departments/BdA can make use of it ☺
- Check out the charging station in the Arts Lounge (located next to the pool table)! I'm working with our Technology Coordinators to order signs to indicate where the charging station is.
- See: InfoTech Committee Meeting later in report

II. Miscellaneous

A. Interview/Hiring Process

- The incoming Vice-President Communications and I have been interviewing applicants for half of the positions under the portfolio thus far and have made our first round of decisions. We'll be conducting more interviews throughout the

week next week and hopefully be completing the interview/hiring process by the end of next week!

B. Transition

- I've also been taking time before and after interviews to talk to the incoming Vice-President Communications about the specifics of each student volunteer in addition to (continuing) writing a detailed exit report.

C. InfoTech Committee Meeting

- *Likely more information in the report of the President
- The InfoTech Committee (slash Arts Computer Lab Fund Committee) met last Tuesday, March 30th, to discuss technology initiatives/the plans from Campus Space and Planning (presented earlier this year at council) and their feasibility.
- The faculty is hoping to have another meeting before the end of the semester to which we can all bring detailed plans and budgets and then allocate funds.

Respectfully submitted,

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III. BONUS REPORT

A. Miss Elaine(eous)'s Future Profession

- It has come to my attention that the presentation of my council reports this year has been "weather-woman-like." I've created a quiz below that I'd like for you all to participate in so I can determine what profession I should actually go into:
 - **What should Elaine do with her B.A.?**
 - **A.** Become a meteorologist/weather reporter
 - **B.** Become a Zumba and/or jazzercise instructor
 - **C.** Go rogue and become a circus ringmaster
 - **D.** Sell overpriced products on the Home Shopping Network (HSN)
 - **E.** Other