## Report of McGill Undergraduate Geography Society (MUGS) Wednesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

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## **General Updates**

- Lockers in Burnside basement are still available for Geography major and minor students free of charge, and for \$10 to non-geography students for the year. People interested should send an email at <a href="mailto:mcgillgeography@gmail.com">mcgillgeography@gmail.com</a>.
- Nomination and application period were held for the positions of U1 Representative, Sustainability Officer, and Fieldnotes Editor-in-Chief.
  - Official announcement regarding these positions will be made this week.
  - Nomination period for U1 Representative was extended to October 3<sup>rd</sup> given the fact we hadn't received an updated list of Geography students until this past Saturday (September 29<sup>th</sup>).
- Our U2 and U3 representatives are working on clothing orders (i.e.: sweatshirts, caps) that will be available to Geography students at a discounted price.

## **Events, Projects, and Opportunities**

- A new microwave should be on its way very soon for our lounge (3<sup>rd</sup> floor Burnside).
- Free GIC Workshops are offered to McGill students on Thursdays. Please make sure to register on <a href="http://gic.geog.mcgill.ca/2018-19-workshops/">http://gic.geog.mcgill.ca/2018-19-workshops/</a> as places are limited. Here are the next two workshops:
  - Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup>: "Introduction to Data Science with R" presented by Tim Elrick from 2:30pm to 5h15pm in BH 511.
  - Thursday, October 11<sup>th</sup>: "Introduction to QGIS" presented by Tim Elrick from 2:30pm to 5h15pm in BH 511.
- Pints, Lines, and Polygons, our geography bonding event, is in the works! We're aiming to hold the event in mid-October, so stay tune!
- Our VP External to SUS is planning a Mario Kart event in collaboration with SUMS, more details to come very soon!
- OMG McGill, our mapping group, is holding a Mapping Party on October 23<sup>rd</sup> from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. All students are welcome to contribute to the creation of an accessibility map of campus. For more information, consult the Facebook event at https://www.facebook.com/events/246621866001062/.
- Our Geography Mentorship program is making a comeback this year. If you're interested, please send an email to <a href="mailto:geographymentorprogram@gmail.com">geographymentorprogram@gmail.com</a>.

## **Next MUGS Meeting**

Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018 @ 5:30 PM, Burnside 512

Respectfully Submitted,

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