



May 19th, 2015

To: University of Alberta Students' Council 2015/2016

Re: Vice President Student Life Council Report

Hi Council,

Welcome to my **FIRST** report! Please feel free to ask any and all questions!

Council and Governance

It was a pleasure to attend the first **Council Administration Committee (CAC)** meeting this Tuesday! We had great conversations regarding councillor expectations for the year and what to prioritize. We also had the opportunity to touch on the topic of councillor engagement for Week of Welcome as well.

Health and Services

I had the opportunity to meet with Melissa Visconti (**Team Lead of the Healthy Campus Unit**) to chat about possible collaborations in 2015/2016, specifically focusing on the expansion of the **Unwind Your Mind** project. We are super keen on getting Faculty Associations involved in the progress of the expansion. More updates to come once we coordinate these meetings in the future.

Events

This past Monday (May 11th) I was invited to the **Lieutenant Governor's Circle of Mental Health and Addiction Luncheon**. I had the opportunity to meet with several non-profit executive directors. We also had some brief chats about future directions of the circle since a new Lieutenant Governor will be announced in less than a week. So far there was interest expressed on focusing development/support of mental health initiatives at a youth level. I see this as a great opportunity for the Students' Union to pitch in their thoughts and possibly secure a good partnership with the circle. More updates to come!

VP Bondarchuk and I are off to Montreal for the **Student Care Conference (Montreal Stakeholder Meeting)**. We are super sad that we couldn't stay for the council meeting :(We will be back on May 22nd, can't wait to tell you guys all about it!



Office of the **VICE PRESIDENT STUDENT LIFE**

I am excited to announce that **councillors K. Wang, Xu, Kwan, Lewis, Duan, Zhang and VP Hanwell** will be joining me for a little roadtrip down to Calgary for the annual **U of Calgary Wellness Summit**. Hurray for UASU representatives!

An invitation was extended by **Chancellor Young to the Honorary Degree Reception** event. Super excited to bring along **councillors Thronson and Kwan** on June 10th. This will be a great opportunity for us to meet other faces at the U of A.

Thank you for being awesome!

Best,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "V. Kwan".

Vivian Kwan
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