

Hi Council,

September is almost over! What a great first month! Hope everyone is enjoying the beautiful fall campus and rocking their courses.

### Municipal Elections

Advanced satellite polling stations will be in SUB Atrium all day on Oct. 12. There will be a full social media, poster, and pamphlets campaign leading up to the day. Make sure to share, vote, and encourage everyone to get involved with municipal politics!



Don Iveson Chats with Students at Election Year

Election Year: Meet Your Council Candidates during Govweek was a great success! We had attendance from over a dozen candidates from wards across the city! Over one hundred persons filtered through the event over that time, and from engagement we've seen at other municipal level events, that was fantastic. A special thanks to all of the councillors who came and asked engaged questions and the event staff for being so accommodating.

We will be sending out municipal advocacy briefings to all of the candidates, in all of the races, this Friday. If anyone is interested in our municipal advocacy, please feel free to reach out, and I'd be happy to go over our current positions.

#### Edmonton Student Alliance (ESA)

President Banister and I attended a ESA meeting on the 26th at NAIT. Notably we discussed future advocacy goals for the ESA and introduced the Concordia GSA as a new member. The ESA now represents nearly 100,000 students across Edmonton, an amazing accomplishment.

#### Senate Plenary

I participated in the first University of Alberta Plenary session of the year on Monday. I presented the UASU Executives goals for the year, the goals of the UASU itself, and a state of the union report. Overall Senate was very interested in the student perspective and I look forward to a year with some amazing people. I also sat on the Senate Honorary Degrees Selection Committee and was thrilled to review some amazing candidates.

#### Green and Gold Day & Pep Rally



VP Paches and I both MC'd the Green and Gold Day Pep Rally! Was really exciting to see so many pumped up students! The entire team took part in certain Green and Gold activities and overall was a fantastic celebration of the University of Alberta.

That's all folks!

Cheers,



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