



UBC's Got Talent and United Way!

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UBC's Got Talent highlights musical, dancing, theatrical, spoken word, singing and other performing talents of the UBC community. This is an initiative by the Alma Mater Society of UBC Vancouver, UBC's student society, with support from the following generous sponsors: UBC, University Neighbourhood Association (UNA), UBC Bookstore, Natureland Products and UBC Alumni.

"I am ecstatic that UBC's Got Talent is sold out. The AMS' goal was to unite the UBC community while supporting a worthy cause and we are thrilled about its success," says Bijan Ahmadian, AMS President.

This charity event will be held under the magnificent roof of the Chan Centre and its proceeds will be donated to the UBC Community United Way Campaign.

UBC President, Prof. Stephen Toope, and AMS President, Bijan Ahmadian vowed to sing a duet if 1000 (or more) tickets were claimed. As promised, the two will be singing "Sweet Dreams" by the Eurythmics, which was selected by the UBC community.

Date: Friday, January 14, 2011

Time: 8:00 p.m.

Location: Chan Centre for the Performing Arts, 6265 Crescent Road

For more information, please visit www.talent.ubc.ca

For media passes, please contact Bijan Ahmadian, AMS President at 604.506.6000 or president@ams.ubc.ca

About the AMS (Student Society of UBC Vancouver)

The AMS represents over 46,000 students on the Point Grey Campus. Our mission statement is "to improve the educational, social and personal lives of the students at UBC." In addition to standing up for students' rights through lobbying the different levels of government and the University Administration, the AMS also runs 14 businesses, hosts student events, oversees approximately 300 clubs and provides many student services and resources.

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