



## July Advocacy Committee Report to AMS Council

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Hi from Advocacy Committee! We met four times in July. We had lots of great discussions with guests joining our conversations regularly.

### Works in Progress (or on the Horizon)

- Provincial Student Housing Working Group is meeting. VPX is creating proposals in collaboration with UBC based on Rent with Rights recommendations.
- Discussed Quebec's Bill 21 and possible collaborative student action, including a joint letter.
- CERT conversations are happening with the university and VPAUA. There will be follow up on what next steps are.
- Athletics and Recreation MOU is still being workshopped by VPAUA, President, and UBC. More to come on what priorities are to meet needs for greatest amount of students.
- Discussed AMS stance on the Trans Mountain Pipeline and identified some actionable items including holding a Knowing Your Rights as a Protestor workshop and engaging with climate action during the federal election and in advocacy.
- Discussed Equity Plan and identified the need to create a contextualized AMS/UBC definition of equity.

### Work Completed this Month

- BC Budget Consultation was submitted
  - Discussed how we can engage more students in the process, make it more visible
- Consulted on Get Out the Vote federal election campaign from VPX office
- VPX is submitted a letter to Santa Ono on the U7 Alliance, providing feedback on the letter and the role of the university and student advocates at the global, national, and regional level.
- Our Time came in to present about Green New Deal Town hall.
- Discussed AMS position on proposed UNA Bylaw Review as they include changes to remove the AMS-appointed director off the board.