AMS Elections 2021

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VIRTUAL OFFICE HOURS

Zoom Link: Upon Request

Office Hours: January 11th - February 12th: by appointment only
Office Hours: February 20th - March 5th: Monday - Friday, 9am-5pm

SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook: @electionsAMS
Twitter: @ams_elections
Reddit: u/AMSElections
Instagram: ubcamselections
Website: ams.ubc.ca/get-involved/elections
Election Rules Update for COVID-19

- All in-person forms of campaigning are prohibited. This is an ENTIRELY VIRTUAL election.
- What this means:
  - no in-person events
  - no in-person campaigning
  - no physical polling booths
  - Only physical campaign material permitted are LAWN SIGNS*

*Lawn signs must follow UBC Campus and Planning rules. Candidates can submit lawn sign designs to CEO as soon as they wish.*
Key Dates

January 11th at 9:00AM: Nominations Open for AMS, Senator At-Large and BoG

January 27th at 9:00AM: Nominations open for SLFS

February 5th at 5pm: Nominations close for Senators At-Large, BoG

February 12th at 12:00PM: Nominations close for AMS Executive

February 12th at 5:00PM: All Candidates Meeting & Referendum Meeting

February 12th 7pm: Candidates officially announced, submissions for campaign material approval begin*

February 19th at 11:59PM: 200-word blurb, candidate photo for website, list of volunteers due.

February 19th at 11:59PM: 100-word blurb, photo for online ballot due.

February 20th at 12:01AM: Official Campaign Period begins.

*Candidates may submit designs for lawn signs for approval anytime.
Key Dates Continued

**March 1st at 12:01AM:** Voting Period begins.

**March 5th at 4:00PM:** Campaign Material Approval closes.

**March 5th at 5:00PM:** Voting Period ends.

**March 5th at 5:30PM:** Partial Unofficial Results Announced. Beginning of withdrawal and appeals period.

**March 7th at 5:00PM:** End of withdrawal period. Full Unofficial Results Announced.

**March 8th at 5:00PM:** End of appeals period.

**March 10th at 6:00OM:** Results are presented to Council and become Official.

**March 12th at 5:00PM:** Declaration of Expenses and Reimbursement Forms DUE. All physical campaign material must be removed by this time.
AMS Elections Virtual Events

- All moderated by *The Ubyssey*
- **Forum #1: Feb. 23, 2021**
  - AMS President, VP AUA, VP Admin, BoG
- **Forum #2: Feb. 24, 2021**
  - AMS VP External, VP Finance, Senate
- **Great Debate: March 1st**
  - All Candidates for All Positions
Candidate Reimbursement Limits

- Candidates running for one (1) position: $375.00
- Candidates running for two (2) positions: $600.00
- Candidates running for SLFS: $50.00
Nominations Info Session

TOMORROW, Jan. 15th, 6-7:30pm PST

Zoom link:
https://ubc.zoom.us/j/65559452469?pwd=WlRJQUNHdDBlGtOYXjGejh6K2FmZz09

Meeting ID: 655 5945 2469
Passcode: 416309
The AMS Elections Committee only oversees the referendum process once a petition has been received and verified by the AMS VPAUA.
Questions or Comments?