EXECUTIVE GOALS

End of Year Update
April 28, 2021
INTRODUCTION

1. COVID-19 PANDEMIC SUPPORT AND RECOVERY
   Looking forward to post-pandemic recovery and Fall 2021 planning.

2. REIMAGINING STUDENT ENGAGEMENT
   Have taken significant strides this year in improving communications with room to grow.

3. CENTERING EQUITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION
   Taken an active role in community education and advocacy initiatives.
PRESIDENT

01 Engagement Overhaul
Continued work on brand and communications strategies, improved Council materials rollout.

02 New Housing Service
AMS Housing is on its way to being fully operational for the 2021/22 year.

03 AMS Equity Plan
AMS Equity Plan almost complete, and expanded equity operations for 2021/22 year.
VP EXTERNAL  
KALITH NANAYAKKARA

01 Federal Advocacy  
Removal of CSL interest rates, improving student employment opportunities, UCRU formalization and development

02 Provincial Advocacy  
Successful snap-elections campaign, U-Pass and other transit solutions, housing and education affordability advocacy and reviews

03 External Relations  
Emphasis on collective advocacy through new and strengthened relationships with politicians, student unions and key stakeholders such as UCRU, BCFS, ABCS and GSS.
01 UPGRADED FINANCE SYSTEMS
Transitioned to a cloud-based financial reimbursement system, accounting system, and economical ticketing provider

02 STUDENT SUPPORT
Increased the accessibility of Funds and subsidy programs as well as increasing money available

03 Health and Dental Enhancement
Increase the annual maximum covered by the Health Plan for visits to mental health practitioners from $500 to $1,000, retroactive to Sept. 1, 2020
01 ACTIVE CLUBS COMMUNITY
Ensured pandemic resilience through the digital transformation of admin procedures, the provisioning of additional funding sources and constant feedback loops with AMS subsidiaries

02 DYNAMIC HATCH PRESENCE
Elevated the gallery’s accessibility, visibility and relationship with campus partners, while furthering progress in ensuring the digitization of the AMS Permanent Art Collection

03 AMBITIOUS & COLLABORATIVE SUSTAINABILITY APPROACH
Reinvigorated AMS Sustainability by increasing campus partners, championing student initiatives and facilitating organizational development
01 COVID & ONLINE LEARNING RESPONSE
COVID survey, Beyond COVID taskforce, closed captioning, lecture recording technology infrastructure, Proctorio successes, technology bursary, housing contract

02 ADVANCING AN EQUITABLE FUTURE
Campaign about anti-racism, WorkLearn positions to support racialized, disabled, and Indigenous students, Centre for Accessibility resources, RA unionization, affordability plan

03 COMMUNITY DRIVEN WELLBEING
Disclosure of student deaths to the community, implementation of digital meal donation program and food security supports, and increased QPR resources, 1.5 million in climate emergency funding, Policy SC17 Implementation Committee
SERVICES MANAGER  
IAN STONE

01 OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH
Revamping how we recruit, hire, and provide professional development.

02 PEER SUPPORT
Reimagine how Peer Support plays a part in the UBC mental health landscape.

03 AMS HOUSING
Provide crucial, innovative Services to students in need.
QUESTIONS