

## STUDENT COUNCIL MINUTES

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Guests: Anabelle McElroy (Ubysey), Nathan Bawaan (Ubysey), Iman Janmohamed (Ubysey), Bernice Wong (Ubysey), Isabella Falsetti (Ubysey), Anna Shubina (UBC Ukrainian Student Union). Nastya Mozolevych (UBC Ukrainian Student Union), Rowan Bapty (incoming EUS rep), Karisma Jutla (incoming EUS rep), Lily Holmes, Quyen Schroeder, Zach Kanevski, Wren-Harbul Gillespie, Celia Chung (Acting Managing Director), Sheldon Goldfarb (Clerk of Council), Joanne Pickford (Admin Assistant)

### **A) Call to order:**

The meeting was called to order at 6:15 pm.

### **B) Territorial Acknowledgement:**

The Speaker:

- UBC Vancouver and the AMS Student Nest are situated on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam people.

### **C) Approval of the Agenda**

1. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED KODA TOOTOOSIS: [SCD378-23]

“That the agenda be amended to remove the Indigenous Committee Code Change motion.”  
... No objections

2. MOVED THOMAS DUNSMORE, SECONDED ESHANA BHANGU:

“That the section of Code requiring the timing of the distribution of the agenda be suspended.”

Note: Requires 2/3rds

... No objections

3. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED RACHEL KIM:

“That the agenda be approved as amended.”

... No objections

### **D) Membership and Attendance: Introductions, new member, declaration of vacancies**

New members:

Vacancies: Architecture, Audiology, GSS, Journalism, LASSA, Pharmacy, Planning, Populations & Public Health, Regent. Science, Social Work, VST

Goodbyes: Sabbir Hossain (GSS)

**E) Speaker's Business and Remarks (5 minutes)**

**F) Statements from Students at Large (3 minutes each)**

**G) Approval of Minutes of Council and Committees**

4. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED BEN DU:

"Whereas Council on March 22, 2023 approved minutes from its meetings of February 1 and February 13; and

Whereas the Trans Coalition has requested that the names of its members be redacted from those minutes,

Be it resolved that Council approve the amended versions of the February 1 and February 13 minutes as presented."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Council minutes dated February 1, 2023 (redacted) [SCD379-23]  
Council minutes dated February 13, 2023 (redacted) [SCD380-23]

... No objections

5. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED BEN DU:

"That the following minutes be accepted as presented."

Executive Committee Minutes April 4, 2023 [SCD381-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes March 23, 2023 [SCD382-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes March 14, 2023 [SCD383-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes February 28, 2023 [SCD384-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes November 27, 2022 [SCD385-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes November 23, 2022 [SCD386-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes November 10, 2022 [SCD381-23]  
Executive Committee Minutes October 19, 2022 [SCD388-23]

... No objections

## H) Consent Items

### Consent Items Requiring a Simple Majority Consent Items Requiring a 2/3rds Majority

## I) Presentations and Accompanying Motions

### *Draft AMS Strategic Plan – Eshana Bhangu and Ben Du*

[SCD389-23]

Eshana Bhangu:

- Excited to finally bring the Strategic Plan for the next quinquennial.
- Making substantive changes to our values, which is important because they are used in performance evaluations.
- Introduced a Vision, which is: “A transformative student experience for a better every-day.”

Ben Du:

- The plan includes our Mission:
  - To improve the quality of the academic, social, and personal lives of UBC students.
- We aim to serve the best interests of our members, setting a high standard for ourselves, aiming to be the best student union in the world.

Eshana Bhangu:

- We talk of being in a fast-changing situation, but actually we’ve tried most solutions over the years.
- Some challenges continue, e.g., staying relevant when there are so many groups fighting for attention.
- We want to do consistent self-evaluation, staying in touch with students’ needs.
- Advocacy strategy:
  - Many non-profits face this, deciding what their time and resources should be spent on, determining what to advocate for, recognizing that some things are unfeasible.
  - This means we need to facilitate communication with the membership to ensure they feel heard, especially when calls to action are not acted on.
- Affordability:
  - We can’t just jack up prices like other businesses because we’re committed to affordability.
  - This means we have to be creative.
  - We want to keep our fees low.
  - We do rely on our businesses for revenue.
  - We also want to find new revenue streams.
  - I’ll be interested to see how future leadership handles this.
- A united campus, campus spirit:
  - You see more of this in the US.
  - Thousands work hard to get here and they link their worth to belonging here.
  - It’s a challenge to deal with that.

- Stagnant operations:
  - We have been overhauling our booking and financial systems, invested a lot of time in that.
  - We're vulnerable to getting too comfortable.
- Guiding Principles and Values, to solve the challenges:
  - Students first: meet our member's needs, make a place where students feel welcome, prioritizing the effects of our actions.
  - Integrity and Sincerity: trust is paramount.
  - Operating ethically and in good faith, being transparent and good-hearted.
  - Putting the needs of the student body above personal gain.
  - Going above and beyond: Our roles come with a privilege and a responsibility.
- Strategic Priorities (annual goal-setting should connect to these):
  - Exceptional programing:
    - Help students find their own group.
    - Need to support our subsidiaries as we emerge from COVID.
    - Need to be aggressive in our recovery while being fiscally responsible.
  - Delivering Results:
    - In terms of advocacy, we can't take for granted the seats we have earned at every University table.
    - We earned those through hard work, being data-driven, doing our due diligence.
    - Have to secure funding.
    - Our work has long-term consequences.
  - Cultivating a Sense of Belonging:
    - We have 367 clubs and 21 Constituencies.
    - We need to support them.
    - Not so important to have students identify these as being part of the AMS as to help students find their community.
    - Need to make sure our Services help students feel supported.

Ben Du:

- More Strategic Priorities:
  - Operational excellence:
    - The Nest is foundational to our relationships.
    - Want to create a sense of belonging, not just for students, but for faculty, staff, and commercial clients.
  - Collaborative Leadership:
    - Everyone needs to work to cultivate collective pride: business units, Services, committees involved in strategic goal-setting.
    - Need to operate as one team.

Eshana Bhangu:

- Implementation
  - Relying on buy-in of Executives and Council over the next few years.
  - The new Managing Director will also do annual planning.

Ben Du:

- Integration:
  - Connecting our institutional plans and frameworks.
  - Continuity and cohesion to counteract annual turnover.
  - This is our first strategic plan in a very long time.

Eshana Bhangu:

- University Plans
  - Make sure we're not duplicating work.
  - We've worked with the University on such things as the Indigenous Strategic Plan.
  - There are lots of strategic plans at UBC.
  - This plan is the ultimate one for the AMS, but it's important to work with our other plans and the University's plans.
  - Thanks to our team and to Cole Evans, Nicolas Romualdi, and Ben.

*Questions*

Thomas Dunsmore:

- To keep this going, will there be communication with future presidents?

Eshana Bhangu:

- We have challenges facing us every year.
- I hope future presidents lean on this plan.
- There are performance evaluation consequences.
- There's a stellar team in place.
- It will be the job of next year's Council and the Managing Director to make sure things work.

Mathew Ho:

- Some unprecedented things happened this year.
- How can we make sure this plan is not dead on arrival?

Eshana Bhangu:

- I hope there's more optimism than that.
- If the new Executive buys into the plan, I don't think there are any challenges that can't be overcome.
- We can learn from past mistakes.

Audrey Chow:

- What happens if an Executive team chooses not to buy into this plan?
- Can it be modified?

Eshana Bhangu:

- Ideally not.
- It would be an atypical Executive that disagreed with this plan.
- It's not prescriptive.

Katherine Feng:

- I appreciate the work that has gone into this.
- Why quinquennial? Why five years?
- What happens after that?

Ben Du:

- Five years is a good balance.
- It ensures continuity without overreaching.
- The plan doesn't funnel anyone into what to do; there's not that specificity.
- In five years' time priorities can shift, but these core ideals will continue to be there.
- This should set the AMS up for success.

Katherine Feng:

- The plan is high level and broad.
- How will it be used in everyday operations?

Eshana Bhangu:

- The Executives will be responsible.
- The plan is broad, but not vague.
- It will be easy to link action items to it.

Ben Du:

- We need to create a culture in which the strategic plan is referenced not just in setting goals but in the election period.

Ayesha Irfan:

- I'm a little confused about implementation.
- Is this a guiding document?
- Or will it have consequences?
- A code of conduct?

Eshana Bhangu:

- It's not just a guiding document.
- There will be performance consequences.
- When the Managing Director does annual goals, they are tied to wage increases.
- The Agenda Committee will work to ensure that all committees are working together through the plan.
- And the EPA will collect feedback.
- And there will be the monthly goal updates from the Executive to see if Executives are not carrying out their goals or going against them.
- It will be a team effort to implement this plan.

Esmé Decker (President-elect):

- Will there be freedom to add to the plan?

Eshana Bhangu:

- There shouldn't be a lot of additions.
- The plan is meant to be implemented, not reworked.

Ben Du:

- This is a dynamic environment; things can change.
- But the plan was created through a multi-year process.
- If there are changes, they must be done in a responsible way, through consultation.

Christian Kyle:

- This is a baseline.
- If future teams want to go beyond, awesome.

6. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED JONATHAN DE SOUZA:

"That Council approve the Strategic Plan as outlined in the document 'Strategic Plan: The Next Quinquennial: 2023-2028'."

Mathew Ho:

- Will the deficit limit our ability to carry out the plan and fulfill our priorities?

Eshana Bhangu:

- We are committed to maintaining affordability, but that's not so much to do with the deficit, just about costs.
- It's about being creative with our revenue sources.

7. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED JONATHAN DE SOUZA:

"That Council approve the Strategic Plan as outlined in the document 'Strategic Plan: The Next Quinquennial: 2023-2028'."

... Carried

**For (25): Eshana Bhangu, Anisha Sandhu, Ben Du, Lawrence Liu, Audrey Chow, Mathew Ho, Kaysan Adriyanto, Cynara Onyemordi, Thomas Dunsmore, Rachel Kim, Yash Ahlawat, Christian Kyle, Sofia Cecic, Kana Kawanishi, Shisir Nurrall, Samia Syeoti Ramim, Koda Tootoosis, Cissy Zhang, Maddie Elder, Amelia Walker, Rhiannon Terpstra, Cindy Wang, Katherine Feng, Salva Sherif, Jonathan De Souza**

**Abstained: Ayesha Irfan**

**J) Executive & Committee Motions**

8. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

[SCD390-23]

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Services Manager' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Eshana Bhangu:

- This aligns Code with our current practice and replaces the Student Services Manager with Kathleen.

9. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Services Manager' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

... Carried

**For (23): Eshana Bhangu, Anisha Sandhu, Audrey Chow, Ayesha Irfan, Mathew Ho, Kaysan Adriyanto, Cynara Onyemordi, Thomas Dunsmore, Rachel Kim, Yash Ahlawat, Christian Kyle, Kana Kawanishi, Shisir Nurrall, Samia Syeoti Ramim, Koda Tootoosis, Victor Liu, Cissy Zhang, Maddie Elder, Amelia Walker, Rhiannon Terpstra, Cindy Wang, Katherine Feng, Salva Sherif, Jonathan De Souza**

10. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

[SCD391-23]

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Referendum Petitions' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Eshana Bhangu:

- Makes sure that the President's office, not the VPAUA, receives petitions.

Sheldon Goldfarb:

- We amended Bylaws to say this in last year's bylaw changes, but did not change Code to match.

11. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Referendum Petitions' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

... Carried

**For (20): Eshana Bhangu, Anisha Sandhu, Ben Du, Audrey Chow, Mathew Ho, Kaysan Adriyanto, Thomas Dunsmore, Rachel Kim, Yash Ahlawat, Christian Kyle, Sofia Cecic, Kana Kawanishi, Shisir Nurrall, Samia Syeoti Ramim, Koda Tootoosis, Cissy Zhang, Maddie Elder, Rhiannon Terpstra, Katherine Feng, Salva Sherif, Jonathan De Souza**



12. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE: [SCD392-23]

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Removing Executives' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Eshana Bhangu:

- We added more criteria to guide Council on what could trigger a vote to remove an executive, such as creating reputational damage or liability.
- Adding specifics, but this does not limit Council; they can remove for other reasons as well.

13. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Removing Executives' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

... Carried

**For (19): Eshana Bhangu, Anisha Sandhu, Audrey Chow, Cynara Onyemordi, Thomas Dunsmore, Rachel Kim, Yash Ahlawat, Christian Kyle, Kana Kawanishi, Samia Syeoti Ramim, Koda Tootoosis, Victor Liu, Cissy Zhang, Maddie Elder, Amelia Walker, Rhiannon Terpstra, Cindy Wang, Katherine Feng, Salva Sherif, Jonathan De Souza**

**Abstained: Ayesha Irfan**

14. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE: [SCD393-23]

"That Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Elections Administrator and Speaker' and thus amend the Code as recommended."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Eshana Bhangu:

- This does not require that they be the same, but it allows them to be the same.
- May make sense.
- The Governance Review Committee thought it made sense.

Mathew Ho:

- Would there be a conflict of interest?
- Councillors interact with the Speaker and then may want to run in an election.

Eshana Bhangu:

- Both positions have to be impartial.
- I don't anticipate this being a problem, but we have rules in place.

The Speaker:

- The Speaker will not be able to be the chair of the Elections Appeals Committee if they are also the Elections Administrator.

15. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE: [SCD393-23]

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Note: Requires 2/3rds

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16. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE: [SCD394-23]

"Be it resolved that Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled 'Code Changes 2023: Governance Restructuring' and thus amend the Code as recommended.

Be it further resolved that Council direct the Student Life Committee to dissolve the Grad Class Subcommittee."

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Eshana Bhangu:

- There are a lot of Code changes.
- For the Council agenda, setting strict time limits for items.
- Steering Committee becomes the Agenda Committee and will choose its own chair.
  - We cut out some of its duties that didn't make sense, like responsibility for Council socials.
- Exec accountability committee to be chaired by the Speaker.
- Removed requirement for committees to meet biweekly, but some committees will still have to.
- Moved oversight of IT to the Operations Committee.
- Added new timelines for club applications.

- Student Life Committee
  - Added approval power over AMS Events and Services Goals.
  - It will be the committee for socials, professional development, etc.
  - It will be involved in partnerships with UBC Athletics.
- Governance Committee to meet every two weeks, and all Code changes will go through it.
- Executive Performance and Accountability Committee:
  - To follow Strategic Plan.
  - Can look at concerns about non-executive councillors.
- VP Admin will get responsibility for the Grad Class gift.
- Advisory Board will receive business goals.
- Presidents Council:
  - Vice-chair added.
  - Will meet every month and at the request of a Councillor.
  - Reduced its quorum to the number of representatives representing 50% of the Society's membership.

Ayesha Irfan:

- Re Committee Chairs:
- Making any Councillor able to chair, including non-voting ones, the ones on UBC's Board and Senate, undermines fiduciary duty.
- What is the intent behind this?

Eshana Bhangu:

- The main issue was Advocacy Committee.
- We were going to change it to bar non-voting Councillors.
- This is more paired with that (but that change has been postponed).

Cynara Onyemordi:

- Why is the President not chairing the Agenda Committee?

Eshana Bhangu:

- To get more Council involvement.
- Councillors will have more control; it won't just be what the President wants.

Katherine Feng:

- Committee Chairs get paid and are part of AMS leadership.
- It would be odd if those positions could be held by members of UBC's Board or Senate.

Eshana Bhangu:

- I am not opposed to removing this change.
- Sometimes non-voting Councillors are more involved than voting ones.

17. MOVED KATHERINE FENG, SECONDED SALVA SHERIF:

“That the motion be amended to remove the Code change made in Article 3, to unstrike the word ‘voting’.”

... No objections

18. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

“Be it resolved that Council adopt the report of the Governance Review Committee entitled ‘Code Changes 2023: Governance Restructuring’ (with an amendment to the report to remove the edits to Article 3 so that Committee Chairs will still be limited to being voting members) and thus amend the Code as recommended.

Be it further resolved that Council direct the Student Life Committee to dissolve the Grad Class Subcommittee.”

Note: Requires 2/3rds

Cynara Onyemordi:

- Why is the Exec Performance Committee meeting only once a month?

Eshana Bhangu:

- It’s a minimum.

Cynara Onyemordi:

- Why not biweekly?

Eshana Bhangu:

- No reason to meet that often.

19. MOVED ESHANA BHANGU, SECONDED CHRISTIAN KYLE:

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**Elder, Amelia Walker, Rhiannon Terpstra, Cindy Wang, Katherine Feng, Salva Sherif, Jonathan De Souza**

**Abstained: Ayesha Irfan**

Katherine Feng:

Add discussions on

- Future of the Governance Review Committee.
- Committee updates to Council.

## **K) Constituency and Affiliate Motions**

### **L) Discussion and Consultation**

#### ***Future of the Governance Review Committee***

Katherine Feng:

- What will mark the end of this committee?
- When will it be dissolved?

Eshana Bhangu:

- We are discussing this.

#### ***Committee updates to Council***

Katherine Feng:

- Do people know what is happening at committees?
- Should verbal reports come back?

Speaker:

- The Code still has verbal updates from Committee Chairs.

Eshana Bhangu:

- We never got rid of verbal reports from chairs, and just brought them back for Executives.

Katherine Feng:

- Maybe the confusion is because we keep skipping them.

Audrey Chow:

- There are also written reports three times a year in addition to the verbal updates at each meeting.

### **M) President's Business and Remarks – Eshana Bhangu** [SCD395-23], [SCD396-23]

- AMS Block Party tomorrow.
- Last Interfaculty cup event last week. Points being tallied.
- Equity and Inclusion: wrapping up hiring of permanent person.

- Just Desserts was last week, back to tradition.
- Strategic Plan.
- Orientation planning.
- Transitioning new Execs.
- Written report on the Indigenous Culture Month included.
- Hopefully securing funding for the Food Bank.

#### *Questions*

Mathew Ho:

- Re the Indigenous Culture month:
- Was the Indigenous Committee involved?
- Will the Constituency be involved next year?

Eshana Bhangu:

- We will collaborate more next year.
- Having an Equity specialist will help.

Audrey Chow:

- Re Block Party:
- Tickets are now \$10.
- How will this affect us financially?

Eshana Bhangu:

- I can share those details privately.

## **N) Executive Business & Remarks**

### **VP Academic & University Affairs – Anisha Sandhu**

[SCD397-23]

- Update by the end of the month re food security funding.
- Over 3,000 responses to the Academic Experience Survey.
- I will do the draw soon.

Mathew Ho:

- Will there be study spaces for students during finals?

Eshana Bhangu:

- The Nest will be open 24/7

### **VP Administration – Ben Du**

[SCD398-23]

Mathew Ho:

- Re venue benefits.
- Nine applications received.
- Is this about what we expected?

Ben Du:

- It's hard to say.
- The general pattern on benefits like these is a lot of applications come in near the end of the application period, and it's open till April 21.
- We have enough funding for 60 applications.

Mathew Ho:

- Re the Microwaves:
- Do we have provisions to maintain these?

Ben Du:

- A key priority was maintaining cleanliness and preventing crowds.
- We have a good relationship with UBC custodial.
- We'll make sure the microwaves are well kept.

**VP External Affairs – Erin Co**

[SCD399-23]

**VP Finance – Lawrence Liu**

[SCD400-23]

Mathew Ho:

- How is MNP information being transferred to the new VP Finance?

Lawrence Liu:

- I have provided documentation.

Mathew Ho:

- What are the troubleshooting steps if something goes wrong?

Lawrence Liu:

- My role is to train the incoming VP Finance and his office too.
- I'm getting all my team members to create transition reports.

**Interim Managing Director – Celia Chung**

Katherine Feng:

- Impact on the businesses from the economic climate?

Celia Chung:

- The businesses are doing well.
- The minimum wage increase will be reflected in the budget.
- We will look to maintain profits where we can while serving student interests.

**Senior Student Services Manager – Kathleen Simpson**

## **O) Committee Reports**

**Advocacy Committee – Anisha Sandhu**

- Email vote to bring survey policy amendments to Council.

**Steering Committee – Eshana Bhangu**

- No update

**Finance Committee – Lawrence Liu**

- Met last week to discuss the Preliminary Budget.
- Ready for next Council.

**Operations Committee – Ben Du**

- Discussion item re club elections and membership period.
- Passing on successes of the past year.
- Clubs Fair report.
- Every bookable room has an HDMI cable anchored to the wall.

**Governance Committee – Audrey Chow**

- No updates

**HR Committee – Cynara Onyemordi**

- Approving JDs.

**Student Life Committee – Christian Kyle**

- Interfaculty first year ball sold out.
- Interfaculty Cup: looking for feedback.

**Advisory Board – Eshana Bhangu**

- No report

**P) Report from Presidents Council – Eshana Bhangu**

- Compiling recommendations for next year.

**Q) Board of Governors, Senate and Ombudsperson (10 minutes each)**

**R) Historical Update (10 minutes each)**

Sheldon Goldfarb:

**Block Party and Before**

- Tomorrow is the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Block Party.
- We started Block Party in 2008 because the Arts County Fair (ACF) ended due to declining turnout.
- The Welcome Back BBQ started in 1984.
- 1987 featured KD Lang, free condoms, and a general meeting.
- Back in 1918 events, e.g., the Freshman Reception, were more sedate.
- Bare Naked Ladies performed at ACF in 1992: successful then, but less so when we brought them back in 2010.



- Spirit of the West in 1994, a free concert to get general meeting quorum, but it didn't work.

*Questions*

Katherine Feng:

- Why is the Welcome Back Barbecue called a barbecue when there's no barbecue?

Sheldon Goldfarb:

- It used to be an actual barbecue.

**S) Other Business, Including In Camera Discussions, Notices of Motions, and Submissions**

**T) Next Meeting and Adjournment**

The next meeting of Council is TBD, 2023.

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm.

### Votes and Attendance

	Constituency	Attended	Strategic Plan	Services Manager	Referendum Petitions	Removing Executives	EA & Speaker	Governance Restructuring
Neal Cameron	Speaker	Y						
Eshana Bhangu	President	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Anisha Sandhu	VP Academic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ben Du	VP Admin	Y	Y		Y		Y	Y
Lawrence Liu	VP Finance	Y	Y					
Erin Co	VP External							
Kathleen Simpson	Sr. Student Services Mgr							
	Architecture							
Audrey Chow	Arts	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
Ayesha Irfan	Arts	Y	A	Y		A	Y	A
Mathew Ho	Arts	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y
Kaysan Adriyanto	Arts	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y
Cynara Onyemordi	Arts	Y	Y	Y		Y		Y
	Audiology							
	BoG							
	BoG							
Thomas Dunsmore	Commerce	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rachel Kim	Commerce	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jasneet Bal	Dentistry							
Yash Ahlawat	Economics	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Damian Spence	Education							
Christian Kyle	Engineering	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sofia Cecic	Engineering	Y	Y		Y		Y	
Kana Kawanishi	Forestry	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sabbir Hossain	GSS							
Shisir Nurrall	GSS	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	

Franziska Mey	GSS							
Samia Syeoti Ramim	GSS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Koda Tootosis	Indigenous Seat	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	Journalism							
Victor Liu	Kinesiology	Y		Y		Y	Y	Y
	Law							
Cissy Zhang	LFS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	Library-Archival							
Maddie Elder	Medicine	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Amelia Walker	Music	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Rhiannon Terpstra	Nursing	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	Pharmacy							
	Planning							
	Population & Public Health							
Alec Lee	Ombudsperson							
	Regent							
	Science							
Cindy Wang	Science	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Katherine Feng	Science	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Salva Sherif	Science	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Melina Amirsharafi	Senate							
Keannu Yu	Senate							
	Social Work							
Jonathan De Souza	St Mark's	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	VST							