

The Gateway Guide to the SU

The Student Body

Discipline, Interpretation and Enforcement (D.I.E.) Board

- enforces discipline among SU members
- interprets the SU constitution, bylaws, and motions
- enforces compliance with the constitution and bylaws
- can censure any SU member, committee, or club
- can suspend a member's SU privileges for a 12 month period
- can recommend firing of executive members
- can void motions of any SU council committee found to conflict with the constitution

Students' Council

The Nominating Committee

- selects the Commissioners of the Students' Union
- considers candidates for various boards, committees, and SU services and makes recommendations for their respective appointments to the Students' Council

Bylaws and Constitution Committee

- drafts new bylaws or amendments to the existing bylaws and constitution
- updates the constitution and bylaws and recommends amendments to Council
- assists Council in interpreting the constitution and bylaws

Executive Committee

President

- supervises SU affairs at the direction of the executive committee
- maintains external relations and representation with the university and its students, the government, and general public
- gives administrative direction to the General Manager of the SU
- represents students' interests as member of General Faculties Council and the Board of Governors
- chairperson of the Executive Committee and the Nominating Committee
- member of the Administration Board

VP Internal Affairs

- assists the President in administration of SU services and building operations
- maintains relations with the managers, directors, editors of SU service and retail operations
- chairperson of the Building Services Board, the Standing Committee on Long-Range Planning and Design for the SU building and the Student Media Committee
- supervises and directs the Clubs Commissioner
- supervises and directs the Entertainment Director
- member of the Theatre Committee and Administration Board

VP Academic

- informs the Academic Affairs Board, the SU Executive Committee and the Students' Council of current academic issues and developments
- prepares academic policy recommendations for consideration by the appropriate authority
- represents the SU on General Faculties Council and its committees
- supervises and administers the Academic Affairs division of the SU
- promotes student involvement in university government
- advises students regarding academic appeals
- Chairperson of the Academic Affairs Board
- directs the Academic Commissioner
- member of the Administration Board

VP External Affairs

- concerned with matters external to the administration of the SU that interest the Executive of the Students' Council
- promotes relations with national, provincial, civic, and community groups
- acting President during the President's absence
- coordinates projects determined by the External Affairs Board
- chairperson of the External Affairs Board
- directs the External and Housing and Transport Commissioners
- member of the Housing and Transport Commission and the Administration Board
- serves as SU nominee to the Senate

VP Finance and Administration

- supervises all SU funds and accounts, and all transactions arising therefrom
- assists the president in administration of the SU departments and in liaison with the General Manager and Finance Manager
- prepares and publishes preliminary and final budgets
- Chairperson of the Administration Board

Internal Organizations

Administration Board

- considers budget recommendations at the beginning of each fiscal year
- presents recommendations to Council on financial matters referred to them by Council, the Executive Committee, or the VP Finance and Administration
- selects the members of the Discipline, Interpretation and Enforcement (D.I.E.) Board
- considers applications for financial assistance from fraternities, clubs, faculty associations, and other academic organizations

Building Services Board

- makes recommendations to Students' Council on building policies of the Students' Union Building (SUB)
- makes regulations regarding building policies of the SU
- makes policy recommendations to Council concerning services offered by or to the SU
- cancels or curtails the operations of any group, club, or organization within SUB if in violation of building policy regulations

Spring and Summer Session Students' Board

- coordinates extracurricular activities for spring and summer sessions
- ensures student representation on the Special Sessions Committee of General Faculties Council
- aids the VP Academic in his/her work with the Director of Special Sessions

Council of Faculty Associations (COFA)

- advises Students' Council on matters affecting faculty associations and departmental clubs
- advises the Students' Council on policy proposals generated within the university structure affecting individual faculties

Academic Affairs Board

- recommends to Council on academic relations and academic affairs
- advises and assists the VP Academic on the implementation of SU policy
- promotes cooperation with faculty associations and General Faculties Council Student Caucus

External Organizations

External Affairs Board

- creates and coordinates projects on campus involving student populace
- makes recommendations to Council on political issues

Housing and Transport Commission

- makes recommendations to Council regarding housing and transportation concerns
- responsible for preparation and maintenance of a long-range plan of housing and transportation for the students by the SU
- keeps the residences informed as to the commission's activities in housing

The Eugene L. Brody Funding Board

- allocates funds to charitable projects funded by the SU

SU Services

The Gateway

- the Students' Union newspaper. Us!

CJSR

- the campus FM radio station

SU Records

- the well-stocked record store at the north end of HUB Mall

L'express

- upscale cuisine at the northeast corner of SUB

RATT

- the Room At The Top, booze and convo on 7th floor SUB

Dewey's

- the other SU bar, in HUB

Exam Registry

- distributes those oh-so-helpful old exams

Housing Registry

- provides listings of available off-campus housing to interested students and staff

Information Desk

- tells you where to find it. Main floor SUB

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