

Apathy is hallmark for upcoming SRC elections

—Only three of 16 seats applied for

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Student apathy is the hallmark of this year's elections. Of the 16 vacant positions, only three have been applied for.

Running for president will be senate member Perry Thorbourne, a third-year Business Administration student, and Doug Varty, a third-year Arts student who is a former station director of CHSR.

Former acting business manager of CHSR, Chris Earl, a third-year arts student, is the sole candidate for vice-president. The only candidate announced for comptroller as yet is Akumu

Owuor C.T., a first-year education student.

Also open are two senate seats. These will be contested between Katie Lyons, Carol Ann McDevitt, Anne Tari, David Kay and Louise Harvey.

Competing for the single board of governors seat are Marvin Greenblatt, Gerry Laskey and Ray Shalala.

The lack of student response has resulted in nominations for most SRC seats being extended by one week, with the exception of the presidency, as there are two people vying for the post. The following seats are still open for nominations: vice-president, comptroller, Arts (2),

Nursing, Education, Law, Business (2), Engineering, Forestry, Physical Education, Graduate Student, Representative-at-Large (half term), and Representative-at-Large.

Retaining their positions until February 1980 are Martine Bernard (education), Margaret MacCallum (business), Carol Ann McDevitt and Bill Chambre (both engineering), Robert Palmer (science), Karen Hubbard (computer science) and Peter Archibald (rep.-at-large).

Elections for half the SRC positions were held in November and the other half in February. But now, says chief returning officer

Tim Gorman, the elections will be simultaneously.

There are good reasons to get involved with student government, said Gorman. Aside from simply "getting involved", one can take part in decisions pertaining to oneself and other students. Among these he cited the allocation of the SRC's quarter-of-a-million-dollar budget.

Involvement with student government may also aid one in the future - it looks good on resumes, said Gorman.

Nomination papers for the SRC positions listed above can be picked up at the student union office in room 126 of the SUB.



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