

# Who wants to be who in the SU

## President

This year's SU election features five presidential hopefuls. Two or three of the five represent joke slates, but the others all have a fair degree of experience in SU political gamesmanship.

The presidential candidates are (in alphabetical order according to the slate name):

**Tim Boston, Assistance/87** — Boston is currently VP finance and administration in the Students' Union. He has been involved in student politics for about one year.

**Peter the Hack, Nobody ever really does Something/87** — The Hack has run in two previous campaigns and finished second last year for the presidential post. We're just not sure if he is running as a joke or as a serious candidate.

**Captain James T. Kirk, Star Trek Slate** — Kirk is great when it comes to klingons, but he has little experience in SU politics.

**Floyd Hodgins, Think** — Hodgins was President of the SU two years ago, last year he was stripped of his SU privileges because of discrepancies in a newspaper he was running.

**Dr. Henk Raoul, Yamadechoomee** — Raoul is an unknown.



Think slate members in conference during last Tuesday's all-candidates meeting photo Leif Stout

**Danny Beauchamp, Think** — Beauchamp ran for VP Academic last year, finishing third in a field of five.

**Manny Tweed, Yamadechoomee** — When asked what experience he had, Tweed replied "I looked up vice in the dictionary and I like what it's all about."

## VP Finance

Five candidates are vying for the position of VP Finance. They range from serious to semi-serious to downright silly. They are:

**Stephen Twible, Assistance/87** —

Has high school political experience and currently member of the Debating Club.

**Grant Draper, Independent** — Draper was an Arts Rep on Students' Council last year, and ran unsuccessfully for VP External.

**Eddie the Engineer, Nobody ever really does Something/87** — This joke slate may change to serious in mid stream.

**Montgomery Scott, Star Trek** — Scotty's engine room experience may be of some help in dealing with the complex world of SU finance.

**Michael Berry, Think** — Berry

hosts the "Metal Bunker" show on CJSR.

**Fernando Lamas (who is dead), Yamadechoomee** — Another joke candidate. They have promised to rid the campus of Beaver Canoe sweatshirts. Other political ambitions are unknown.

## VP Academic

The VP academic position is being contested among six candidates.

**Dale Nagel, Assistance/87** — Nagel has been on the engineering faculty council in the past.

**Kevin Kolisniak, Independent** — Kolisniak is currently a Business Rep on Students' Council.

**Bambi the Token Female, Nobody ever really does Something/87** — another unknown.

**Dr. "Bones" McCoy, Star Trek** — Can Bones heal the WCT wounds?

**Marianne Lau, Think/87** — Lau's experience is unknown.

**Guido the Killer Pimp, Yamadechoomee** — with a name like that, a natural candidate.

## VP External

There are five candidates running this year for the position of SU V.P. External.

**Paul LaGrange, Assistance/87** — LaGrange is an active debater on campus, and Western VP of the Canadian University Student Debating Association.

**Biff the Greek, Nobody Ever Really Does Something/87** — Biff's experience is questionable.

**Lieutenant Uhura, Star Trek** — Uhura has extensive experience running a starship.

**Dexter Dombro, Think** — Dombro was a political columnist in the *Grind* newspaper (now defunct); and a co-founder of the Western Canada concept Party.

**HUP!?, Yamadechoomee** — Experience!?

The Gateway election team consists of Roberta Franchuk, Rod Campbell, Randal Smathers, Brad Johnson, K. Graham Bowers, John Watson, and Ken Bosman.

## Board of Governors

Five candidates are vying for the Board of Governor representative position. In alphabetical order according to slate name, they are:

**Margot Schnell, Assistance/87** — Schnell has been sitting as a member of the SU's Discipline, Interpretation and Enforcement (DIE) Board.

**Jim Shinkaruk, Independent** — Shinkaruk has been on the Board for three years.

**Ed Vickers, Independent** — Vickers has been working with student help this year.

**Dave Oginski, Ogi for BoG** — Oginski is currently President of the Students' Union and has been sitting on the Board of Governors for a year.

**Kochu Dombro, Think** — Dombro's experience is unknown.

## VP Internal

The VP Internal race has four runners, they are:

**Rick Stedman, Assistance '87** — Stedman is SU Clubs Commissioner, and former Photo Editor of the *Grind* student newspaper.

**Nurse Chapel, Star Trek** — Chapel would bring to the position two light-years of experience as a United Federation of Planets Starship nurse.

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Deadline: February 27th, 1600 hours.