

# Arts representative



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by Ivor MacKay

I am Ivor MacKay, a third year History student at Dal.

As treasurer of the Arts Society, I have seen a need to improve communications between the Arts Society, the student union council, and arts students. I intend to try my best to inform arts students about university issues which affect them.

I fear the present state of "financial restraint" will hurt Arts students more than others as programs (departments?) may be reduced in size or possibly eliminated. If elected, I intend to fight to preserve the academic integrity of all the university's programs.

I am concerned with the decreasing quality of the Killam Library. The circulation system is inefficient, and the University has been negligent in the purchase of new materials. If elected, I hope I can remedy this situation.

Traditionally, one of the arts reps sit on the entertainment committee. If elected, I would propose more varied entertainment (rock, reggae, and jazz, etc). Also, I feel more cultural events should be presented in the SUB.

I feel I am qualified since I have experience in dealing with the concerns of Arts students. I will work my hardest for Arts students, but also for Dalhousie students in general.



by Jim Moir

By running for the position of Arts Representative I intend to become involved in the affairs of the Student Council and the Arts Society. In previous years I have had very little active involvement with the Arts Society; though I do

have experience in organizing student events around the university. I have been on two Winter Carnival committees, and I am presently on the SUB Operations Committee.

As Arts Representative I would act as an advisor and liaison between the Student Council and the Arts Society and plan to try to increase student awareness and participation in the different events held at the university throughout the year.

Next year will be a crucial year for Arts Students. With university cutbacks, the chances that courses taught in the faculty of arts will be discontinued are great. As Arts Representative my job will be to inform the students of the Arts Society as to what these proposed cutbacks are, and what effect they will have on us.



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by Tom Morrison

The job of an Arts representative is what the name implies: to represent the needs and desire of Arts students on student council and act as liaison to the Arts Society.

Sure it sounds simple. And many Arts reps in the past have taken it that way. But attending meetings just so it can be said Arts students were represented simply isn't enough.

Having attended the majority of this year's student council meetings and occasionally covering them for the Gazette, I must say I am somewhat less than pleased with Council's performance on a number of issues. Far too much absenteeism and the incessant tabling of many of the important issues were the earmarks of the irresponsibility displayed by many councillors this year.

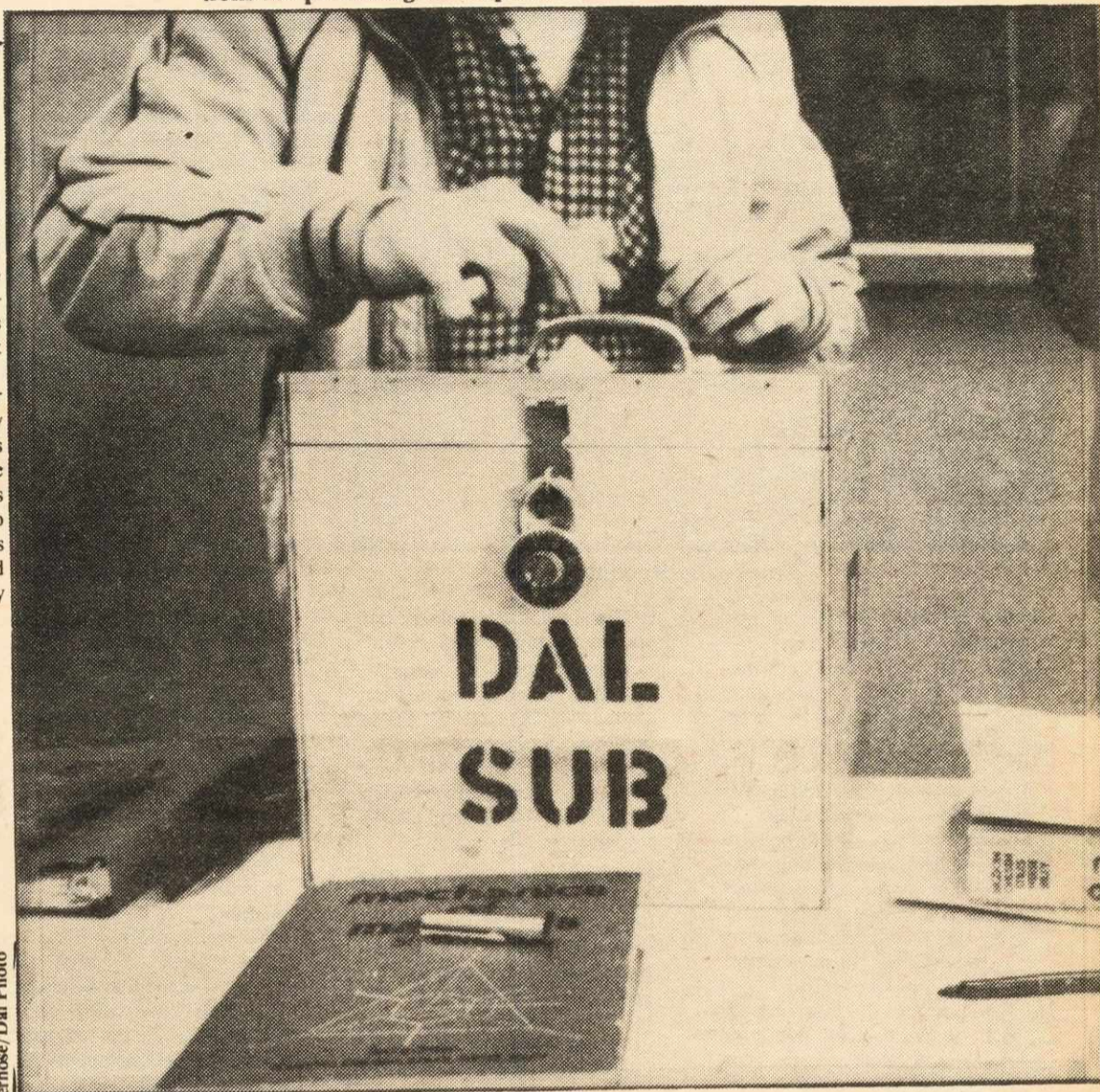
As the cliché goes, I'm mad as hell and I don't have to take it any more. And neither do you.

As Arts representative, I will be more than a hood ornament on council. I will represent the needs of Arts students as fully as possible.

But rather than acting unilaterally on my own ideas on alternative forms of entertainment for arts students, career orientation workshops, taxing of our own pool of talent for entertainment, accessibility of our own museum for student displays, creation of B societies for English, Philosophy, Classics & other unrepresented curriculums, etc, I will vary and modify these ideas through interaction with the Arts Society and with Arts students directly. I will be fully accessible to Arts students and responsive to how they wish to be represented.

## Society Reps

In 200 words, indicate what you would like to accomplish next year as elected representative, why you are running and what you feel your qualifications are pertaining to the position.



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# Science representative



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by Philip Barnstead

To my friends, the science students of Dalhousie:

I'd like to first of all introduce myself as your newly acclaimed science faculty representative. I am keenly looking forward to representing the interests of you, the science students, and would like to extend my hand and let you know that I will actively voice your concerns. No matter how trivial the matter may seem, by all means see me and I will try my best to accommodate your requests.

I am really interested in Dalhousie administration and feel that my concerns for science students would compliment that interest effectively.

Being in a combined honours program of physics and biology as

well as taking various math and chemistry courses has enabled me to become acquainted with many people in each of these disciplines. I am a third year student and am really looking forward to attending my fourth year at Dalhousie with your interests in mind.

I anticipate getting to know as many of you as possible on an individual basis and will have you know that my door is always open to each and every one of you.

Feel free to call me — 421-0135.

Sincerely Yours,  
Philip Barnstead



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by Reza Rizvi

I am running for the position of Science Rep because I feel that I am aware of the concerns of an average Science student and am

eager to serve not only Science students, but also the entire student populus of Dalhousie.

I by no means advocate that I have the solutions to all the problems that students face. However, I assure you that through your cooperation, I will attempt to effectively represent the viewpoint of Science students on council.

During the 1982-83 academic year, I served in various positions which have not only broadened my outlook but also provided me with the opportunity to understand and appreciate student concerns. I was not only science Rep on DSU and DSS, but also served on the Committee on Studies for the Faculty of Arts and Science. At the same time I was a member of the Communications committee of the DSS and DSCSS representative on the DSS representative council. I have also been actively involved in several political, social, religious and humanitarian organizations both within the Dalhousie campus and in the local community.

I hope that my past experience will enable me to assist council in its continued resistance against any form of academic or non-academic program cuts, or any tuition or differential fee increases that may be levied against students.

I am eagerly looking forward to serving you on the next years council and I reassure all students that I will represent you to the best of my ability.

Your humble servant,  
Reza Rizvi