2021-22 DSU Executive Goals

May 26, 2021

President

1) Summer: Complete the DSU’s governance review and implement all necessary revisions during the Fall and Winter, working with the Bylaw and Policy Review Committee and Council.
2) Fall: Revise the DSU’s Strategic Plan, bringing a finalized plan to Council in the Winter term.
3) Winter: Lead a Women’s Week campaign, focusing on the intersectional experiences of women in leadership and education, and wellness programming.

Vice President, Internal

1) Summer: Create a pamphlet for incoming students with information about what the DSU is and how to access resources. Share the pamphlet’s content on various DSU communication channels during the Fall.
2) Fall: Increase cross-campus communication by reconnecting groups like Collaborative + and supporting societies’ communications initiatives.
3) Winter: Launch the DSU Survey and share relevant data with societies to help strengthen the student experience.

Vice President, Finance & Operations

1) Summer: Develop a detailed student engagement plan, to be implemented in the Fall.
2) Fall: Work with students on the Board of Governors to advocate for more student representation and lower tuition fees.
3) Winter: Review the DSU and Dalhousie budgets, along with potential external sources, to suggest opportunities for accessible funding options for individuals and societies.
Vice President, Academic & External

1) Summer: Facilitate discussions on the creation of 12 reserved seats for African Nova Scotian and Mi’kmaq students in Dentistry and Medicine.
2) Fall: Promote the use of open-ended identifiers in the Dalhousie Census and DSU data collection.
3) Winter: Create an education campaign to promote the Lord Dalhousie Report by sharing accessible materials and reflecting on Dalhousie’s progress.

Vice President, Student Life

1) Summer: Develop a mental health committee, focused on including diverse student voices, to support the Mental Health Forum and Student Life initiatives.
2) Fall: Host a health and wellness focused campaign.
3) Winter: Utilize student engagement plans to increase DSU election voter turnout.