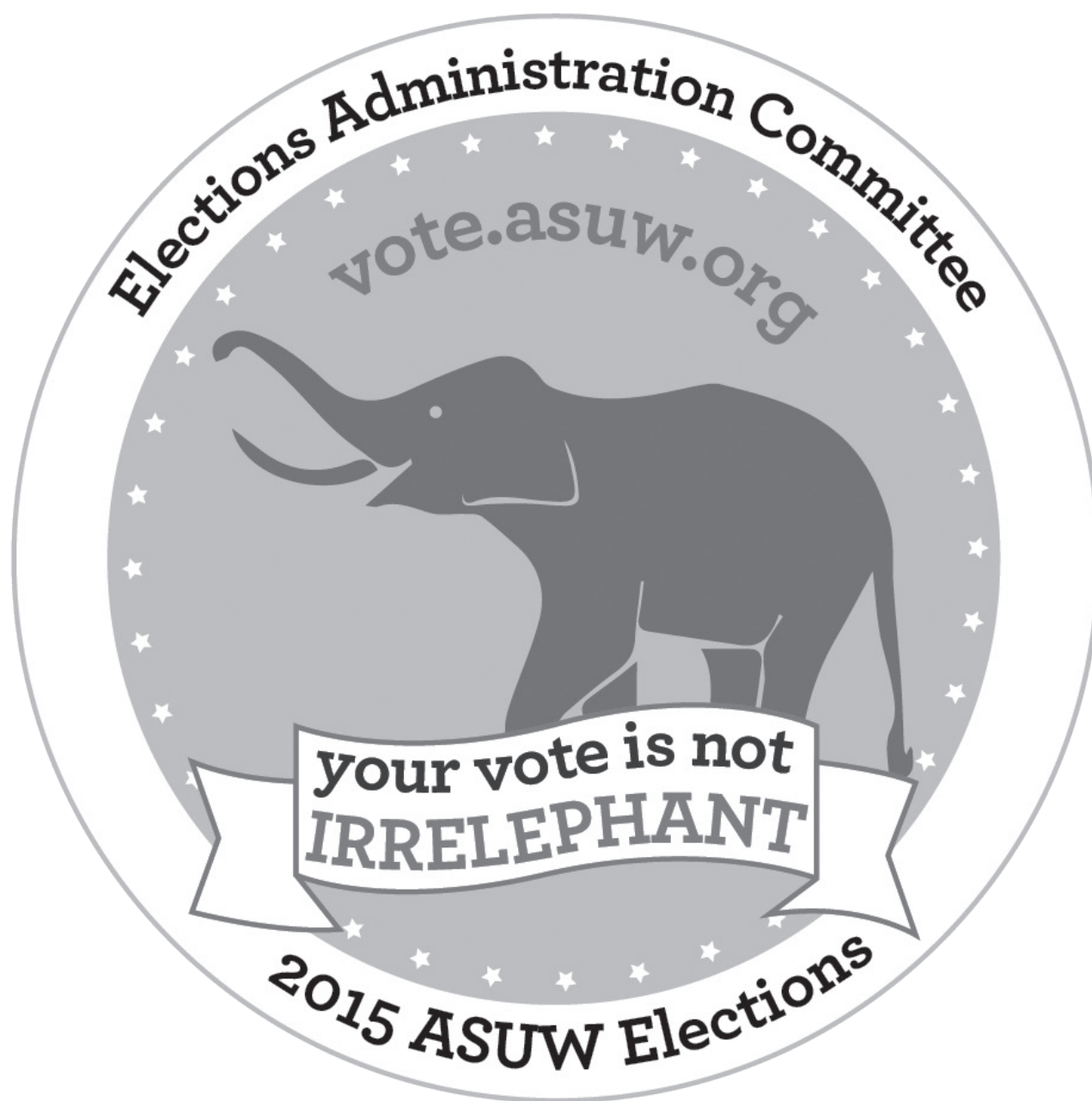


2015 ASUW Voter's Guide



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Voting Information

Online Voting

The 2015 ASUW Elections will be held online at vote.asuw.org. Online voting will begin at 12:01 AM Monday, May 11, and will end at 11:45 PM Wednesday, May 13.

EAC Information Table Locations

- RED SQUARE **9 AM - 4 PM**
- THE QUAD **9 AM - 4 PM**
- THE HUSKY UNION BUILDING **9 AM - 4 PM**
- 17TH & 45TH **9 AM - 4 PM**
- THE 8 IN McMAHON HALL **4 PM - 7 PM**
- LOCAL POINT IN LANDER HALL **4PM - 7PM**
- THE ETHNIC CULTURAL CENTER **4PM-7PM**
- THE IMA **4 PM - 7 PM**

The above locations will be open all three days of voting May 11, 12, and 13.

ELECTION INFORMATION

The Elections Administration Committee (EAC) is dedicated to conducting a fair and ethical election process for the Associated Students of the University of Washington. The EAC will develop a strong brand for ASUW Elections to promote voting and civic engagement on campus. The committee will organize a variety of programs to educate voters about both candidates and ballot measures. Additionally, the EAC will provide neutral voting stations for students on campus.

Date	Time	Location	Tasks
Monday, May 11	Begins at 12:01 AM	vote.asuw.org	ASUW Elections - Day 1
	12:00 PM	Red Square	ASUW Elections Voter Kickoff Fair
Tuesday, May 12		vote.asuw.org	ASUW Elections - Day 2
Wednesday, May 13	Ends at 11:45 PM	vote.asuw.org	ASUW Elections - Day 3
Thursday, May 14	12:01 PM	HUB 232	Final Financial Disclosure Form Due
	5:45 PM	HUB Lawn	Election Results Announced
Friday, May 16	8:00 AM		Removal of Campaign Materials
	5:00 PM	HUB 232	Election Complaints Due
Wednesday, May 20	6:00 PM	HUB 214	Election Violation Hearing
Monday, June 23			Incoming Board Takes Office

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- Luke Rusli** **Melissa Guzman**
- Sachi Verma** **Tyler Grandgeorge**
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INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING

What is Instant Runoff Voting ?

Instant Runoff Voting is a system that guarantees that the winning candidate has a majority of votes, rather than just a plurality. Additionally, IRV eliminates the popular notion that voting for a "third party candidate" is a "waste of a vote." In contrast to most elections, IRV has the voter rank their candidates by preference (first, second, third choice, etc.). These rankings provide the means to initiate a second round of recording ballots if no candidate receives a majority of the votes after voting officially closes. It is very important to rank all candidates for IRV to be as accurate and effective as possible.

Why do ASUW Elections use IRV ?

While no voting system is perfect, IRV is generally considered the best method of voting when there are more than two candidates running for an elected position. Additionally, IRV serves as an accurate measurement of the overall support for a candidate. The Elections Administration Committee encourages all voters to rank all candidates during ASUW Elections to ensure that IRV is as accurate and effective as possible.

How does IRV Work ?

If anyone receives a majority of the first choice votes, that candidate is elected. If this does not occur, the candidate who receives the overall ranking of the last place is eliminated, just as in a runoff election. The ballots are then counted again. This time, when a ballot is counted that has the recently eliminated candidate chosen as the first choice, the second choice candidate listed receives the vote. This process of eliminating the last place candidate and recounting ballots continues until one candidate receives a majority of the vote.

What's the difference between a plurality and a majority ?

A "plurality" means that the candidate with the most votes wins, as in most of our elections. In an election with only two candidates, the winner with the most votes automatically receives the "majority" of the votes (50% + 1). However, when there are three or more candidates for one elected position, it is possible for the candidate who receives the plurality of votes to still get a "minority" share of the votes (less than 50%). IRV is initiated to ensure that all ASUW elected positions are elected with a majority of the votes.



ELECTION POLICIES

Fair Campaign Statement

The Fair Campaign Statement is a non-binding set of ideals designed to promote good will among campaigners. The First Amendment prevents the ASUW from restricting the content of candidates' campaign messages; however, the ASUW encourages all campaigners to follow the Fair Campaign Statement. Because the Fair Campaign Statement is non-binding, the ASUW will not consider complaints that allege violations of the Fair Campaign Statement and will not issue penalties to those who violate the Fair Campaign Statement. This statement is to be included before the candidates' pictures in the ASUW Voter's Guide published in The Daily.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I will conduct my campaign, discuss the issues, and present the record with sincerity and candor. 2. I will not appeal to, and will condemn appeals to prejudices based on race, creed, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, veteran status, or disability status. 3. I will uphold the right of every qualified voter to free and equal participation in the election process. I will not take part in, and will condemn those practices that tend to corrupt or undermine the system of free election or prevent the free expression of the will of the voters. This includes any manipulation of electronic technology that undermines the voter's free and equal participation. 4. I will promptly and publicly repudiate the support of any individual or group, which resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition thereof, to methods in violation of the letter and spirit of this Statement. 5. I will not participate in, and I will condemn, personal vilification, defamation, and other attacks on any opposing candidate, ticket, party, or ballot measure. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. I will not use or authorize, and I will condemn, materials relating to my campaign which falsify, misrepresent, or distort the facts, including, but not limited to, malicious or unfounded accusations tending to create or exploit doubts as to the morality or motivations of any candidate, ticket, party, or ballot measure advocate. 7. I will not use a position in a Registered Student Organization (RSO) in which I am involved to unfairly seek votes, endorsements, or affiliates. 8. I will respect the privacy of the voting process, and will not in any way interfere with the neutrality of balloting when another individual is voting. 9. I will refrain from any misuse of the ASUW Constitution and ASUW Bylaws to gain political advantage for myself or any other candidate. 10. I will not exploit or cause the intoxication of any individual to gain political knowledge. 11. I will insist that my affiliates adhere to the Fair Campaign Statement when campaigning on my behalf. |
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ELECTION COMPLAINTS

1. Filer of a complaint is designated the "complainant"
2. Complaints may allege a violation by one or more of: (1) the EAC, (2) an entity of the ASUW, (3) any candidate or group of candidates, or (4) any ballot measure advocate. Complaints against tickets must name each candidate individually. The alleged violator is the "respondant."
3. Complaints must be submitted in-person with the SAO office and verbally confirmed by the complainant with the appropriate SAO adviser before the Complaint Deadline. Upon such confirmation, the complaint is considered filed, and the date and time of such will be recorded by the SAO.
4. All complaints must be legibly written on forms adopted by the EAC, which will be provided by SAO. Any such form must include:
 - a. The identity of the complainant and respondents.
 - b. A citation of the specific rule alleged to be violated.
 - c. The alleged facts which constitute a violation of the cited rule, including the date, time, and place of the alleged violation, if applicable.
5. Complaints which fail to comply with the procedures of this Section may be dismissed by the Judicial Committee at the time of the complaint's hearing, even if such dismissal is not requested by either party.
6. Complaints naming affiliates of a candidate, group of Candidates, or ballot measure advocates may be submitted, but must be amended to name specific candidates or ballot measure advocates before being considered officially filed. The EAC may make such amendments with consent of the complainant.

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According to Section X
of the 2015 Elections Policies
and Procedures
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PRESIDENT

The ASUW President is the Chief Executive Officer of the association and Chair of the Board of Directors. The President serves as the official spokesperson of the ASUW on campus and in the greater community. Additionally, the President ensures student participation in shared governance with faculty and administration as an ex-officio member of the Board of Regents and several University Committees. (29 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$1367.25 per month)

Campus involvement is at an all-time low. We're here to fix that. We want to give student-run organizations the power to throw events that reach more people, to give the opportunity to people to work together, to inspire them to work on their extraordinary ideas, and to turn their fantasies into reality. We dream of having passionate speakers, forums, events littered in halls across campus week after week after week that bring, not only campus together, but the community at large. We can take our illustrious reputation, as a university, and throw our weight around to get the stars, starting local and moving to reach every single student on this massive campus. They know how we can help every person feel welcome, and get students involved. Clubs make this campus into what it is... all it takes is reaching out to them- to their members, and their leaders- to fix almost every major problem on this campus, and only with their help can we achieve Greatness.

QUALIFICATIONS

- President, Obscure Sports Seattle
- ASUW Senator
- Generally a decent human being

Timmy Bendis

GREATNESS



The University of Washington has nearly 30,000 undergraduates and over 800 clubs. These clubs are run by students who believe that they can change how campus functions; be it interest groups like the often mentioned "Beyoncé club", or the Overseas Student Associations who strive to provide a home away from home for many Huskies; or even the club I founded, Obscure Sports Seattle, which brings back the nostalgia of playing recess games. Why then, does the University make it so difficult for these associations to grow? Kane hall, deserted after 5PM, has to be rented out at a cost to these little-funded RSOs. UW makes it so difficult for these clubs that have been put together so lovingly by the few members they have that after a few years of setbacks they finally give up. Why? So ASUW can run events? We can't. There is not a single organization on campus that can throw an event for even half, a quarter, or even 10% of UW's students, not even if Bono showed up and played with U2 for free. We have to stop pretending that we can. The ASUW needs to stop, look back, and realize that clubs are the best, no, the only way that we can make everyone feel like they are a part of this massive campus community. Give each of these clubs the time, resources, and space to make their founders' wildest dreams come true, and we will start to see people flocking to their functions. It is how Obscure Sports got started: our first game of Capture-the-Flag had 16 people, and now, less than a year later, we had over 200 people participate every month. We will sit down with every club that wants money, facilities, ideas, or help, and work with them in such a way that they achieve that and become independent of ASUW while giving back to the community and leaving a permanent legacy on campus. We did not come to UW just because we wanted an education: we chose UW because we wanted to be a part of something. We came to create Greatness.

ENDORSEMENTS

Japanese Student Association
Husky Gamer Nation
UW League of Legends
UW Dance Marathon
Obscure Sports Seattle

EXPENDITURES:

\$248.00

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Having been the ASUW Director of Community Relations this past year I have had hands on experience with what has been done this year, but there is still more to do. If elected, I will ensure that the ASUW strives to uphold the mission to serve students through advocacy, community, and empowerment. I hope you will join me in this journey, and, I hope you vote for myself and Every Husky!

QUALIFICATIONS

- ASUW Director of Community Relations
- Student Safety Committee Chair
- IFC Vice President University Engagement

Tyler Wu

EVERY HUSKY



Access and Affordability

- Work with the Seattle city government to ensure that students can still access affordable housing in the U-District.
- Ensure that diversity is incorporated at every level of decision making at the university
- Being mindful of competitive majors at the UW, advocate for more funding for competitive majors, expand STEM outreach programs for underrepresented students, and work on increasing direct admits into a college
- Hold quarterly town hall meetings inviting the UW community to ensure better transparency and accountability of the Board of Directors
- Provide alternative involvement opportunities for students who are unable to access the ASUW due to varying personal responsibilities
- Initiate weekly coffee dates with the President where students can become more familiar with their work

Community Cohesion

- Introduce the servant leadership model to guarantee the ASUW is known as an organization that listens, serves, and advocates for students
- Increase student retention by making sure that passionate students at UW have the opportunity to stay and succeed on our campus.
- Collaborating with the Greek Community, create an accountability mechanism to ensure that UW Greek Life is a leader in addressing controversial issues seen within the Greek Community.
- Through external interactions and community campaigns, change the notion of being "involved" with the ASUW to being "a part" of the ASUW

Student Safety

- Increase awareness of sexual violence on our campus by expanding the conversation to students, faculty, and administration
- Advocate for more funding from the university towards mental health awareness, sexual violence awareness, and better lighting to ensure a safer UW
- Work with the Director of Campus Partnerships to ensure an impactful and powerful mental health awareness campaign
- Partner with the Director of Community Relations and the Director of Diversity Efforts to expand community dialogues between UWPD and underrepresented communities.
- Work with UWPD to create a university wide student safety committee with a strong student voice to ensure concerns are being heard

ENDORSEMENTS

Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity
Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
Minority Association of Pre-Health Students
Alpha Chi Omega
Alpha Gamma Delta
Alpha Phi
Alpha Tau Omega
Delta Chi
Kappa Delta
Sigma Kappa

EXPENDITURES:

\$2,977.88



VICE PRESIDENT

The ASUW Vice President serves as the Chief Operating Officer and Chief of Staff for the association. The Vice President manages internal operations by serving as a liaison to the Personnel Committee and the Finance and Budget Committee. Additionally, the Vice President oversees the Experimental College, the Bike Shop, and the Student Food Cooperative. The Vice President focuses on leadership development as the liaison to the Office of Volunteer Opportunities, ASUW Ambassadors and UW Leaders.
(25 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$1095.56 per month)

Kenneth Wohl

GREATNESS

Active students make a campus thrive.

As Vice President I want to get more students engaged with ASUW. By producing a satirical biweekly newspaper we can spark a collective conversation on campus about the happenings of ASUW, local politics, and national issues.

I want students to utilize the amazing classes that are available through the Experimental College. I will change how EXCO advertises itself by creating vibrant brochures with bold titles which highlight the upcoming events in an effort to garner student involvement.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Eagle Scout
- Elections & Ceremonies Chief, Kitsotkwa Chapter, Order of the Arrow
- Lead successful Eagle Scout project & free community haunted house



The Experimental College was established by ASUW in 1968, and since then it has provided the opportunity for students and members of the community to come together to learn and hone a variety of new skills and talents. Today students pay very little attention when they see a pamphlet or a poster for the Experimental College. Why? The answer is simple - the Experimental College does not advertise itself in such a way that appeals to students. It looks like a community college course catalogue. Students already spend the majority of their time on class work, so adding another 'class' seems like an unnecessary stress. My proposal to re-energize the Experimental College is to increase the exposure and to change how the Experimental College solicits itself to the student population. Instead of a lackluster booklet, I propose a reimagined cover which presents upcoming events and courses which captures the students' attention, perhaps resembling a music magazine. To also create music festival inspired posters that highlight the exciting and unique activities that can be accessed through the Experimental College. The University of Washington has over 30,000 unique individuals and the Experimental College is a great way of teaching skills that cannot be learned in academic courses. The only way we can have a more involved Experimental College is by making it more well-known and appealing to students.

The Experimental College has untapped potential, by remembering that students are constantly on the go we will effectively advertise so that students will take the ten seconds to learn about the Experimental College. Just a simple change from a boring catalogue to an eye-catching brochure can make all the difference. I know that the Experimental College has the potential for Greatness, we just have to revamp our advertising to make it happen.

ENDORSEMENTS

- Japanese Student Association
- Husky Gamer Nation
- UW League of Nations
- UW Dance Marathon
- Obscure Sports Seattle

EXPENDITURES:

\$248.00

Haley Moser

EVERY HUSKY

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Encourage cohesive and productive

communication between the Board of Directors, campus entities, and groups that work with the Association

Ensure that the Board of Directors and the Association's employees and volunteers are working together to serve the UW community to their greatest potential through consistent evaluations and fostering an environment of communication and collaboration.

Strive to ensure that the Association as a whole is a resource for the student body at large, and increase transparency of the work that is being done within the ASUW.

QUALIFICATIONS

- President: Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority
- Mentor: ASUW UW Leaders
- Vice President of Scholarship: Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority



ACCESS & AFFORDABILITY

- Build upon the foundation of the bike shop rental program and create a plan to market the services to the larger student body, as well as implement a training course available to all students that focuses on safe cycling
- Work with Office of Volunteer Opportunities, Director of Community Relations, and Director of Diversity Efforts to expand leadership opportunities and create a plan to increase marketing presence and promote the ASUW and its services
- Collaborate with the city council to ensure that off-campus housing continues to be safe and affordable for students through implementing a comprehensive tenant's rights education course for students transitioning from university housing to off-campus housing
- Create a structured internship program to expand and encourage future leaders within the ASUW and provide interns with an opportunity to get a "Day in the Life" of a Board member

COMMUNITY COHESION

- Devise short term and long term goals that are tangible and engaging to the ASUW mission statement and foster the vision of intersectionality among communities
- Ensure that the board and employees are working together to serve communities to their maximum potential through continuing to do consistent individualized evaluations, and implementing changes based on evaluation outcomes
- Design collaborative programming with other ASUW and campus entities to foster leadership development through building on the Husky Leadership Retreat, expanding ASUW Elections outreach, supporting students through the ASUW hiring process, and devising a plan to ensure that all students from different communities on campus feel connected and in tune with these processes and events

STUDENT SAFETY

- Incorporate mental health education trainings for employees and members of the association
- Work with the Experimental College to educate members of our community through the creation of a mental health awareness course that can be offered to students and community members
- Create a peer-to-peer mentorship program for students to ensure that they feel a sense of belonging as well as have a support system at the university
- Collaborate with the Director of Campus Partnerships, Mindfulness Project, and HSPA to build on the foundation of the mental health awareness student organizations, and work to erase the stigma that surrounds this topic

ENDORSEMENTS:

- Alpha Gamma Delta
- Alpha Chi Omega
- Sigma Kappa
- Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
- Minority Association of Pre-Health Students

EXPENDITURES:

\$2,977.88



UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS

The ASUW Director of University Affairs serves as an ASUW representative to Faculty Councils and University Committees. The Director of University Affairs serves as a liaison to the Office of Government Relations. Additionally, the Director of University Affairs works with the Student Senate Representatives to ensure that appropriate actions are being taken to establish student opinion.
(20 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$773.62 per month)

Roy Taylor

EVERY HUSKY

As Director of University Affairs, I aim to leverage the Association's influence with Administrators and with Olympia to ensure proper representation of student interests in policy-making. My highest priorities are (1) sexual assault prevention and expansion of survivor resources, (2) reduction of secondary educational costs through promotion of open-sourced and low-cost textbook curricula, and (3) inclusion of underrepresented and International student voices across every component of the ASUW's Administrative lobbying efforts.



STUDENT SAFETY

- Work with OGR to lobby for sexual assault prevention and mental health services legislation, and ensure public university access to SANE nurses.
- Urge better cooperation between UWPD and UWMC for rape-kit testing to prevent case backlog.
- Maintain efforts to ensure all volunteers and personnel in ASUW have Bystander and Mandatory Reporter training.
- Consult the Faculty Councils on identifying challenges to safe educational environments.
- Continue efforts to ensure Mandatory Reporter training is given to all University employees.

COMMUNITY COHESION

- Liaison to ISAC and International Student RSOs to ensure direct representation in ASUW.
- Lobby First Year Programs to establish a Student Engagement and Activism component to Orientation.
- Consult OGR and the Provost on potential avenues for addressing the Walk-Out I-200 demands in Olympia.

ACCESS AND AFFORDABILITY

- Explore avenues for implementing open-source textbooks campus-wide.
- Advocate for the student voice in PACS by consulting with Senate and Residential Communities through open forums.
- Negotiate with departments to avoid scheduling of exams outside of ordinary school hours.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Senate Chair, Academic Administrative Affairs Committee
- Provost Advisory Committee Voting Member
- Poplar Hall Council Director

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ENDORSEMENTS

- Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
- Minority Association of Pre-health Students
- Sigma Kappa
- Alpha Gamma Delta
- Alpha Chi Omega

EXPENDITURES:

\$2,977.88

#HUSKIESSERVE
#HUSKIESLEAD

BEYOND THE SELFIE

SPRING CELEBRATION OF SERVICE & LEADERSHIP
MAY 20 // 2-6:30 PM // HUB



On campus and off, UW students are expanding definitions of service and leadership and blurring the boundaries between classroom and community. They make a difference in people's lives by applying their academic experiences to real needs and real issues. Through service and leadership, students are looking beyond themselves and focusing on the bigger picture around them.

Get inspired by student stories of passion, commitment and creativity at this year's Spring Celebration as students present their work in the gallery of student projects, public presentations and the celebratory reception.

Wednesday, May 20th at 2pm - 6:30pm in the HUB

DIVERSITY EFFORTS

The ASUW Director of Diversity Efforts serves as the liaison to the eight ASUW Diversity Commissions and the ASUW Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Activists. The Director of Diversity Efforts is responsible for coordinating inter-commission collaboration and diversity programming within the association and campus. Additionally, the Director of Diversity Efforts serves as a member of the Office of Minority Affairs and Diversity, liaisons to the Ethnic Cultural Center, Q Center, Student Disability Services, the Women's Center and FIUTS. (20 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$773.62 per month)

Mitchell Chen

EVERY HUSKY

If elected as Director of Diversity Efforts, I would work on expanding traditional definitions of diversity, bringing underrepresented students' voices to the forefront, using an intersectional approach to connect communities resisting similar institutions of marginalization, and making campus a more culturally sensitive environment. My priorities next year will revolve around an active reaction to the fierce social justice movements running through campus. ASUW should not start social movements, rather it should provide resources, use administrative connections, and bring in other communities to practice appropriate allyship toward changes that need to be made for a more inclusive campus.



AFFORDABILITY AND ACCESSIBILITY

- Working with Office of Minority Affairs and Diversity on implementation of diversity councils in every academic department, as outlined in the Diversity Master Plan.
- Working with the D Center and the Student Disability Commission to provide monthly disability justice trainings for faculty and administration.
- Bringing underrepresented students' voices to Olympia and the administration to advocate for access-based education.
- Working with Reclaim UW and the University Administration to ease transition into a 15-dollar minimum wage, and ensure student gauge community concerns and work on the implementation of university-wide 15 dollar minimum wage.

COMMUNITY COHESION

- Working with RCSA, IFC, UGC, Panhellenic, and NPHC to provide cultural appropriation trainings to all incoming leadership, social chairs, and chapter orientations.
- Working on expanding the communities that ASUW's diversity commissions currently cover, including the implementation of a Middle Eastern Student Commission.
- Advocate for the expansion of affordable gender-inclusive housing, restrooms, and locker rooms on campus.

STUDENT SAFETY

- Working with Green Dot and other sexual assault and relationship violence trainings to incorporate the history of power based violence and the recognition of violence outside of traditional power dynamics.
- Working with First Year Programs to incorporate DREAM Act and DACA informational brochures and resources to Freshman Advising and Orientation sessions.
- Use ASUW resources and working with other student groups to implement current initiatives and demands proposed by the University of Washington Walk Out; including working with the Director of Admissions to evaluate UW's stance on I-200.
- Advocate for the return of the previously trans-affirming Student Health Insurance Plan -- otherwise advocating for alternatives to support students seeking hormones and medical affirmation.

QUALIFICATIONS

- ASUW Queer Student Commission
- Queer People of Color Alliance
- OMAD Student Advisory Board

ENDORSEMENTS

- Queer People of Color Alliance
- Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
- Minority Association of Pre-Health Students
- Sigma Kappa Sorority
- Alpha Gamma Delta
- Alpha Chi Omega

EXPENDITURES:

\$2,977.88



2ND ANNUAL

DREAM BANQUET

MAY 23, 2015 · ETHNIC CULTURAL CENTER · 5:30-8:00PM

FOR TICKETS TINYURL.COM/DREAMBANQUET
TO DONATE TINYURL.COM/DREAMBANQUETDONATE

The Associated Students of University of Washington - La Raza Commission and constituents invite you to the 2nd Annual Dream Banquet. The banquet was started in the fall of 2013 by students who felt undocumented students needed more financial support. The purpose of the banquet is to provide scholarships to undocumented students. Last year we were able to raise over 5,000 dollars in scholarship funds. Join us at the 2nd annual banquet in our efforts to raise 10,000 dollars!



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created by the ASUW Elections Administration Committee



INTERNAL POLICY

The ASUW Director of Internal Policy as the Chair of the Judicial Committee and the Elections Policies and Procedures Advisory Committee and serves as the Parliamentarian of the Board of Directors. The Director of Policy and Procedures is liaison to the Elections Administration Committee, ASUW Student Senate and the Graduate and Professional Student Senate. Additionally, the ASUW Director of Policy and Procedures ensures the ASUW compliance with the Bylaws and Constitution while ensuring transparency through governing processes. (20 hours per week for 36 weeks- \$773.62 per month)

Noe Merfeld

EVERY HUSKY

Promote transparency within the Association

and provide a welcoming environment for students to voice opinions and concerns. Every Husky is committed to making sure that Every Husky's voice matters, and that we are serving the students as the Association is meant to do. Work with the Director of Diversity Efforts and Director of Community Relations to ensure that all student groups on campus are equally represented within the ASUW Student Senate, so that it accurately represents the student body at large. By overlooking the diverse perspectives that this campus has to offer we are doing a disservice to our university. The second we start seeking out the voices we have not traditionally heard from is the day we empower great change on this campus.



Student Safety

- Address the Senate on issues pertinent to student safety, and the procedural specifics surrounding potential policy changes
- Collaborate with various student safety commissions & organizations to help bring student safety resolutions to Student Senate, thereby maintaining momentum within the Association for critical policy-oriented evaluation of campus security
- Prepare and research advocacy strategies for greater funding on student safety

Community Cohesion

- Work with EAC and EPPAC to broaden potential avenues for voter turn-out improvement in future elections
- Dedicate one senate meeting per quarter that is focused on targeting student body attendance & involvement to ensure all students feel welcome and understand the Student Senate. In preparation, create a catalyst survey for students to fill out at the conclusion of each quarter, and address common themes at the forum
- Continually guide the self-development of the Judicial Committee to ensure enduring momentum for policy-inclined student leaders

Access & Affordability

- Attend Senate meetings and help facilitate the understanding of procedure to keep that space welcoming to students with no prior background in government.
- Have Judicial Committee give presentations to different communities on campus on a yearly basis to ensure visibility and access to the Judicial Committee.
- Create media to ensure that parliamentary procedure facilitates inclusive and comfortable discussions through more effective training on Robert's and Sturgis' Rules.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Panhellenic Vice President, Operations
- ASUW Safety Committee
- Chapter President Chi Omega Sorority

ENDORSEMENTS

UW Chi Omega
 Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
 Minority Association of Pre-Health Students
 Kappa Sigma Fraternity
 Gamma Phi Beta
 Sigma Kappa Sorority
 Alpha Gamma Delta
 Alpha Chi Omega

EXPENDITURES:

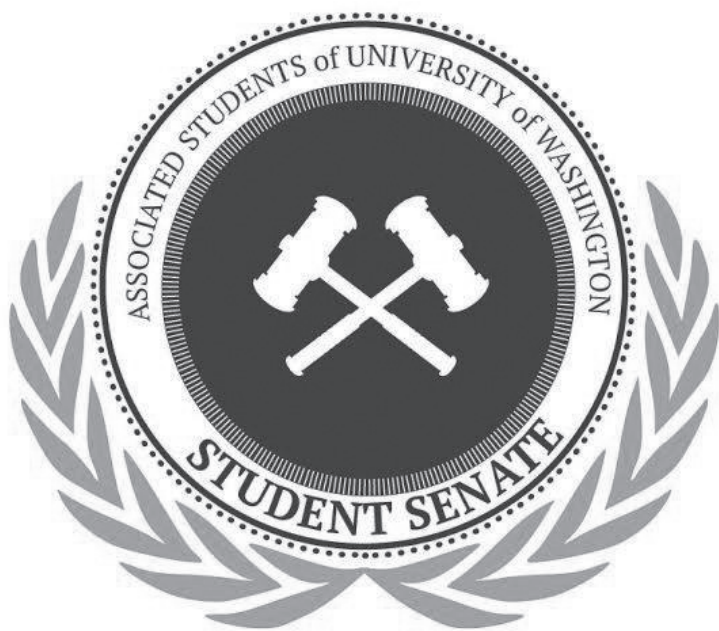
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HOW TO BE AN ASUW SENATOR:

Sign up with your UW NetID and Password at senate.asuw.org

- Collect 15 electronic signatures
- Current UW students will sign on to the same site, and click you as their representative with their NetID
- Attend meetings, even if you have not become an active senator yet.

Any questions? Email the Membership Coordinator at asuwsmc@uw.edu. Meetings are every Tuesday, from 5-7pm in Paccar 192.



**YOUR VOICE
 YOUR SENATE**

Learn more at
senate.asuw.org



The ASUW Director of Programming serves as a resource to all entities of the association as they plan and produce events and programs throughout the year. The Director of Programming serves as a liaison to Arts and Entertainment, the Student Health Consortium, Rainy Dawg Radio as well as the Special Appropriations Committee. (20 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$773.62 per month)

PROGRAMMING

Jazmine Perez

EVERY HUSKY

Hi, my name is Jazmine Perez. I am a fourth year pre-med student majoring in physiology and Gender, Women, Sexuality Studies. As a future career, I am very interested in psychiatry and with that platform, I'd like to go to underserved, minority communities about the myths of mental health.

I have two older brothers and a year-old niece. I grew up in the small farming town of Quincy, in central Washington. Coming to UW was the greatest thing I could've done. I applied here at a suggestion from a friend who also came to UW my same year.

I am glad to attend such a great school.



My name is Jazmine Perez and I am running for ASUW Director of Programming for 2015-2016. In the capacity of the Director of Programming, I will promote a new campus culture through traditional programming with innovative content that supports school pride and instills a sense of community.

To promote student safety, I will work to make under-utilized spaces accessible to all students, expand and maintain the "It's On Us" and Dawgs Take Action campaigns, and I will capitalize on large student events to disseminate information on sexual assault and social responsibility.

To promote community cohesion, I will focus on partnering with various campus communities to improve cultural consciousness, create community specific programming that will involve more students in ASUW conversations, and I will facilitate cooperation between ASUW entities and RSO's to create new and exciting programming.

Finally, in my efforts to create a more accessible and affordable UW for students, I will focus on debunking myths and stereotypes about mental health, design "student government literacy" programming to increase the knowledge of ASUW in our student body, and lastly, I will implement social justice and awareness programming throughout our homecoming week.

QUALIFICATIONS

- SARVA Program Coordinator
- Resident Adviser
- Latino Student Union Volunteer Coordinator

ENDORSEMENTS

Chicanos/Latinos for Community Medicine
 Minority Association of Pre-Health Students
 Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
 Alpha Chi Omega
 Alpha Gamma Delta
 Sigma Kappa Sorority

EXPENDITURES:

\$2,977.88



Rainy Dawg is 12 years old and we're about to CELEBRATE

Join us in the *dreamy* Sylvan Grove Theater for an evening of our favorite tunes + more featuring:

- Isaiah Rashad
- Wampire
- One Above Below None
- Naked Giants (RDR Birthday Battle Winner)
- SNUFF REDUX
- Richie Dagger's Crime



The ASUW Director of Campus Partnerships serves as a liaison to UW Athletics, the Carlson Center, the UW Sponsorship Advisory Committee and the University Bookstore. The Director of Service and Partnerships serves as the Chair of the Husky Pride Fund. Additionally, the Director of Service and Partnerships will establish relations with ASUW alumni.
(20 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$773.62 per month)

CAMPUS PARTNERSHIPS

Leigh Friedman

EVERY HUSKY

Teamwork makes the dream work

Create transparent communication channels between student leaders - both within ASUW and across campus - to organize efforts around student health and safety

Bring in funding and resources for ASUW projects that directly serve students, including everything from the Husky Pride Fund scholarship to affordable housing and textbooks

Keep administrators, auxiliary units, and corporate partners accountable for fulfilling their responsibilities in campus cohesion, access and affordability, and student safety



As the Director of the Peer Health Educators, I've spent the last year working with student activists, administrators, and researchers across campus and across the country to make our community healthy and safe. One year and a whole lot of trial and error later, one thing is clear: whatever we do, we have to do it together.

As Director of Campus Partnerships, I will foster a culture of collaboration. I will work with groups across campus to establish a student safety coalition ("WellPAC") that amplifies our impact on issues of sexual violence and mental health. I will increase safe space trainings of administrators and HFS staff to ensure that all campus spaces are visible, accessible, and safe. I will advocate for more open-source textbooks and lower minimum dining plans to lessen the financial burden on students. Lastly, I will work with corporate partners and UW Athletics to celebrate students who use collaboration to make campus a better place.

But that's just the beginning. Want a greener UW? Let's do it. Want a more diverse UW? Let's do it. Want a more playful UW? Let's do it, and let's do it together.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Director of Peer Health Educators
- Founder of PHE Spot, student health outreach program
- Created health & safety programming with residence halls, Greek organizations, many rso's and ASUW entities

ENDORSEMENTS

Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
Minority Association of Pre-Health Students
Sigma Kappa Sorority
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Humble Feast

Monday May 18th, 2015
Doors open at 6:30pm
Dinner at 7:00PM
HUB South Ballroom

A Humble Feast is an "all-you-care-to-eat" local and seasonal dinner seeking to inspire and educate students about how to buy and cook local food on a budget.

Join the ASUW Student Food Cooperative for the Spring Humble Feast on Monday, May 18th from 6:30-9 PM in the HUB South Ballroom! Join us and learn about buying and cooking healthy, local food on a budget! Come learn from local farmers, do some square dancing, meet some great peeps and talk about where our food comes from!

Get your tickets @ tinyurl.com/springhf5

The members of the ASUW Student Food Cooperative have created an all seasonally, locally, and ethically sourced meal for those cooking on a budget!

- Zesty Couscous Salad
- Vegetable Kebabs
- Basil Spinach Pesto with Peas
- Strawberry Rhubarb Cobbler



The ASUW Director of Community Relations serves as a liaison to all campus communities, including the Residential Community Student Association, Greek Community, commuter students, Registered Student Organizations, and the Ethnic Cultural Center. The Director of Community Relations serves as the Chair of the Committee on Student Safety. Additionally, the Director of Community Relations works with the Student Senate to establish student opinion on community issues. (20 hours per week for 36 weeks - \$773.62 per month)

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Ann Nguyen

IGNITE UW

Foster a community that encourages student representation.

Collaborate with existing organizations to expand resources on mental health and sexual violence.

Connecting living communities into greater UW community

Create monthly forums that invite UWPD, students and organizations to discuss campus safety and work together to combat sexual assault and promote crime reduction.

Committed to increasing student input. We cannot make a change on this campus without the students. Every Husky has a voice.



STUDENT SAFETY

- Establish monthly forums to review campus safety and address pertinent current issues by inviting all students to contribute to the conversation and sending out monthly intakes to submit concerns.
- Collaborate with SARVA and Green Dot to increase the number of workshops regarding sexual assault and violence to all living communities.
- Strengthen relations with University of Washington Police Department. Work with them to ensure proper lighting on paths and create a map of applicable precarious places on campus that require extra attention to ensure students are aware of their own safety.
- Work with health facilities (UW Hall Health) in assuring student health and wellness for all students.

COMMUNITY COHESION

- Provide equal and comprehensible access to not only communities, but also individuals who are not represented by any cultural, ethnical, academic, physical, or other related groups.
- Work with ASUW to expand existing programs and create new programs to cover communities that have not been historically included in ASUW.
- Maintain and strengthen relationships with all campus communities year round by reaching out and attending meetings.
- Expand the funding for the Husky Leadership Retreat to allow more RSO's the opportunity to collaborate.

ACCESS AND AFFORDABILITY

- Work with existing organizations to expand presentations on access to resources (mental health and sexual assault prevention and awareness) to all different communities.
- Increase accessibility to funding resources by creating an infographic to show different pathways organizations can receive funding.
- Advocate for increased funding for Husky Night Ride & Night Walk.
- Plan a cross collaborative event that focuses on mental health awareness.

QUALIFICATIONS

- ASUW Director of Diversity Efforts Intern
- Dream Project Mentor, Community Partnerships Lead, High School Lead
- First Year Programs FIG Leader

ENDORSEMENTS

Minorities Association of Pre-health Students
 Huskies for Suicide Prevention and Awareness
 Vietnamese Student Association
 UW Circle K International
 Alpha Chi Omega
 Alpha Delta Phi
 Alpha Gamma Delta
 Kappa Alpha Order

EXPENDITURES:

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ASUW A&E, UW Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS), UW Panhellenic Association, UW Interfraternity Council, HUB CaPP, ASUW Associated Students of the University of Washington & SAF Present:

** SPRING SHOW 2015**

A-Trak
 Rae Sremmurd
 SZA

5.14.15
 6PM
 FREE

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