

Student Society Board Elections

Voting opens Apr 1st 9am – Closes Apr 3rd 11:30pm



EXTERNAL EXECUTIVE



Andreas Ramirez Cuenca

Empowering Every Student: A Voice for Fairness and Support. Education should be about growth, not the stress of rising tuition fees. I'm running to ensure your time at Camosun is affordable and filled with opportunities. As External Executive, I'll collaborate with BCFS to advocate for fair tuition, better student support, and increased government investment. Whether you're an international or domestic student, I'll fight for a stable, enriching college experience. With dedication and experience, I'm ready to be your voice. Vote for fairness. Vote for action. Vote for Andres Ramirez!



Terence Baluyut

Tuition keeps rising, students face growing debt, and access to Open Educational Resources is limited. Education SHOULD EMPOWER, not burden. As a current CCSS Director, I've seen these challenges firsthand, and I'm ready to act. I'm Terence Baluyut, running for External Executive of the CCSS. I'll fight for affordable education by lobbying the Province with the BC Federation of Students and working with the Canadian Alliance of Student Associations to improve federal support. Together, we can make education A RIGHT, NOT A PRIVILEGE



WOMEN'S DIRECTOR



Madison Huynh

Over the past year I've had the opportunity to work with the CCSS. I've supported my peers and heard their struggles. I want to continue this work to ensure every woman on campus feels safe, heard, and supported. This position is about action, not just representation. It's about fostering real change within our community. I will work to strengthen peer support networks, advocate for better institutional resources, organize events that celebrate our diversity, and push for policies that promote safety. Women's challenges often go unnoticed, and I'm committed to addressing them. Together, we can build a stronger, more inclusive community where every voice matters. Change starts here, with us.

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FINANCE EXECUTIVE



Jaskarn Singh

As a dedicated and results-driven Finance Executive at Camosun College, I am committed to leveraging my deep understanding of financial management, strategic planning, and analytical skills to drive fiscal efficiency and transparency. With an unwavering focus on optimizing resources, ensuring compliance, and facilitating sustainable growth, I aim to enhance the institution's financial framework. Through meticulous attention to detail and proactive financial oversight, I seek to contribute to the college's overarching goals of academic excellence and long-term financial sustainability, empowering the institution to navigate challenges while capitalizing on opportunities for advancement



Benjamin Madariaga

My academic upgrading journey began in Fall 2024. I am strengthening my math and biology skills to enroll in the Medical Radiology Technology Diploma program in 2026. Since my math and biology courses are located at both campuses, I have had the opportunity to interact with students from different programs and learn of their challenges. Financial difficulties and isolation were two of the main challenges cited by most students. As a dedicated student, I am passionate about ensuring that all students feel supported. Recognizing the financial uncertainty that Camosun College is currently facing, I am committed to addressing the needs of every student. Through fundraising initiatives for student events and food banks, I aim to provide practical solutions to alleviate some of the financial burdens faced by students. I will continue advocating for initiatives that support food security for students, including bringing in produce, bread, and other nourishing items from the island to bolster our student community.

I believe that students must continue receiving the quality of service and attention they deserve, especially in such uncertain times. My goal is to foster a sense of community and connection by organizing activities.



INTERURBAN EXECUTIVE



Daniella Quesada

Hello Camosun students,
My name is Daniella, and I am a third year Kinesiology student here at Camosun interurban campus. During my time here at Camosun I have noticed the lack of student community. It is difficult enough being a student with deadlines, living expenses, and exam seasons. My intent is to make Camosun interurban serve its students by planning events students actually want on and off campus, assisting with food security, and making sure your voices are amplified to reflect your learning environment. I want to make our beautiful campus a fun and community-oriented place that serves its students and reflects what they want! Let me make your life at school easier and more fun!



Gurleen Nagra

My name is Gurleen Nagra, and I am excited to run for Interurban Executive in the 2025 CCSS Elections. As a Business Administration - General Management student, I am committed to strengthening student engagement, ensuring financial transparency, and improving CCSS operations. A well-organized and student-focused governance system is key to fostering a thriving campus community. With experience in transformational leadership and organizational management, I bring strong skills in strategic planning, financial oversight, and governance. If elected, I will work to streamline internal operations, ensuring efficiency, transparency, and accountability in decision-making. I will advocate for responsible budget management, ensuring student funds are used effectively to support valuable initiatives. I aim to create more opportunities for student involvement, fostering a more inclusive and engaged campus environment. Collaboration will be a priority, as working closely with executives, committees, and student organizations will amplify student voices and strengthen CCSS's impact.

I am dedicated to advocating for students and ensuring that CCSS remains a strong, student-centered organization.



INDIGENOUS DIRECTOR



Cedar Jones



Rose Patterson

I am Rose Patterson, Y'eem Bilist, Nisga'a and granddaughter to the Late Frank Calder, daughter to the late matriarch of the Killer Whale House, Wilma Moore. I am rerunning to be your Indigenous Director again for I have enjoyed being so in the 2024/25 term at Camosun.

I wish to continue creating Indigenous led activities, support students as they study and hear from all who want more here at the Camosun campuses.

It would be an honour to continue my work with the Indigenous students here at Camosun and walk with you as you work towards graduation. Thank you Y'eem Bilist, Rose Patterson (60's Scoop Survivor)



Jeremy Fredrickson

I am currently enrolled in the mental health and addictions program. I am indigenous and involved in my community with traditional healing as well as cultural arts practices. I am an artist that has a platform of healing through my non-profit society named after my late mother to help those in need of healing within the community. I am actively involved with places such as the VNFC, the aboriginal coalition to fight homelessness as well as BCANDS where I have gifted some of my art work. I am going to continue to be a healer within my community. It is my mission in life to keep on the healing journey as well as keep Indigenous culture revitalization a key component to that mission. I would be a great candidate for the Indigenous director because of my ties to the community and my natural ability to be a healer.



SUSTAINABILITY DIRECTOR



Hannah De Guzman

Take a deep breath with me...Feel that? Fresh air. Clean environment. We often take these for granted, but they're worth protecting. Growing up surrounded by nature and connecting with water made me realize we are not above nature; we are a part of it. Given the opportunity, I aim to be a student leader who advocates for environmental responsibility through workshops, awareness programs, and hands-on activities, helping others make mindful, sustainable choices. I imagine weekends as a time for students to be in programs that build friendships and community, and promote sustainability as more than just a choice—it's a movement. My name is Hannah De Guzman, and I am ready to act. Are you with me? :)





LANSDOWNE EXECUTIVE



Harnoor Kaur

As an international student and a passionate advocate for student success, I am committed to making our college a more inclusive, resourceful, and engaging space for everyone. If I elected as an Executive, I will work to enhance student support services, create more networking and ensure every student’s voice is heard in decision making. Let’s build a stronger, more connected student community together!



Regina Cervantes

I’m Regina, and I’m excited to run for Lansdowne Executive! As an international Pre-Social Work student at Camosun College, I’ve worked with the Orientation and Transition Team, facilitated the Peer Pods Program, and been part of the CCSS. These experiences have fueled my passion for a supportive, inclusive campus. With my background in communications, public relations, and event planning, I’m ready to represent you. If elected, I’ll focus on celebrating cultural diversity with inclusive events. Enhancing food services like the Camosun Food Bank. Keeping students informed with timely updates. Let’s make it happen together!



INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR



Vikash Rana

Hi everyone! My name is Vikash Rana, and I’m running for International Director at Camosun College to make life better for international students. I know how tough it can be to adjust to a new country, and I want to help make that journey easier for all of us. If elected, I’ll ensure that international students’ concerns about academics, housing, and campus life are heard and addressed. I’ll work to improve access to mental health support and other resources to make student life less stressful. I also want to bring more cultural events, networking opportunities, and mentorship programs to help us feel more connected and supported. I’m ready to take action and work with students, faculty, and the college to bring real change. If you want someone who understands your struggles and will work to improve your experience, vote for me, Vikash Rana, as your International Director. Let’s make Camosun better together!



Hector Compoy

As a student at Camosun College for over two years, I have developed a deep appreciation for the values and principles that define our school community. Our school has immense potential and a big heart, and I am committed to helping bring out the best in it. My goal is to create a more welcoming and inclusive environment, where all students feel valued and supported. To achieve this, I will focus on organizing cultural events that celebrate our diversity and promote socialization and interaction among students. As a representative for international students, I commit to:

- Listening to and advocating for the needs and concerns of students
- Organizing events that foster cultural exchange and community
- Working to create a sense of belonging and inclusion among all students

My goal is to make our school a home away from home for all students. I am excited to work together to create a more vibrant, inclusive, and supportive community.



LANSDOWNE DIRECTOR



Angela Chou

Hello! With all the previous experience I have on the board, I'd love to continue to advocate for students, assist with running the meetings that allow us to advocate for and put on fun events. From this experience, I'm also familiar with and will continue to abide by all the responsibilities required of me from the society. I hope to continue serving you. Thank you!



INTERURBAN DIRECTOR



Nancy Kwong

Hello Camosun students!
I acknowledge that Camosun College is located on the traditional territories of the Lekwungen and WSÁNEĆ Peoples, on whose lands we create, collaborate, and transform ourselves.
As a Culinary Arts student and mature learner, I understand the challenges of balancing school, work, and life. I am committed to advocacy, student support, and volunteering at local food initiatives like the Mustard Seed. Together we can foster a supportive, engaged, and inclusive campus.
Why Vote for Me?
Student Advocacy & Support • Campus Community & Engagement •Affordability & Accessibility • Mental Health & Wellness
Vote Nancy for Director at Large – Interurban!



STUDENT WELLNESS & ACCESS DIRECTOR



Athena Pimentel

Accessibility and wellness are rights, not privileges. As Student Wellness and Access Director, I will advocate for students with disabilities, build community, and improve accessibility across both campuses. I will work with the Camosun Centre for Accessible Learning to identify gaps and push for improvements by:
Organizing wellness initiatives, hosting inclusive events, and creating spaces where students feel valued.
Assessing areas on campus where accessibility services can be enhanced for students.
I believe in turning concerns into real change with an action-oriented approach. Through engagement and proactive solutions, we can create a more inclusive, supportive campus for all.



Talhia Grace Plourde

I'm running for re-election as your Student Wellness and Access Director, and I'm really excited about the chance to continue on with wokring towards a more inclusive, healthy and accessible campus. Over the past year, I've had the opportunity to work with the EDI Policy Committee, the Education Council, and the Accessibility Committee, which has given me a deeper understanding of how we can improve things here at Camosun.
This year, I've hosted wellness events like yoga sessions to help students relax and prioritize their health, and I'd love to keep building on that by offering more wellness opportunities for everyone. I've also worked with the Camosun Centre for Accessible Learning (CAL) to make our campus more accessible, and I'm looking forward to continuing that work.
Looking ahead, I want to focus on increasing wellness resources, making sure our spaces are accessible to everyone, and creating a stronger sense of community. With your support, I'd be honoured to continue making Camosun a place where everyone feels welcomed and supported.