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**Student Affairs Committee (SAC) Annual Report for General Faculties Council  
2025-2026**

**DATE:** May 4, 2026

**SUBMITTED BY:** Phil Warsaba, Chair of SAC

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### **SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES AND OUTCOMES**

From September 25, 2025, to April 23, 2026, the Student Affairs Committee convened 6 times and approved the creation or revision of 120 scholarships, bursaries, and awards. Detailed information on the type, value, and number of awards, along with eligibility criteria and application information, was considered by the Committee, and a listing of approved awards has been included in the monthly SAC Chair reports to GFC.

#### *Selection Committees*

The Student Affairs Committee appointed representatives to serve on Selection Committees for nominated awards. As a result of the various Selection Committees' deliberations, 6 students were selected for the Laurence Decore Awards for Student Leadership, 6 students were selected for the Dr. Gary McPherson Leadership Scholarship, and 25 recipients, along with 18 alternates, were selected for the President's Scholarship. The 2025 Centennial Gold Medal Selection Committee reviewed 30 nominations and selected 4 recipients (one per credit Faculty). The first ever Chancellor's Scholarship recipient was also selected, with alternates derived from the President's Scholarship list in order.

#### *Matters Considered*

- Approved terms of reference and criteria for all awards administered by the University, as appropriate;
- Appointed representatives to serve on Student Awards Selection Committees;
- Approved changes to the:
  - Renewable Clause in the Awards Procedures
  - Centennial Gold Medal Terms of Reference
  - Entrance Awards Procedures
  - Racialized Group Question on Awards Application;
- Considered potential changes to the President's Scholarship;
- Received and provided feedback on the Office of Student Community Standards' Annual Statistical Report of all misconduct addressed according to the Code of Student Community Standards policy;
- Received and provided feedback on the Access and Inclusion Services Annual Report;
- Received an update on the development of the new Student Accommodations Policy;
- Adjudicated 6 student appeals of scholarship, bursary, and award decisions;
- Suggested revisions to the SAC Charter.

### **MATTERS FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION**

- Finalize proposed revisions to the Student Affairs Committee Charter for recommendation to GFC Executive Committee in October 2026.
- Approve terms of reference and criteria for all awards administered by the University, as appropriate.
- Appoint representatives to serve on Student Award Selection Committees.

- Receive and consider the Annual Statistical Report of student misconduct.
- Receive and consider the Access and Inclusion Services Annual Report.

### COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Phil Warsaba	Vice-President, Students, CHAIR
Meekena Erkin	Student Representative, VICE-CHAIR
Chris Rogerson	Associate Vice-President, Student Experience and Success
Michelle LoGullo	President, Mount Royal Staff Association
Meagan Bowler	Deans' Council Representative
Kari Roberts	Academic Staff Member (Arts)
Irina Dovbischuk	Academic Staff Member (Business, Communication Studies & Aviation)
Alysia Wright	Academic Staff Member (Health, Community and Education)
Jian Huang	Academic Staff Member (Science and Technology)
Sara Sharun	Academic Staff Member (University Library)
Christina Lovestone	Continuing Education Representative
Tori McMillan	Iniskim Centre Representative
Nicky Renault	Student Affairs Representative
Noor Bata	Student Representative ( <i>Jan-Current</i> ) ( <i>Ayden Ali – until Dec</i> )
Anita Surujbally	Student Representative

### Resources

Geri Lynn Gouglas	Registrarial Designate
Miranda Diakiw	Designate for Executive Director, Development
Sheena Dyer	Assistant University Secretary, GFC, RECORDING SECRETARY

### SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

1. September 25, 2025
2. October 30, 2025
3. November 27, 2025
4. February 5, 2026
5. March 12, 2026
6. April 23, 2026

*For additional information and meeting minutes, visit the [SAC](#) webpage.*