

OSPIRG. My acquired skills have earned me a position on the OSPIRG state board of directors. My involvement has abled me to get a sense of campus life.

I hope that the University of Oregon will remain a campus committed to strong student activism. I believe that to maintain such a cultural diversity of campus, funds much be provided for special events, programs and organizations which benefits the student body. VOTE PROGRESSIVE! VOTE JURJAVCIC FOR SENATE SEAT 11

• Tiesha Taylor

"There are many problems that are going on at the University but, one of the major ones is money. Every student needs to be aware of where their money is going, how it is being used and who's in control of it. Many changes are occurring that has to deal with student's fees being raised and the problems that come along with increased fees.

The Student Senate is responsible for distributing money in incidental fees to programs such as ASUO, Erb Memorial Union, and the Athletic Department. It is also responsible for representing the U of O students in the faculty-student University Senate and the University Assembly.

There needs to be a variety of representatives with different vies, instead of the same people doing the same old things. The Student Senate needs someone who will be concerned about the student's needs. I was my high school's Student Body President so I have knowledge and experience with working with and for the students. If I am elected into the Senate, I will make sure that the students come first. I am devoted, hardworking, and dependable. Remember, Tiesha Taylor for Student Senate."

Academic Senator (Arts & Letters)

Senate Seat #13, two-year term

• Erica Tubbs

Students deserve access to their student government. As an Academic senator I pledge to implement a progressive policy dealing with student issues at the University of Oregon. Believing that it is important to have a strong student community on campus, I will work to bring students to the forefront on all political decisions that effect their education and campus life.

Much of my involvement in the past has centered around Peace Activism with "Creative Response" involving deepened communication skills between peoples. Since transferring into the University this fall, I have become increasingly involved with OSPIRG and am currently leading the Environmental Education group on campus as well as representing students on the state level as a board member. As an Honors College student, I am also a strong academic with a clear sense of responsibility.

I support student groups as a means of furthering the University educational experience, and am committed to a University that has positive communication between students and student leaders, a varied and rich multicultural forum, and students who can feel empowered. VOTE PROGRESSIVE VOTE ERICA TUBBS FOR SENATE SEAT 13

• Michael E. Bearak

"The University of Oregon is blessed with a very diverse student body from dozens of different countries and thousands of different backgrounds. The University is also blessed with an abundance of revenues.

These revenues need to be turned back into the University to provide its students with amore diverse education. it is the responsibility of the Student Senate to allocate these funds properly. I will fight for the proper and fair funding of the University's organizations. I will push for more funding to provide greater diversity within Fine Arts and enrichment programs.

If elected to the Student Senate, I will negotiate for more funding for Fine Arts, English, and other Arts and Letters groups. I believe in providing the students with what they need, want, and deserve. I will work to provide the most diverse education enrichment possible for the students. I am prepared to serve the student body of the University of Oregon. Vote for Michael E. Bearak for Arts and Letters Senator seat #13."

• Will Wild

I am dedicating my existence to the improve-

ment of our society and environment. We are on the forefront of an architectural revolution, that will drastically reduce timber consumption, eliminate sewage runoff, and prevent further environmental catastrophes that our politicians are so unwilling to deal with. In the decades to come I will rise to redirect society and to save the environment.

Academic Senator (Social Sciences)

Senate Seat #14, one-year (2-year mid-term)

• Tracy Colvin

• Jason Paul Heuser

We live in a society today that is changing faster and faster, and we are faced with new and unique problems that come with change. College Campuses today are faced with an ethical responsibility to train and teach tomorrow's parents and leaders to deal with these problems and in a manner to create a better society for the future. Much of this is done through the various programs that the University funds through the collection of incidental fees. These programs are intended to meet the intellectual, physical, and spiritual needs of the University community. Unfortunately, I feel that the average student doesn't get his or her "bang for the buck" so to speak. As a student, I know that like most other students, I want to see my incidental fees come back in a tangible manner that meets my own educational needs. I think this can happen and that it is possible for the student funds to be redistributed in a manner that will more accurately represent the interests of the average student. If you're tired of feeling like your incidental fees are just disappearing without any benefit to you, vote for Jason Heuser for Student Senate Seat #14.

• Shamus Lynsky

• Mandi Hood

Recently, I have become concerned with the vocal, conservative minority in the Senate that is attempting to take away students' right to organize. As co-director of Students for Choice, I have personally witnessed how much power the Senate wields through it's role in the controversy surrounding our group over the past year. I would like to counteract what I perceive as senators using their positions to promote their own personal agendas. As a senator, I realize how important it will be for me to keep an open mind and represent students fairly and accurately. Because of my background as a leader of a student group, I have an understanding of the workings of student government on the University of Oregon campus and will work hard as your student senator. Vote Mandi Hood for Student Senate Academic Seat #14, Social Sciences.

• Kanealii Osorio

"Being of Hawaiian ancestry, I feel it would be a good thing if the Student Senate could become a culturally diverse group. I have a unique background and have a lot to offer. I am a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. I also support APASU-the Asian and Pacific Islander's group. As being a member of the Student Senate, a great responsibility falls upon you. I know it will be hard to balance all of my outside activities, but I know I can accomplish this feat. I'm organized and carry a G.P.A. of 3.3, while being active in my fraternity and helping out with APASU whenever I can. I also work and serve each student at the equipment rooms at Esslinger and Girlinger. Please vote for me April 19. The Student Senate as a long way to go in terms of becoming a diverse group. At the University of Oregon we should expect the best, and I feel I can deliver high quality to this position. Vote for Kanealii Kamakawiwoole Osorio. Mahalo!

• Chris O'Connor

One of the primary responsibilities of the Student Senate is the distribution of incidental fees to ASUO programs, the EMU, and the Athletic Department. The money allocated to these programs comes in part from your checkbook. You deserve a voice in deciding where it goes. If elected to the Student Senate I will work with you in insuring a fair distribution of student funds. This year there has been controversy over groups actively supporting a particular political agenda. I feel that it is improper to use general student fees to support political activity that some students might disagree with. Groups that use the money allocated

to them by sending it off campus for eventual use in lobbying should not be funded by general student fees. The clubs and student unions are an important forum for ideas, discussion and expression but the student populations should not be forced to fund their legislative efforts at a state or national level. It is necessary to look at how each group serves the needs and desires of all the students being made to pay for it.

Vote Chris O'Connor for Student Senate.

• Bill Washburn

I currently represent students on committees for the Environment, Library, and Student Recycling. I've worked on special projects like Designated Driver Shuttle and Lobbying Congress for student issues. My involvement with these issues has made me aware of how much influence students can have on the operation of the University. For example, Designated Driver Shuttle is a program that a group of students and myself organized. And our trip to D.C saved millions of dollars of student financial aid for needy students.

Through my work in ASUO, I have seen how the Senate operates. Most of us don't realize how powerful the Senate is and how important it is that we all get involved. I am committed to campus/community safety for women and me, and to a strong campus based environmental movement. I support progressive social issues, especially those which affect students. I will make sure that access to, and the quality of, higher education here at the University is maintained if not raised. I have worked hard for students and their issues over the last year and will continue to serve you, the students, on the Student Senate.

Vote for Bill Washburn, Student Senate Seat #14.

Academic Senator (Social Sciences),

Senate Seat #15, two-year term

• Kalpana Krishnamurthy

I believe that ASUO should be an office of advocacy for the concerns of the students at the University of Oregon—which include access to education, multicultural issues on campus, and student empowerment. As a student senator I can make an impact on these student issues. Being a member of various organizations of campus, I know student groups act as a forum to discuss and exchange ideas that are vital to a complete education. As a student senator, I will advocate for strong support of student programs. Additionally, senate members sit on the faculty-student University Senate and Assembly, where issues of access to education are discussed. College must be affordable to all who want to attend, and I believe being able to effect University policy in a way that is beneficial to students if very important. As a member of APASU and the state board chair of OSPIRG, I have experience in working with student issues and working with many student groups on campus. I think that my experience within campus activism can add to an atmosphere in which problems can be discussed, but more importantly, problems can be resolved. VOTE PROGRESSIVE. VOTE KALPANA KRISHNAMURTHY FOR SENATE SEAT 15.

• Bill Miner

"The students of the University of Oregon need a hard working, responsible Senator to work for what they want. With the controversy that has come up in the past year, students need a loyal representative that they can depend upon. I would like to obtain the position of Senate Seat 15, in order to voice my opinion and those of my constituency, in making unbiased and fair decisions. Those unbiased decisions are what students need. It so often happens that students who are elected into responsible positions give up, or do not put their entire heart into it. We have seen several instances like this in the past. I would have to disagree with this approach. The Student Senate is responsible for over 5.2 million dollars worth of allocations during the next year. This is a huge responsibility and it needs serious attention. Many organizations depend upon this money to survive and thrive. Students make up these organizations and therefore they also need this money to survive. This University needs a Senator that will work for students, not against them. I am that Senator. Please exercise your voice and vote for Bill Miner for Senate seat number 15."

• Shawn J. Richards

"To my fellow students attending the University