

munication with students will help me represent student interests and work with students to allocate your fees.

With state budget cuts affecting the University, it is imperative that students voice their concerns. As a student leader I will continue to demand student input and creative solutions to minimize the effect on students. We must demand affordable access to education.

Student senators must be capable in representing the interests of students before the entire University while effectively allocating the student incidental fee. Vote for the candidate with the proven commitment, leadership skills, and experience to do this. Vote Mike Sherman for ASUO Programs Finance Senate Seat #3.

Chris Sittner

No Statement



Beth Overgard

The ASUO Programs Finance senators make important decisions about the allocation of the money that each of you pay into a collective fund through incidental fees. The students that you choose to represent you should be the most impartial group available so that monetary decisions can be made objectively.

In a conversation with a close friend, I asked how I could be best described. Accompanied by a giggle were the words "band geek, politician." Ha! It was a humorous response, but one I take very seriously. And just for the record: yes, I have been to band camp and leadership camp.

Musicians and politicians have many similar characteristics although neither party may like to radiate that fact. Being described as these two types was a great compliment. They are both dedicated, motivated, hard-working, trustworthy, dependable, outspoken, and caring.

The finance senators should, in my opinion, possess all of these qualities. While all of the candidates running are surely suitable officers, I feel I can operate with all of the aforementioned qualities and can contribute to the elimination of bias within the committee. Former Governor Kitzhaber, in a letter of recommendation, described me, Beth Overgard, as one who is "sincerely committed to excellence in leadership, responsibility to community, and education." Please give me the opportunity to prove my commitment to you!

Please vote for me, Beth

Overgard as Finance Senator, seat 3.



Colin Andries

Over the past couple years I, Colin Andries, have had the luxury of witnessing the growth of this fine institution. As the University and its budget has grown the role of the Student Senator and especially the Programs Finance Committee (PFC) Senator has taken on additional importance. It is imperative that members of the PFC analytically, fairly, and responsibly distribute the funds allocated from incidental fees to University of Oregon students.

As a law student, I have the traits and education to fairly work with multiple groups and their needs. I also have the ability to look at an issue from more than one angle, and find the benefits and flaws to plans presented before the committee. Because I received a degree in finance from this university just last year, I am in tune with the campus as a whole. I am a member of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity, have been involved with the Club Sports program for the last four years, and worked with other organizations on campus as well. I feel my wide range of experience with the university can help me in effectively representing all students.

In conclusion, if elected to the ASUO Programs Finance Senator Seat #3, I will fairly and justly represent all students in an effort to provide the best experience possible for everyone. Please vote Colin Andries for Senate Seat #3.

EMU Board Seat 4

ERB MEMORIAL UNION BOARD

Erb Memorial Union (EMU) Board determines the policies and long range plans of the Erb Memorial Student Union. A House Committee deals with allocation of office space, EMU lobby space, and other issues associated with the building. The Budget Committee prepares the budget for the EMU and all of its programs (Cultural Forum, ChildCare Center, Outdoor Program, etc.) and presents it to the whole Board. Each Board member must serve on at least one committee and attend all Board meetings. The Chair of the Board and the chair of each committee keep at least 5 office hours per week.

The Board consists of 15 voting members including two Finance Senators serving two year terms, one Finance Senator serving one term and four members elected from the student body at-large for two year terms. (See list of positions available above for specific position numbers and length of term for this election.) Other members include appointed representatives of the ASUO Executive, ASUO programs, EMU programs, EMU classified staff, and faculty. The three Finance Senators all serve on the EMU Budget Committee along with three other members of the Board plus the EMU

Business Manager as a nonvoting member. One of the four at-large members is selected to serve as Board Chair. The director of the EMU is an ex-officio, nonvoting member of the Board. The Board Chair currently receives \$150/month for 8 months. The Budget Committee Chair and the House Committee Chair each currently receive \$125/month for 8 months. All other members receive \$95/month for 8 months. Each member works about 8-10 hours per week. Work-study is also available for these positions.



Gabe V. Kjos

When looking at candidates for this seat, there are two key things that a voter should look at when choosing next year's Senators and EMU Board members: Clear Defined Goals and Experience.

Goals: Whether it is through the Cultural Forum, Greek Life, Club Sports, the Craft Center and many other aspects that embody the EMU, students do not realize that the EMU is one of the only programs on campus that touches almost every student on campus. I believe that with increased communication between the EMU Board, the student senate, and the students — the EMU can become the hub of campus life through leadership and the programs within the EMU. It is my goal to continue the work of the present EMU Board to present a sound budget and help others on Senate understand the complicated structure of the EMU budget. I plan on protecting student interests and creating a forum for all students to get actively involved in the EMU and coalition building with other groups so that their voice is heard.

Experience: Through working with a \$45,000 budget as Vice-President of the Residence Hall Association and through my involvement with numerous campus organizations, I have the experience to help create an effective budget. As an ASUO Intern, I have worked within many organizations and have interacted with many aspects of the EMU Board, so I have a better understanding of how the board works and their present goals.

To be your voice, choose Gabe V. Kjos for Senate!

Rodrigo Moreno

As students of the University of Oregon, we have had the opportunity to pay a lot of money to see our voice underrepresented, at all levels of the administrative structure.

Students for the most part do not have a real say on what goes on in this campus, partly because of the administration's contempt for the students in what now is a graduate factory instead of a center for research, and critical independent

thought; partly because a lot of the times the people chosen for these positions get elected by the students to work for them when in reality they take student government as an opportunity to enlarge their egos and resumes while moving to act based on what is more convenient for them or their political aspirations neglecting or disregarding the needs of the student body.

I think we should provide the student population with more scholarships, more funding for independent student initiative whether it be social activities, getting a travel grant, or developing a project or student organization or club as well as with a real voice on what happens in this campus overall.

My objective in running for senate is to counter the weight in the decisions made in the allocation of money from what the administration wants (and some senators pass to avoid uncomfortable confrontations) to what the students need because student government should not be a privilege but a duty and a responsibility to serve the students.

So VOTE Rodrigo Moreno for Senate Seat 4



Julian Pscheid

My name is Julian Pscheid, and I am running for Senate seat 4. I am a junior and my major is computer science, with business and math minors. Currently I am holding a position on the Interfraternity Council and am seeking to expand my involvement to benefit the general student population by participating in the incidental fee distribution process and actively representing the students of our university. As senator I will be fair and impartial towards all student groups. I will be committed to serving all students and hard working to convince you of the sincerity of my purpose. Vote for Julian Pscheid.

EMU Board Seat 6

Jerad Nicholson

No Statement



James George

"As a student here at the Uni-

versity of Oregon, I have a vested interest in the well being of our campus community. The Erb Memorial Union is the heart of this campus and therefore student input is necessary to relay the needs of the students to the Board of Directors. As a student that uses the EMU on a daily basis, I feel that I have a good understanding of what students want out of our student union.

As a Student Senator I would be able to utilize the connections that I have made while working in the EMU to help aid me in conveying the needs we have as students. Knowing people throughout the EMU will aid me in representing all their needs as well as the needs of the student population as a whole.

If elected to the Student Senate I would work with all students and groups within the Erb Memorial Union, to adequately represent the needs we have as students. I am a very hard working, dedicated person that will work for you. Vote for James George."

Athletic Dept. Finance Committee Seat 7

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT FINANCE COMMITTEE

The ASUO Athletic Department (AD) Finance Committee is composed of five members including two Finance Senators serving for two years, one Finance Senator serving for one year, one member appointed by the ASUO President for a one year term, and one member appointed by the Athletic Department Team Council for a one year term. The ASUO Finance Coordinator serves as a nonvoting member. The chair of the AD Finance Committee is picked from the elected members. Members of this committee work 8-10 hours per week. Senate members of this committee receive a stipend of \$100/month for four months.

The AD Finance Committee is responsible for working with the Athletic Department to develop a recommendation for the incidental fee allocation for the Athletic Department. This recommendation is forwarded to the Student Senate for final approval.

Andrew Faust

No Statement

Nathan Hunt

No Statement

Laura Schulthies

No Statement

Athletic Dept. Finance Committee Seat 8



Vincent Martorano

I am running for the Athletic Department Finance Senate seat #8 for a number of reasons.

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