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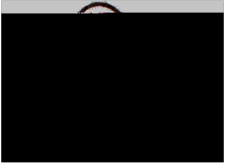
## SSMU Councillor Reports

March 29, 2012

### Justin Fletcher – Arts Representative

- AUS Elections
  - AUS President: Devon LaBuik
  - VP Academic: Tom Zheng
  - VP External: Brian Farnan
  - VP Events: Josh Greenberg
  - VP Communications: Yasmeen Gholmieh
  - VP Internal: Justin Fletcher (I'm going to miss you, SSMU!)
  - VP Finance: Saad Qazi
  - Arts Reps: Nicole Georges, Colleen Morawetz, Sean Phipps
  
- In the News: Departmental General Assemblies/Meetings
  - It's a complicated issue. I can report orally if people have additional questions or concerns. Basically, several departments have been holding their own General Assemblies with strike votes, including DESA, MUGS, and upcoming this week are





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- A bit sad that a very large chunk of Bylaw Book II weren't ready for amendments, however Shyam and I will still be working on the financial bylaws to make sure that they are ready for approval next year
- While reviewing our bylaws I have come to the conclusion that even after all these bylaw amendments, they will still be very inconsistent, confusing, illogical, poorly defined, not prescriptive, etc.
- My recommendation is that you pay someone a \$500 honorarium to amend all the bylaws in the summer. These would not be substantive changes, but the goal would be to create user-friendly documents that SSMU members could read and understand. A large part of accessibility is having rules and regulations that easily explain how the SSMU functions

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