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For the period of November 29, 2018 to January 24, 2019
Project Updates
Internal Governance
● further brief discussions with DPSLL
● reached out to 4 different Universities and Student Associations that have already implemented
similar policies and have connected with members of exec for from Columbia and Rice
Intergenerational Homeshare
● co-organizing weekly meetings at Building 21 through Intergenerational McGill
● Have connected with people running Homeshares in Saguenay, McMaster, Toronto
● Organized small lego event
Associate Senators
● Some have begun attending committee meetings and Senate meetings
● attendance at Senate caucus has been good
● running a orientation (finally!) on January 31
Know Your Rights
● In class announcements happening but down from last semester so have extended them.
right now announcements were made in front of 1.5K students
● Assignments during Add/Drop already has info on 30+ different courses
● still working on partnership with Student Advocacy for Know Your Rights Website and for
some promo material
● Working with DoS on Charter of Students Right guide that should hopefully be released this
semester
Two failed projects >> we learn from our failures
● Wanted to work on a change to Statutes to expand the DPSLL advisory committee
● Was working on a research project into divestment

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Smaller goals, where less progress was made
● Committee Calendar and Email: This is a simple one but will require some patience with
adoption and hasn’t really had any progress
● SSMU Charity #: some research and conversation
● Governance reform: no progress
University Affairs Representation
Representation at Committee
● Senate Steering X2
● Senate X2
● MAUT Council X2
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○ fee renewal referendum coming up
● Other
○ Daycare Board
○ Ecole Board
○ UTILE meetings
○ MMSA conversations
○ SSMU Board

Respectfully Submitted,
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