



Students' Society of McGill University  
Association étudiante de l'Université McGill

20 March, 1998

Dear Guy,

It has come to my attention that there may have been some confusion at the Council meeting of 19 March, 1998 regarding the results of the recount in the election for the position of VP University Affairs.

I am happy to re-state my decision for you in order to clarify the situation: **The recount confirms the electoral victory of Ms. Sam Johnston as the VP University Affairs for 1998-1999.**

I announced this decision to both candidates and to all six scrutineers present after the recount on Wednesday night. I also informed Mr. Andrew Kovacs that under our rules, he had five days in which to appeal my decision to the Judicial Board. In other words, he has until the close of business on Monday 23 March in order to appeal.

I was informed by Mr. Kovacs on Thursday afternoon that he would be recognizing the victory of Ms. Johnston and did not wish to pursue the matter further. Unless Mr. Kovacs changes his mind and chooses to exercise his right of appeal before the close of business on Monday, March 23, the issue is closed.

I would like to take this opportunity to underline that this year's elections were run strictly according to the rules in a free, fair and open manner. In fact, I would submit that these SSMU elections were the most unbiased, free, fair and open in recent memory.

It has been a pleasure working with you, Guy. I would like to thank you and the administrative staff of the SSMU offices for the tremendous help and support that I received during my term as Chief Returning Officer. While much of the work was both demanding and thankless, I nevertheless enjoyed myself. My job was also made easier by the presence of elections staff, Yas Etessam, Jean Liao and Tim Shrigley who were cooperative, motivated, well organized and highly efficient.

Thank you once again, Guy.

Yours sincerely,

Glen Linder  
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cc. SSMU Council

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**OFFICIAL RESULTS: FALL 1997 ELECTION PERIOD**

★ DAYCARE REFERENDUM 3.00

Participation: 17.1%

Yes:	2310	(83.5%)
No:	420	(15.2%)
Spoiled:	37	(1.3%)

FYSA ELECTIONS

Participation: 22.2%

President

Daniel Artenosi:	246	(28.8%)
Howie Krongold:	60	(7%)
Michael Shenkman:	120	(14.1%)
<b>Xavier Van Chau:</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>(32.5%)</b>
Spoiled:	150	(17.6%)

VP Internal

<b>Jon Feldman:</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>(50.1%)</b>
Katy Yam:	282	(33.1%)
Spoiled:	144	(16.9%)

VP External

<b>Meghan Cox:</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>(43.2%)</b>
Ganesh:	263	(30.1%)
Jan Schotte:	70	(8.2%)
Spoiled:	153	(17.9%)

*Glen Wilson*  
 Chief Returning Officer

VP Finance

**Wasim Kamhawi:** Acclaimed

VP University Relations:

Candace Padmore:	286	(33.2%)
<b>Matt Proch-Wilson:</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>(44.9%)</b>
Spoiled:	189	(21.9%)

*Nov 17, 97*



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## ÉLECTIONS MCGILL

FIRST YEAR STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION - ASSOCIATION DES ÉTUDIANT(E)S EN PREMIÈRE ANNÉE

### List of Candidates

#### PRESIDENT ~ PRÉSIDENT

Daniel ARTENOSI	398-1357
Howie KRONGOLD	932-8448 (c/o Rich Reddy)
Michael SHENKMAN	931-2855
Xavier VAN CHAU	398-3010 x 00502

#### V.P. INTERNAL AFFAIRS ~ V.-P. (AFFAIRES INTÉRIEURES)

Jon FELDMAN	398-3010 x 00267
Katy YAM	696-4632

#### V.P. EXTERNAL AFFAIRS ~ V.-P. (AFFAIRES EXTÉRIEURES)

Meghan COX	935-7379
GANESHA	937-4826
Jan SCHOTTE	938-1239

#### V.P. FINANCE ~ V.-P. (FINANCES)

Wasim KAMHAWI	931-9703
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#### V.P. UNIVERSITY RELATIONS ~ V.-P. (RELATIONS UNIVERSITAIRES)

Candace PADMORE	398-3010 x 00523
Matt PROCH-WILSON	398-3010 x 00182



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**Official Results: Spring 1998 Election and Referendum Period**

*Results are final pending challenges and/or recounts*

**Referendum: "Organic Food Store"**

Participation:	3340	(19.9%)
<b>Yes</b>	<b>2081</b>	<b>(62.3%)</b>
No	1224	(36.6%)
Spoiled	35	(1.0%)

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**SSMU Executive**

Participation:	3362	(20.0%)
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**President**

<b>Duncan Reid</b>	<b>1275</b>	<b>(37.9%)</b>
Paul Ruel	851	(25.3%)
Andrew Tischler	826	(24.6%)
Spoiled	412	(12.2%)

**VP University Affairs**

Margaret Antler	303	(9.0%)
<b>Sam Johnston</b>	<b>1189</b>	<b>(35.4%)</b>
Andrew Kovacs	1181	(35.1%)
Omar Samji	314	(9.3%)
Spoiled	375	(11.2%)

**VP Internal**

Titia Holtz	843	(25.1%)
John Ki	819	(24.4%)
<b>Karen Pelley</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>(26.4%)</b>
Nick Redler	296	(8.8%)
Spoiled	516	(15.3%)

**VP External**

<b>Jeffrey Feiner</b>	<b>1295</b>	<b>(38.5%)</b>
Samantha McGavin	1181	(35.1%)
Jam Murphy	317	(9.4%)
Spoiled	569	(16.9%)

**VP Finance**

Adam Giambrone	697	(20.7%)
Sarah Glinski	747	(22.2%)
<b>Lorenzo Pederzani</b>	<b>1225</b>	<b>(36.4%)</b>
Rich Retyi	250	(7.4%)
Spoiled	443	(13.2%)

March 16, 98  
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*The following candidates have been acclaimed.*

**Undergraduate Representative to the Board of Governors**

Cyrus Boelman

**Senate**

**Arts Senators**

Melissa Pallett

Emma Sevitt

**Science Senators**

Michael Aquino

Hussein Kanji

James Wishart

**Engineering Senator**

Melanie Beaulieu -

**Management Senator**

Amman Sidi

Hugh Sturgess

**Education Senator**

Avi Joseph

**Religious Studies Senator**

Douglas Painter -

(One Senate seat VACANT)

**Financial Ethics Research Advisors**

Stephanie Hight

Hannah Parish

(Two FERA positions VACANT)

**CKUT-FM Board of Directors**

Reiko Cyr

Laura Macneil

  
Chief Returning Officer