



CUSA Council Committee Positions

DESCRIPTION

CUSA Council is where decisions about the association are made. Council is made up of 25 Faculty representatives and members of the Rideau River Residence Association (RRRA) and the Graduate Students' Association (GSA). CUSA Committees meet regularly to make decisions about specific ongoing projects.

POSITIONS

Constitutional Board (4 students at large, and 2 alternates)

The Constitutional Board hears and rules on all challenges against the CUSA Constitution, Bylaws, and Policies, council members, or executive members. This board is also the final body of appeal for any CUSA electoral violations.

CUSA Student Initiative Fund Committee (SIFC) (3 students at large)

The Student Initiative Fund (SIF) is intended to provide financial support to students and student groups on campus in endeavors which improve the Carleton community, the profile of CUSA, and/or the interests of the students involved. The SIF Committee meets throughout the year to review applications and decide how to best allocate funding.

Accessibility Fund Committee (AFC) (2 students at large, 4 students with disabilities)

The Accessibility Fund Committee works to ensure that CUSA events and services are accessible to all students. It also works to raise awareness of issues affecting students with disabilities on campus. All CUSA clubs, societies, services, facilities, and members of the association are able to apply for support from the Accessibility Fund.

HOW TO APPLY

These positions are voted in by CUSA council. Students who wish to run for these positions are invited to speak before council when the committees are struck. If you are unable to attend, you can email your appeal to vpi@cusaonline.ca and it will be read to council on your behalf.

If you have any questions about applying for a committee, please contact CUSA Vice-President Internal Farook Al-Muflehi at vpi@cusaonline.ca.

CUSA values employment and educational equity and welcomes applicants from diverse groups including (but not limited to): women, aboriginal people, people of colour, people with disabilities, international students, and gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people. CUSA is committed to ensuring that accommodations are provided in all parts of the hiring process as required under CUSA's accessibility policies, the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, and the Ontario Human Rights Code. Applicants need to make their needs known in advance.