



Office of the **VICE PRESIDENT EXTERNAL**

Report: December 2018
Hours: 184.22

Meetings and Events

ULSU

Executive Council (December 5, 12)
Senate (December 7)
GFC (December 10)
LRC (December 10)

CAUS

Call with CAUS Research Staff (December 18)

CASA

CASA Board Call (December 6, 18).
Call with CASA Policy Analyst (December 6)

December marks the end of a really busy year. I hope that all students enjoyed the much needed and deserved semester break. Reflecting on 2018 is crazy since the year went by so quickly! 2018 for me, was definitely be a year to remember. I saw a lot of really cool places in Canada, met so many incredible student leaders from across the country, and worked on a lot of really great projects. In 2019, my term as VP External will end, and I will graduate from the University of Lethbridge after 5 crazy years. 2019 will also see two elections for Albertans. Between March to May, we will see a Provincial election, and on October 21, we will see a Federal election.

As elections loom, one of the biggest projects I am currently working on is Get Out the Vote (GOTV). This is a voter mobilization campaign and it's goal is to ensure that students and youth know that the election is going to be happening, and asking them to commit to cast a ballot. My goal for the University of Lethbridge is to get 25% of students to pledge to vote, but seeing that percentage higher would be amazing! You will see teams of students across campus as tables asking you to pledge to vote. We won't care about your politics, we care that you commit to vote, and commit to getting yourself informed! By pledging to vote with us, you will receive email updates on how to vote and information on polling stations! You will also be entered into a giveaway to win awesome prizes. Stay tuned for more information. I am so excited to see this campaign launch in mid-January, and I hope to see many students out pledging to vote!



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As always, this report notes the highlights from this month, but will not cover everything. If there is anything in the above lists that interest you, but I didn't talk about it in depth, please feel free to email, call, or come into the SU office to chat! With the semester break occurring relatively early this year, the SU office closed for the year on December 17! Our hardworking staff deserved a nice break to thank them for all of their dedication in 2018. Our office is now open again to full office hours from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Monday through Friday.

**My office hours for the Spring semester are as follows:
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 2:30 - 4:40 pm**

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