

Fall Work Report

Overview:

During the fall semester I took on quite a few projects. This semester was fairly packed with board collaborative projects and personal projects that I took on. Fall was the first personal semester where I had to balance classes and board responsibilities. This was also my first major clubs days as a member of the board of directors.

Build SFU

Build SFU was the biggest project I took on during the fall term of board. It was a huge undertaking with plenty of challenges. One of the responsibilities we all shared as a board was to campaign for a yes vote on the Sub and Stadium motions at our annual general meeting. A big proponent of this was at clubs days. We had a club days table set up and we engaged with students to inform them about the project and to convince them to vote yes to aforementioned motions. This was a rewarding experience as we had the opportunity to engage with the membership. One of my other roles was to speak in favour of the stadium project and to second the motion it was attached to. This was to motivate to why I think the stadium is an important project to students and why I thought the membership should vote in favour of it. Another task I had was to present to various student groups around campus. Some groups I went and talked to were the archaeology student union.

Clubs Days

One of the biggest events during the fall term was clubs days. My involvement in clubs days were to volunteer at the clubs days table and give out sfss resources. Clubs days were a

good way to network with clubs and get to know them on a personal level. It was also a good opportunity to understand how our clubs work.

Strategic Engagement

One of the projects I took on was the terms of reference for the creation of a strategic engagement committee. This committee was envisioned to be a platform for the society to take a more proactive roll with engagement. This committee is meant to take the place of the strategic planning committee once the strategic planning process is done. This committee will have the responsibilities of creating surveys, holding town halls and creating platforms to engage our membership. The latest developments of the strategic engagement committee are that it will be part of the governance package being presented to board to be adopted in a future board meeting.

Fall Kickoff Concert

The fall kickoff concert was one of the biggest projects I took on during the fall semester. My role was being the director of production. My role as the director of production was to make sure the production of the concert was up to the standards of our organizing committee. The main bulk of my responsibilities were during the day of the actual event. I was the facilitator between blueprint events and the SFSS. Most of my tasks included facilitating the management of the hospitality space for artists and being available when support was required by the talent agent. Another big portion of the director of production was to help with the fencing and production company unloading at the loading bay. I also was responsible for prepping and securing the ridership for the artists. As director of production I was also responsible for setting up and taking down all the stuff for the after party. This included checking on artists, hospitality, ticket sales and management. This was similar to the responsibilities of a regular pub night.

SASS Frosh

I was one of the frosh captains of SASS frosh. I was tasked with the production and being the DJ of the event. I was also tasked with facilitating some of the events and helping out with some of the coloured groups. We also were responsible for risk management and mitigation

Corona Beach Party

This was the first pub night I did of the semester. It was a welcome back pub night that we sold out. It featured Dj.Yurie and was the first time I brought cdjs into the venue. As event lead I was responsible for managing the ticket sales, coat check and the artists of the event. This event we mad \$2500 in profit.

Halloween Pub Night

The Halloween pub night was the next pub night that I was event lead on. This events main focus was to be entertaining and be interactive for our membership. We had a photo booth which was a first for a SFSS pub night. We also had co2 gun which was the first time we actually had the cannon. This was our second major pub night of the year that we sold out.

Strategic Planning Committee

I was part of the strategic planning committee this semester. It was formed to create a framework for an eventual strategic plan for the society. Some of the tasks that we had in this committee was to carry out a survey in mid-December. We had a general survey go out and campaign. This was a campaign to get as many responses as possible.

Future Direction

Some of the projects going forward I will be working on are

- Refresh Pub Night

- Appreciation Week
- Spring Concert
- Developing a strategic plan
- Strategic engagement committee

Conclusion

Fall semester had a lot of content and a lot of projects that I took on. However, I was able to learn a lot through the many projects I worked on. I look forward to my final semester of my term.