

Hello, my name is Derrick Gagnon and I am running for VP Operations and Finance. I am entering my third year of university studying Political Science and I hope to bring the knowledge gained in that discipline to improve your student union.

In the last URSU election I was elected to University of Regina Senate as a student representative. This has given me the opportunity to advocate for students in a variety of ways. In that same URSU election, I was elected as the Campion Director for the URSU Board of Directors. This has enabled me better understand URSU and has prepared me to serve on the Executive Committee.

URSU is in a better financial position than it has ever been and I believe now is the time to begin expanding services. Welcome week is the largest event held on campus and is the thing URSU is best known for. Last year, the Welcome Week Committee and I brought Vanic to the University which resulted in the largest concert ever held on campus. If elected I will bring someone bigger for an even better concert and welcome week!

I want to continue to build the financial stability of the organization. I will ensure that the budget accurately reflects the demands of students. In addition I will expand services while being fiscally responsible.

This past year has given me the knowledge and experience necessary to ensure that your money is handled responsibly.