

SGA/AGÉ Vice President Of Policy and Advocacy

Position Type: Full-Time May 1st, 2019 to September 4th, 2019; Part-Time from September 4th to April 30th, 2020
Compensation: \$23,500 yearly salary
Deadline to Apply: January 28th, 2019 at Noon

Call For Nominations:

The Students' General Association invites returning students who are interested in running for Vice President of Policy and Advocacy to fill out a nomination form at <https://sgaage.typeform.com/to/u7T6aY> by 12:00 pm, January 28th, 2019. Candidates must also be present at the SGA/AGÉ Board Meeting at 7:00 pm on January 30th, 2019 for ratification. Once ratified, successful candidates will be chosen by student vote in the February General Election of the Students' General Association.

Association Information:

The SGA/AGÉ is the largest bilingual undergraduate association at Laurentian University. The SGA/AGÉ is a nonprofit organization that exists to serve the students. There are approximately 5000 SGA/AGÉ student members at Laurentian University. We provide comprehensive representation, services, social and cultural enhancements to the student body. We create opportunities, encourage communication and participation, support growth and we make the time spent as a student more enjoyable. In addition to the Health Plan and U-Pass, SGA/AGÉ fees help fund over 50 clubs, the student Food Bank, CKLU 96.7fm Radio, The Lambda newspaper, the Voyageur Café and Student Center, the Pub Downunder, as well as numerous bursaries and grants.

Position Description:

As an Executive member of the SGA/AGÉ, you will be responsible for providing oversight for the association as part of the Executive Team. You will liaise with staff members to achieve goals and provide programming for students. The Vice President of Policy and Advocacy shall advocate on behalf of the student body to University and government officials, on any issue of note. Specifically, the Vice President of Policy and Advocacy shall be responsible for raising awareness of key issues among the student body, and to respond to these issues by developing new, student driven initiatives. They will be responsible for the development of new policies and services, in conjunction with the Executive, and University and community partners.

Position Requirements/Qualifications:

The ideal candidate for this position will possess excellent organizational and promotional skills, familiarity with computers and email systems, and the ability to be self-driven and motivated. The Vice President of Policy and Advocacy will be responsible for leading student campaigns

and causes, and to promote services that benefit them. In addition, the Vice President of Policy and Advocacy position requires a strong understanding of policy creation and development, as they will be working with the Executive, and the University on various issues. Bilingual oral and written abilities will be considered an asset.

By submitting an application, the candidate acknowledges that they meet the requirements of the position and will perform it consistently to the best of their ability for their term in office. This position is only open to current SGA/AGÉ students returning for the 2019/20 academic year. Candidates may not be nominated for more than one elected position.

At the time of their induction every Executive member shall be:

- A. At least eighteen years of age;
- B. Not disqualified from holding their position under this or any other Bylaw;
- C. Legally eligible to work in Canada;
- D. A member of the Association; and
- E. A student of Laurentian University.

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