



Bylaw Committee

July 5, 2022
15:00 MDT
In Person: SUB 6-06
Online: [Zoom](#)

The University of Alberta and the University of Alberta Students' Union occupy Indigenous land in amiskwaciswâskahikan (Beaver Hills House), on Treaty 6 territory. From time immemorial, the banks along the river valley have been known as the Pehonan, a meeting place for the nêhiyawak (Cree), the Niitsitapi (Blackfoot), Métis, Dênesułinê (Dene), Ojibway/Saulteaux/Anishinaabe, Haudenosaunee and others. The University, the Students' Union and much of the city are located on the unlawfully stolen land of the forcibly removed Papaschase Cree.

We acknowledge that sharing this land gives each of us the responsibility to research the historic contexts of Treaty 6, to reflect on our personal relationships to the land, the Nations we've named, and to our roles in upholding justice on this territory. Since they began, the Students' Union and the University have benefited from historic and ongoing dispossession of land and resources from Indigenous Peoples. As a result, it is our responsibility to seek the restitution of this land and its resources. Finally, we seek to do better by working to make our learning, research, and governance align with the histories, languages, teachings, and cultures of First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Peoples in the land presently occupied by the Canadian state.

We encourage critical reflection by asking the following question. In relation to the territory on which you are situated, what role do you play in strengthening the resistance and resurgence of Indigenous students within your communities?

ATTENDANCE

NAME	PROXY	PRESENT
Voting Members		
Levi Flaman (Chair)		Y
Daniela Carbajal Velez		Y
Simran Dhillon		0.5
Jaida Han		N
David Lee		Y
Abner Monteiro		Y
Adrian Wattamaniuk		Y
Non-Voting Members & Guests		
Courtney Graham		

AGENDA (Bylaw-2022-03)

2022-03/1 INTRODUCTION

2022-03/1a Call to Order

2022-03/1b Approval of Agenda

WATTAMANIUK ▾ / CARBAJAL VELEZ ▾ move to approve the agenda

2022-03/1c Approval of Minutes

WATTAMANIUK ▾ / CARBAJAL VELEZ ▾ move to approve the [BC-2022-01](#) minutes

WATTAMANIUK ▾ / CARBAJAL VELEZ ▾ move to approve the [BC-2022-02](#) minutes

2022-03/1d Chair's Business

2022-03/2 QUESTION/DISCUSSION PERIOD

2022-03/2a

- Composition of Students' Council
- Bylaw 100 Renewal
 - [Bylaw 100: Governance](#) First Draft
 - [Regulation 110: Students' Council](#) First Draft
 - [Regulation 111: Students' Council Standing Orders](#) First Draft
 - [Regulation 120: Committees of Students' Council](#) First Draft

2022-03/3 COMMITTEE BUSINESS

2022-03/4 ADJOURNMENT