



University Students' Council – Position Description

Position Title:	Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator
Supervisor:	Vice-President External Affairs
Remuneration:	Honoraria \$1000 (\$500 per semester)
Hours of Work:	5-7 hours per week average, 10-15 hours during peak time
Term:	June 1 st – April 30 th

OVERVIEW:

Elevate the status of provincial and federal advocacy initiatives by developing and implementing at least 1 provincial and federal campaigns per term to highlight advocacy work and to engage and educate students in provincial and federal campaigns. The coordinator will also implement any relevant Ontario Undergraduate Student Alliance campaigns.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Collaborate with the Vice President External Affairs team to prioritize provincial and federal campaign ideas.
- Recruit and select a team of volunteers, alongside the Municipal Campaigns coordinator to help develop and implement external affairs campaigns.
- Develop campaign plans and materials with volunteer committee.
- Complete all logistics necessary to run a successful campaign, including liaising with USC Promotions, on-campus and external stakeholders, Ontario Undergraduate Student Alliance Home Office, relevant USC support, and volunteers coordination.
- Engage with community stakeholders to find areas of collaboration.
- If there is an election, run a Get Out The Vote campaign to promote student voting.
- Complete an interim report at the end of the fall academic term (December) and a final report at the end of the winter academic term (April) in compliance with the USC's Final Reports Procedure.
- The Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator shall participate in the transition of responsibilities with their successor in the months preceding the end of their term.
- Other duties as set out by the Vice-President External Affairs.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- All Coordinators must be an undergraduate student as defined by Western University during the school year they are in the Coordinator role.
- A Coordinator cannot be a USC Councillor during their term as a Coordinator.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS and ABILITIES:

- **Interpersonal Communication:** The Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator position requires strong interpersonal communication skills, given the need to work concurrently with a number of project stakeholders. Able to provide constructive feedback to project stakeholders and communicate expectations effectively through written and oral mediums.
- **Project Management:** The Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator will act as project manager for all the projects incumbent upon the Committee to accomplish. Strong organizational and time management skills are paramount to the success of these projects. The Recognition & Award Programs Coordinator should be flexible, able to critically assess and troubleshoot problems and demonstrate effective problem solving in the role.
- **Group Facilitation:** In leading the Committee, the Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator should have effective group facilitation skills to ensure a positive and productive experience for all members. Willing to utilize a diverse range of team member skills, recognizes how team members can serve to complement one another. Able to effectively facilitate team decision-making processes, especially when navigating collaborative creativity among team members. Fosters team culture that supports consensus building and the development of its members.

TRAINING:

- The Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator will be required to attend all USC-mandated training sessions for Coordinators, as determined by the Vice-President External Affairs and the USC Human Resources Department.
- The Provincial and Federal Campaigns Coordinator will be expected to attend a mandatory Health and Safety training seminar conducted at the beginning of their term.