



## UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' COUNCIL AT WESTERN UNIVERSITY ELECTIONS GOVERNANCE BOARD

**Issued:** January 23, 2026 at 2:30 P.M.

***Attendance at the All-Candidates Meeting (ACM) is a required component of candidacy for USC elections, as the meeting provides essential information about campaign rules, timelines, and candidate obligations.***

***For the Vice-President External Affairs (VPEA) and Vice-President University Affairs (VPUA) positions only, the Elections Governance Board has approved an alternative means of fulfilling this requirement for the current election cycle.***

***Because the ACM was held prior to the opening of nominations for these VP positions, candidates seeking to nominate for VPEA or VPUA may satisfy the ACM requirement by:***

- ***Reviewing the official recording of the All-Candidates Meeting in full; and***
- ***Completing a required sign-off form confirming they have reviewed and understood the content prior to February 10, 2026 at 4:00 PM.***

***This accommodation applies only to VPEA and VPUA candidates for this election period and does not change the ACM requirement for other candidate types.***

***Candidates will receive the ACM materials for sign off after submitting their nomination form which must be done prior to the close of the nomination period on February 6, 2026 at 11:59 PM.***

***Candidates with questions or who require access to the ACM recording and sign-off process should contact the elections office through the USC [contact form](#).***