ALMA MATER SOCIETY

September ASSEMBLY

Tuesday, September 22nd, 2026

5:30 pm

JDUC Wallace Hall

MISSION STATEMENT

***To serve and represent the diversity of students at Queen's University*.**

MANDATE

To represent Queen’s University students within the university and externally by working to further the best interests of the members of the AMS, giving particular concern to representation on issues related to education.

To provide experiential, out-of-classroom opportunities to develop skills and learn, through the provision of services and programs.

To uphold the principles of Indigenization, Equity, Diversity, Inclusion, Anti-Racism, Accessibility (I-EDIAA) within the Queen’s community and on behalf of Queen’s undergraduate students.

To serve as a liaison between the various affiliated student societies

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    b. Vice President (Operations) – Avery Papoulidis
    c. Vice President (University Affairs) – Edward Sy
4. Observer Reports
    a. Board of Directors – Chairperson Siena Marshel
    b. Student Senate Caucus Chair – Meredith Peters
    c. Undergraduate Trustee – EJ Kelvin
    d. University Rector – Niki Boytchuk-Hale
    e. ResSoc President – Yahya Mohamed
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Motion Sheet

1. Moved by: Secretary Groenewald Seconded by: CGO Mcarthur
   "That the AMS Assembly approve the agenda for the meeting of September 22^{nd} 2026

2. Moved by: Secretary Groenewald Seconded by: CGO Mcarthur
   "That the AMS Assembly approve the meeting minutes for the meeting of August date, year, as seen in Appendix A."

3. Moved by: Secretary Groenewald Seconded by: President George
   "That the AMS Assembly approve the motions passed during the Summer Assemblies seen in Appendix B"

4. Moved by: Secretary Groenewald Seconded by: President George
   "That the AMS Assembly Ratify Arani Hariharan as the Chief Returning Officer for the 2026-2027 term

5. Moved by: Secretary Groenewald Seconded by: CGO Mcarthur
   "That the AMS Assembly Ratify the members of the Nominating Committee for the remainder 2026-2027 term as seen in Appendix N

6. Moved by: CGO Mcarthur Seconded by: VPUA Sy
   "That the AMS Assembly receive the memo from the Social Issues Commission regarding their committee responsibilities

7. Moved by: Commissioner Rogers Seconded by: VPUA Sy
   "That the AMS Assembly approve the Commission of Campus Affairs goal plan and budget shown in appendix ()

8. Moved by: Commissioner Ding Seconded by: VPUA Sy
   That the AMS Assembly approve the Clubs Commission goal plan and budget shown in appendix ()

9. Moved by: Commissioner Wong-Ma Seconded by: VPUA Sy
   That the AMS Assembly approve the Commission of Environmental Sustainability goal plan and budget shown in appendix ()

10. Moved by: VPUA Sy Seconded by: **Secretary Groenewald**
    That the AMS Assembly approve the Vice President of University Affairs Budget goal plan and budget shown in appendix ()
11. Moved by: VPUA Sy Seconded by: Commissioner Rogers

“That the AMS Assembly approve the suspension of the MyIsabel Grant for the 2026-2027 academic year”

12. Moved by: CGO Mcarthur Seconded by: **Secretary Groenewald**
    "That the AMS Assembly recommend that the Nominating Committee appoint the members listed in Appendix H to fill the remaining vacancies on their respective committees."