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Preamble:

During the lifespan of the TDSA, the Vice President of University Affairs, abbreviated as VPUA, has always been a role cemented in advocating on behalf of the students to key external figures in post secondary education with the help of Provincial and Federal lobby groups such as OUSA and CASA. However the title “University Affairs” may be misleading to some students that believe the VPUA works more closely within the university itself, and with University Administration Staff. While there is some overlap, a majority of the advocacy work done is through external organizations. The title of the position should most accurately describe the work the VPUA does, and thus we are running this referendum to change the title from VPUA to Vice President External Affairs, Abbreviated as VPEA. If the referendum passes, the TDSA board of directors through its committee shall make the necessary by-law and policy changes.

The Fee:

If the referendum passes, there will be no fee added, this has no monetary requirements

