



# WRIT OF ELECTIONS

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## CARLETON STUDENT ENGINEERING SOCIETY FALL BY-ELECTIONS 2023

### POSITIONS UP FOR ELECTION

#### First Year Representatives (requires 1% unique signatures)

- First Year Representative (x2) – 13 signatures

\*A first year representative candidate can only solicit signatures from other first years in the Faculty of Engineering.

### ELECTION TIMELINE

- Nomination Period: Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023 @ 17:30 to Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 at 17:30.
- All-Candidates Meeting: Monday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>@ 18:00 Online.
- Town Hall: Tuesday, September 26<sup>th</sup> @ 18:00 ME 3380
- Campaigning Period: Monday, September 25<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 to Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup> @ 23:59.
- Voting Period: Monday October 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 00:01 to Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 16:30 via Carleton Ballot

### LOCATIONS

- All election materials, including nomination forms and regulations, will be available on the CSES website.
- Completed nomination forms must also be submitted to the CEO's email before 17:30 on Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023.
- All voting will take place online via Carleton Ballot from Tuesday October 11<sup>th</sup> @ 00:01 to Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> @ 16:30.

### RESTRICTIONS

- Students wishing to run for a Program Representative position may only run for a seat that represents their own stream of engineering. Similarly, students may not nominate nor vote for Program Representative candidates that will not represent them;



- Students wishing to run for a First Year Representative position may only run for a seat if they are a first year standing Engineering student. Similarly, students may not nominate nor vote for First Year Representatives if they are not first year standing;
- The number of seats for a particular position represents the maximum number of candidates a student may nominate and/or vote for, for that position;
- Students may not nominate themselves for any position;
- Signatures must be unique in that a CSES member may only give their nomination to the same position once. (ie If the member in question were to sign multiple Vice-President Publications forms, their nominations would not be included)
- In order to be on CSES Council, all persons must be 18 years of age or older by September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023.
  - In the event a candidate is running while under the age of 18 and is elected to the position, they will assume the position upon their turning 18 provided they do not turn 18 after the period in which their position's term expires.
- In order to run for CSES Council, you must be opted in to CSES membership fees for the academic year in which you run.

### **CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER AND ELECTORAL COMMITTEE**

The CEO for the 2023 CSES General Elections will be Christopher Montague. The CEO can be contacted via [ceo@cses.carleton.ca](mailto:ceo@cses.carleton.ca) and will respond to all emails within 24 hours of receipt.

### **CHANGE CLAUSE**

Council will allow the CEO to make changes to Dates and Regulations if they deem it to be necessary.