Jordan Schuba, VP External Platform

Intro

Hi, my name is Jordan Schuba, and I am running for VP External for the 2020-21 academic year. Over the past year, I have learned a great deal about policy, conference conduct, general assemblies, and engineering competitions. I believe, with this knowledge, I am the best candidate for this position.

Experience

I have been in the College of Engineering for two years, and in those two years, I have had the privilege of being a member of First Year Council, the Sno-Golf Director, the Vice-President Corporate-Relations, and the Vice-Chair Finance for WEC 2020. I have also attended WESST AGMR 2019, CFES CELC 2020 (formerly known as Congress,) and WEC 2020.

What I want to do

Policy/Representation

As VP External, it would be my job to represent USask at a regional level in WESST and a national level in CFES. My main goal is to be active in writing new policy and amendments with WESST schools and CFES schools; this would ensure our voice is heard at the regional and national level. I will ensure that our schools remains non-partisan and promote this same philosophy to all schools in WESST and CFES.

Conference Awareness

As we all know, drinking and other activities take place at conferences. I will make it a top priority to ensure that delegates are aware of drinking regulations e.g. Buffalo. I will also make it very clear that anything that makes them uncomfortable they can say no to. I have a lot of experience taking care of people at people, so I will be diligent about making sure that delegates are able to make it to their sessions the following days.

SEC

For next years SEC, I want to make sure that the SEC commissioner and I have a solid work plan set up in the summer (like an executive’s work plan.) This way, when midterms hit, they are not stressed, and they set a date that does not conflict with first year midterm schedules. APEGS has also expressed interest in us having a Geo-based competition, and I would like to accommodate them because this could lead to more APEGS sponsorships.

School Spirit

At conferences, it is common for delegates to trade their swag with other delegates, and I have noticed over this past year, that we do not have a lot of cool patches to trade. One thing I want to focus on is keeping patches stocked and unique. Through participation in several conference, I have found that trading patches is a great way for delegates to meet other schools’ delegates, and it is something fun to do.