



LOGAN GARBANEWSKI: VICE PRESIDENT EXTERNAL CANDIDATE

Hi, my name is Logan Garbanewski, but I like to go by Logan Beauchamp. I am running for the position of Vice-President External because I want to represent you and all your needs and interests in a productive and thorough manner to all external organizations and government bodies.

Your needs as a student are important. It's important that we have someone who can convey those needs in a timely and professional manner. I have a passion for political science and public service, I spend much of my free time reading and learning more about the political climate of our city, our province, our country, and our world. I know Post-Secondary will be a major driver in bringing our economy back to its feet.

I hope that I can use my passion and knowledge as well as my wisdom of experience to ensure that our institution and all the current and future students are taken care of and prepared to help lead economic recovery in our province and importantly, here in Central Alberta.

As we transition out of the pandemic, it's important that we take the things we learned during that time and apply them to our future, to ensure the lessons learned are used and that students are taken care of in the future, no matter what the world throws at us.

Our institution will only grow larger as many people will return to school hoping to get back to work. We need to ensure that the programs offered here will provide the skills needed for jobs in central Alberta to help us all get back to work. We need to ensure government gives us the degrees we need for these jobs rather than sending most of our students elsewhere to finish their 3rd and 4th years.

We need to ensure that Post Secondary is kept affordable for everyone to ensure we can get the education we needed to take this lead in economic recovery. Through Open Educational Resources (free textbooks) and tuition regulation we can ensure that students can lead economic recovery without taking on a mountain of debt.

We also need to ensure that government keeps the mental health grant coming to institutions like ours after this is over. This pandemic has been a strain on all of us, getting out of it will be another strain that we need to be prepared for. Prepared with adequate funding and supports for students like you, to lead economic recovery for our province.



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