Student Awards Committee Report to General Faculties Committee

The Student Awards Committee had seven in-person meetings during September 2014 through to August 2015:

October 16, 2014 January 15, 2015 December 18, 2014 February 19, 2015

> March 19, 2015 April 16, 2015 May 11, 2015

At all the meetings we had quorum and reviewed the business at hand.

The usual business is:

- 1. Discuss items of information which typically includes:
 - Alberta Scholarships Program awards that the University nominates a large number of students for.
 - Activity of the Scholarships and Student Finance office.
- 2. Items for action;
 - approval of U of L administered awards
 - review and approval of award descriptions and new awards (24 new awards approved in the reporting year)
 - appeals by students on award decisions

A strategic awards planning working group was established by the Strategic Enrolment Management Committee. The strategic awards plan has not been completed but was discussed at SAC at a few meetings; I chair the working group and a few of the SAC members are also members on the working group.

The May meeting is the medals meeting and all faculty/school medal nominations (students) for convocation are reviewed and selected.

All Student Award Committee meeting minutes are on file at the Scholarships and Student Finance office.

Respectfully submitted by:

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