The UTM Students' Union

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Purpose

- To learn more about the UTM Students' Union (UTMSU)
- To voice students' concerns for the 2021-2022 academic year
- To better understand students' priorities for the 2021-2022 academic year



What is the UTMSU?





The UTMSU

- A provincially incorporated non-profit, formed in 1983
- Incorporated as the Erindale College Students' Union (ECSU)
- Known as the University of Toronto Mississauga Students' Union (UTMSU)
- Represents over 15,000 members
- Full time and part time undergraduate students
- Local 109 of the Canadian Federation of Students





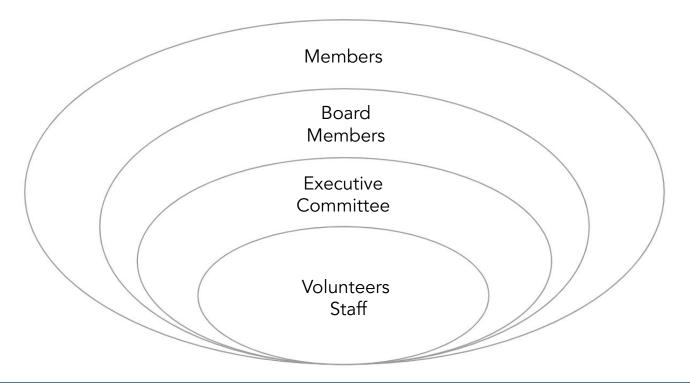


Services Campaigns





Structure







Campaigns

- Education for All!
- Consent is Mandatory
- Mental Health Matters (Me in Mental Health)
- Fairness for International Students
- United For Equity
- Reproductive Justice
- Academic Advocacy
- Student-Worker Solidarity





Services

- Mississauga Transit Pass
- Discounts to Boston Pizza, Wonderland,
 Cineplex, bowling and more!
- Free Breakfast Wednesdays
- Cheapest printing on campus
- Free academic and students' rights support
- Student-run Food Centre
- Peer Mental Health Support

- Clubs and Academic Societies funding
- Free tax clinic
- Grad photography
- Bursaries
- Affordable, non-profit Health and Dental Plan
- Bookable student space and equipment rental
- New services coming soon!





Events

- Orientation
- Exam Destressors
- Indigenous History Month
- Pride Month
- Sauga Fest
- Hallo-Week
- Sustainability Week
- Academic Advocacy Week

- Frost Week
- Montreal Reading Week Trip
- Black History Month
- Women's Day
- eXpression Against Oppression
- VolunTEAM Cafe





Students' Concerns





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- The ongoing pandemic and the impact it has/will continue to have on their academics, mental health, finances, and futures
- The transition and return to in-person programming
- Access to adequate mental health resources and creating a healthy, balanced lifestyle
- How unaffordable post-secondary education is





Students' Priorities





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- Safe return back to campus
- Comprehensive supports to transition back to campus
- Adequate mental health supports
- Fair and accessible academic accommodations
- A reduction of tuition fees and access to free and accessible resources like open access materials and platforms





Questions?





Thank you!



