



Electoral Regulations

CSES General Elections 2019

Campaigning

1. Physical posters must be approved in writing through email by the Chief Electoral Officer. Send an image or preview of each poster to ceo@cses.carleton.ca for approval.
2. There is no size restriction on posters. They may not be placed on glass or painted surfaces as per university regulations.
3. Posters may remain posted until the end of the voting period: they must be removed by Thursday, March 7th at 11:59 P.M.
4. Verbal campaigning and posting campaign material within the 33xx block of Mackenzie is not permitted. Candidates may deliver a single campaign poster to the CSES Office which will be posted by the Electoral Committee on the CSES board in the 3300 block.
5. All forms of social media are permitted. However, to be considered a valid campaign, and not illegal campaigning, the following rules must be followed:
 - a. There will be a CSES Chiefelectoralofficer Facebook account. All campaign pages must be shared to the CSES Chiefelectoralofficer account via tagging or an equivalent mechanism.
 - b. If the social media a candidate wishes to use does not have a CSES Chiefelectoralofficer account, they may contact the CEO and he will create one.
6. Candidates have one opportunity to send a platform. The platform is to be sent to ceo@cses.carleton.ca by Monday, February 25th @ 23:59 PM, two days prior to the Town Hall. If a platform is not received by the deadline, there will not be a platform posted for that candidate. The first platform sent will be the one used, regardless of how many more were sent afterwards.

Campaign Budget:

1. Campaign expenses should not exceed \$20.00.
2. All supplies used will be valued according to the price list in this document. All receipts must be made available to the Electoral Committee upon request.
3. Campaign Budgets are due 24 hours before polling is to begin: Monday, March 4th at 11:59 P.M.

Penalties

1. Failure to present a campaign budget by the deadline will result in a strike against the candidate.



2. Campaigning outside the campaign period will result in a strike against the candidate.
3. Social media campaigning without obeying the social media rules will result in a strike against the candidate.
4. Failure to attend the All Candidates Meeting or provide notice to the CEO in advance of the meeting will result in a strike against the candidate.
5. All candidates have two strikes. The first strike is a warning; the second strike will result in the disqualification of the candidate.

Price List

This price list is to be used when creating a campaign budget. All consumables used by candidates during this election, including items the candidate already owned, will be treated as if they were purchased at the costs specified in this list. This is done to ensure no candidate has an advantage in how much material they can campaign with. If an item is not listed, the price it was purchased for can be used. If there are questions regarding the value of an item, contact the CEO and they will update the valuation for all candidates, if necessary.

| Item | Price |
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| Glue | \$0.50/bottle |
| Markers/Crayon | \$0.05/colour |
| Tape | \$1.00/roll |
| Sticky Tack | \$1.00/pack |
| Paint | \$1.00/colour |
| Paint Brush | \$0.25/brush |
| Black & White Copies | \$0.05/copy(8.5"x11") |
| Colour Copies | \$0.10/copy(8.5"x11") |

Communications with the CEO

The CEO will respond to all emails within 24 hours of their receipt. Email is to be the main contact between the CEO and the candidates. The CEO's email is ceo@cse.carleton.ca