

STUDENT TRUSTEE APPLICATION

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ e-mail Address _____

Summer Address (If different from above)

Hometown _____ Year of Graduation _____

Year in School (Circle one) Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Student

Academic Interest _____

I plan to be enrolled full-time for the 2017-2018 academic year* ___ Yes ___ No

*Candidate must be in good academic standing.

Include with this cover sheet the following:

- 1) Letter of application that describes your interest and qualifications
- 2) Resume
- 3) Two letters of recommendation.
- 4) Answers to the following two questions:
 - a) What do you hope to accomplish as a student trustee?
 - b) Evergreen has both a graduate and undergraduate program, as well as several off-campus programs. List some ideas you have for communicating with, and responding to, Evergreen students from all of these areas.

Application Deadline

5:00 P.M. Tuesday, April 4, 2017

All applications should be submitted to Tom Mercado, Director, Student Activities Administration, in CAB 313.

Interview Dates

April 5 – April 12, 2017

Please call (360) 867-6220 or go to www.evergreen.edu/trustees to find out more about the role of the Board of Trustees.

WHAT IS A STUDENT TRUSTEE?

In the spring of 1998, Governor Gary Locke signed into law a bill allowing students at four-year colleges and universities in the State of Washington to have voting member privileges on their respective Board of Trustees.

RCW 28B.40.100 Trustees--Appointment—Terms—Quorum—Vacancies

- (1) The governance of The Evergreen State College shall be vested in a board of trustees consisting of eight members, one of whom shall be a student. The governor shall select the student member from a list of candidates, of at least three and not more than five, submitted by the student body. They shall be appointed by the governor with the consent of the senate and, except for the student member, shall hold their offices for a term of six years from the first day of October and until their successors are appointed and qualified. The student member shall hold his or her office for a term of one year from the first day of June and until his or her successor is appointed and qualified. The student member shall be a full-time student in good standing at the college at the time of appointment.
- (2) Five members of the board constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. In case of a vacancy, or when an appointment is made after the date of expiration of the term, the governor shall fill the vacancy for the remainder of the term of the trustee whose office has become vacant or expired.
- (3) Except for the term of the student member, no more than the terms of two members shall expire simultaneously on the last day of September in any one year.
- (4) A student appointed under this section shall excuse himself or herself from participation or voting on matters relating to the hiring, discipline, or tenure of faculty members and personnel.

Past Student Trustees

1998-1999	Lara Littlefield
1999-2000	Sinnamon Tierney
2000-2001	Vagmayi
2001-2002	Jaime Rossman
2002-2003	Sandra Ayesh
2003-2004	Anthony Sermonti
2004-2005	Diyami Allen
2005-2006	Jayne Kaszynski
2006-2007	Jay Carmony
2007-2008	Robert Segura, Alexandra Valin
2008-2009	Brittany Newhouse
2009-2010	Dixon McReynolds
2010-2011	Nathan Brockett
2011-2012	Wilbert Pina
2012-2013	Erin Harms
2013-2014	Talia Goldberg
2014-2015	Nicholas Wooten
2015-2016	Emily Dunn-Wilder
2016-2017	Rhianna Hruska