

STUDENT SENATE CABINET APPLICATIONS
2015-2016

Name:

Current Class Year: Fy So Jr Sr

Email:

Major(s):

Minor(s):

Circle when you will be on campus: Fall Semester January Term Spring Semester

Faculty/Staff Reference:

Current/past campus involvements:

Campus involvements for 2015-2016:

For which Cabinet positions are you applying? Rank all that apply in order of interest.

- Diversity Committee Chair
- Public Relations Committee Chair
- Health & Housing Committee Chair
- Student & Academic Affairs Committee Chair
- Parliamentarian
- Finance Director (\$250 stipend per semester)
- Finance Controller (\$250 stipend per semester)
- Technology Director (\$250 stipend per semester)
- Administrative Director (\$250 stipend per semester)

Written Responses (please type a 200-600 word response to all that apply)

- 1. What are the primary responsibilities of Student Senate?**
- 2. How can Student Senate be improved?**
- 3. What perspective and voice do you bring to the Student Senate Cabinet and Body?**
- 4. What specific projects or initiatives do you have for each of the positions you have listed?**

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS DUE FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2015 AT 4:00 PM
TO RASMUSSEN PANZER@GUSTAVUS.EDU OR THE DEAN OF STUDENTS OFFICE

5. Position-Specific Question (respond for all positions for which you are applying):

Diversity Committee Chair: *how should Student Senate contribute to issues of diversity in the Gustavus community, and how will you lead that contribution?*

Public Relations Committee Chair: *what issues does the Student Senate image face, and how will you resolve them? Separately, what graphic design experience do you have?*

Health & Housing Committee Chair: *how does Student Senate fit the network of organizations and departments advancing the wellbeing of the Student Body?*

Student & Academic Affairs Committee Chair: *how are you capable of keeping a pulse on the Student Body and campus community?*

Finance Committee Chair: *what experience, if any, do you have handling budgets? In what ways can the Senate finance process be improved, and how will you handle conflict over budgets?*

Technology Director: *what are some ways Student Senate can remain informed of the technological needs of the students?*

Administrative Director: *how will you collect, preserve, and share the various information you will curate in this position?*

Parliamentarian: *to what degree of rigidity and formality should Student Senate utilize Robert's Rules of Order, and what are the benefits of using parliamentary procedure?*

Controller: *what are the primary responsibilities and benefits of serving as the controller of Student Senate's accounts?*