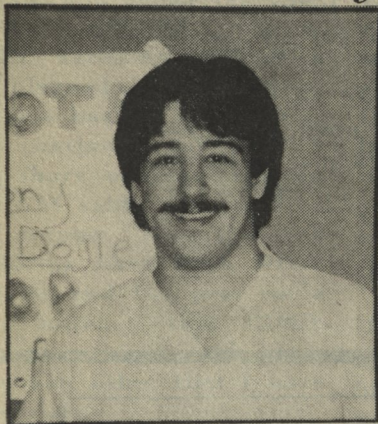


Your Candidates for Vice-President Communications

Tony Doyle



Hi. I'm Tony Doyle and I am running for Vice President of Communications. Some of you probably already know me through my campaign for V.P.O., well I lost and that is history.

I feel that running for V.P.C. will let you the voters realize that I am very eager to serve you, on the council here.

If elected for V.P.C. I intend to fill the position to the best of my capability, as I imagine all the candidates

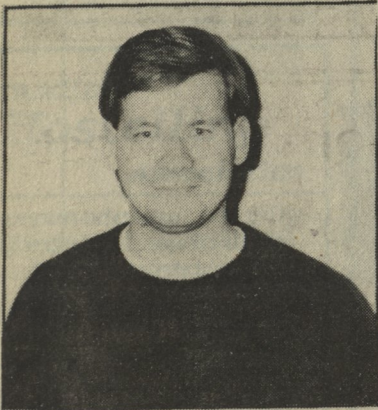
would. The V.P.C. is a very important position as he, since all the candidates are males, will have the responsibility of informing all students of what is happening around campus. This includes things such as the issue of under funding, how the sports teams are doing, and what is happening at the Barn each night.

The area which is not as obvious, is the way in which the V.P.C. keeps the faculty and the administration informed on how the students feel. This will probably be the most demanding part of the V.P.C. position as there are many areas the students have strong opinions about.

In conclusion, I would appreciate all the support possible and wish the other candidates luck. "Good luck guys."

—Tony Doyle

Derrick Webber



Hello. My name is Derrick Webber and I'm running for the new Student Council position of Vice-President Communications (VPC) to be elected April 6th and 7th.

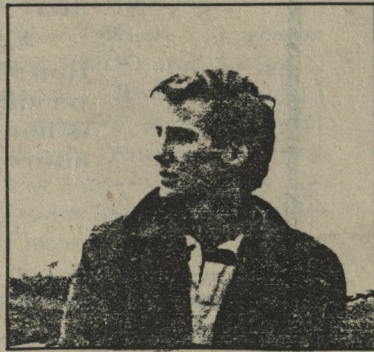
What's this VPC thing about, anyway? The position has been set up to increase communication between the Student Union and the students, the UPEI administration, and off campus to government officials and high schools. The VPC will also be the link between UPEI Student Services and the Student Union. Writing press releases, letters, and reports from the SU will be expected as well. VPC is not supposed to be a Public Relations job, where the duty is to paint the Student Union rosy, but rather a job of relating information, good

or bad, between the SU and The Real World.

Whoever is elected VPC will have to not only know what is going on around UPEI, but be able to communicate it well. A VPC with no experience writing, or who cannot write without using snowy verbiage will be next to useless.

For the past three semesters I have been Editor-in-Chief of The Gem Student Newspaper. I have researched and reported on such events as the problems at CIMN radio, the Main Building renovations, the university fund raising campaign and much more. Gathering information and presenting it in a concise, objective way has been my job. By being editor, I have direct experience and knowledge of the UPEI Administration and the Student Union and know who to talk to when things need to be said. I believe my successes with the paper will be a great asset to the communications duties of VPC.

The VPC will also be responsible for summarizing Student Council meetings so you, the student, will know



Hello. My name is Ian Wood, I'm 22 years old, my major is Economics, and I would very much like to be your first Vice-President Communications for the semester year 1988-89. After spending some very rewarding and enlightening time away from the Island I have returned to UPEI to acquire my bachelors degree, in preparation for a Masters degree in Economics (hopefully at Queens or McMaster University in Ontario).

That's enough about me for the moment. Let me tell you something about the VP Communications (VPC) position; and why I ask for

Ian Wood

your mandate to take on this position as best I can. First, in as simple a manner as possible, let me tell you just what I'm running for. The following report is taken directly from the Report of the VPC Review Committee:

"The general goal of creating a VPC is to establish a much greater knowledge on and off campus regarding all aspects of the Student Union. The administration and faculty are virtually ignorant of our policies and processes and considering that Student Services is ultimately concerned with students, as we are, it is essential that a permanent liason be formed."

What this means, essentially, is that the Student Union and the University (an entity) aren't necessarily always riding the same wave, and indeed aren't even always on the same ocean. And that brings us to the first and maybe one of the most important jobs of the future VPC... to act as a link between the SU and the administration so that possible conflicts can be seen

in advance and be worked out before possible harm can be done. To bring the right and the left hand together to build a better future for ourselves and those to follow. Also the VPC will be responsible for the equally as important task of promoting active communication between the student body and the elected officials, employees and volunteers of the Student Union. The VPC shall also work in conjunction with the President to be responsible for communication with the community, both provincial and national, and with the various organizations with which the UPEISU shares common interests with, for example, The Canadian federation of Students and/or The Canadian University Press.

I'll try to not go on much longer. In any elected position there are certain responsibilities you must take and specific goals that you must set. These goals, I'm sure, are the same for every candidate before you, to work for a more efficient, successful,—

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Kent Ford

Good day! For those who don't know me, my name is E. Kent Ford and I am a candidate for the recently created Student Union Executive position of Vice President Communications. The office of VPC performs a wide variety of communications functions between various outside bodies and the UPEI Student Union.

As a newly created office, it will require an individual with a strong working knowledge of the university and the student population to firmly establish its position on council and make its' presence felt. As a Junior in Political Studies and a person who has a good deal

of experience in university activities, ranging from being vice-chairman of Le Club Politique to participating in intramural sports, I feel confident I can offer both experience in and knowledge of the university community.

In addition to my on-campus experience in public relations, I have extensive job-related knowledge of what is required of the VPC through my employment as a sales representative for local firms.

My studies in politics are a major asset because it has given me a strong understanding of group-related work and channeling that work through mediums of communication.

The new position of VPC requires a dedicated individual with strong communications skills and the experience to use them correctly. I feel, based on my past record as both a student and member of the community, that I possess the necessary factors. A VPC who doesn't communicate is a useless one, so if you have any questions or you just want to voice an opinion, please don't hesitate to share them with me. The election is April 6 and 7th and thank you for your support.

—Kent Ford

what they're up to. In the past I have attended and reported on the events at many SU meetings for the newspaper and am very familiar with what goes on at them.

Beside newspaper work,

last summer I wrote a book for the UPEI Computer Centre describing a typesetting program available on the VAX computer and also typeset the VAX User Guide. I run a typesetting business on campus that has help

several students with their papers, as well as produced journals like 'The Canadian Society for Color' and 'The Expatriate'.

So many people run for Student Council because of