

## **HEY UFV STUDENTS!!!**

My name is **Gurvir Singh Gill**, otherwise known as **G!** I'm a fourth-year student and currently in my second year of the Business Program. I am always out and about on campus if I'm not chilling in the SUB or like many of you, hitting up the campus Tim's on my way to the library. Otherwise, you'll find me doing what I do best, and that's volunteering on campus. Whether it is with international, res life, athletics, SUS, and our Student Life Department. I'm a work study for the student engagement team, and our job is to help others and create events with a purpose to it. As well I'm an ambassador and have had the pleasure of representing UFV and multiple leadership conferences across the country. I believe in my phrase, "There is more to the student, then just the class room.-G."



Now you are probably thinking, why do you see my lovely face... well, beautiful readers, I'm running for your next **SUS President**. The President is the chief executive position in our Student Union Society. Someone who is a public face, with responsibility for external communications and liaising with various national, provincial, local, and university groups and committees. Now you may ask yourselves, why is this important to me? The student body needs someone they can rely on to not only be a public figure to the community but also someone they can trust to create positive change. Well to create any change, small or big, one must have a realistic vision. I believe that I'm the one to contribute to creating positive change, and long-lasting traditions, which will shape an image for the UFV Student Body. **It's not about me; it's all about YOU!**

THIS IS SOME OF THE IDEAS THAT I HAVE PLANNED FOR US:

**Create Positive Change:** It starts with you so was going to create our **STUDENT DAY!** There is a day for everything, animals, holidays, family, moms, dads, pancakes, cookies, and even texting. Well, I want to see a day for the US, **THE STUDENTS!** Full of free food, consistent positive messages, and just giving to the students for all they do.

**Create Traditions:** Universities are known for traditions and culture. UBC's got Storm the Wall, and UBCO has their well known Frosh Week. I use these local universities because to us it is relatable. Most of us know what's happening there. Through proper event planning, I aim to bring us **UFV's CULTURE SHOCK!** An initiative to bring the campus community together so we can learn and engrave in other cultures. Going above multiculturalism, and showcasing dance groups, artist, **THE STUDENTS!** It's 2017, a time for cohesion and unity, a time for no labels, a time for students to enjoy this journey of education we are on.

I've noticed this is something that can be improved, and through proper engagement, and planning, I feel that we can put UFV on the map. A map by students, for students, because when I was selecting universities, I had zero knowledge on UFV. I always questioned what is so good about UFV. Through proper planning, it will give us a chance to create a culture for UFV. Being an ambassador for UFV, I was able to network with leaders from universities throughout the country. I have learned how they create the campus culture and hope to implement methods for UFV students. Also knowing a broad range of the student body, and having helped all over campus. Together, I feel we can create positive change, an amazing culture, and a legacy we can leave for UFV student body.

Now from March 21<sup>st</sup> to March 24<sup>th</sup> please take some time out of your busy day and **vote Gurvir Gill as your next SUS President.**

I can assure you that a vote for me is a vote for YOU!

Thank you all for your support! If you have any questions about my platform, please feel free to contact me at [gurvir.gill@student.ufv.ca](mailto:gurvir.gill@student.ufv.ca).