

NADEN QUALLY

**SUO GENERAL
ELECTION 2026**

Vice-President External Candidate





My name is Naden Qually, and I am in my fourth year of studying Political Science here at UBC Okanagan. I am originally from Whitehorse, Yukon, and I arrived in Kelowna in 2022 to study at UBCO. I am running to be your next VP External of the Students' Union Okanagan. I have been involved with the SUO over the past two years through volunteering, serving as a student-at-large, and being elected as a Director-at-Large for the 2025/2026 term. Currently, I serve as the Chair of the Oversight Committee, overseeing the progress and performance of the executives. I am running for VP External because I believe students deserve an executive who is passionate about student advocacy, willing and ready to listen to students, and motivated to do everything possible to advance our students' union while ensuring that UBC and the BC Government address students' needs. I am no stranger to advocating for students and have had the opportunity to represent our students' union at the BC Federation of Students AGM two years in a row, relaying student concerns, building connections with coalition allies, and participating in workshops focused on advocacy campaigns. If I am elected as your next VP External, I promise to stand up for you, represent you, and listen to you. Student advocacy is a passion of mine, and I will dedicate myself to improving students' lives on our beautiful campus through initiatives in food security, mental health, and career development.

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My key platform points/promises:

- Maximizing the Community Meals Program
- Advocating for more Student Housing with Coalitional Allies
- Bringing in a Central Community Board for Posters
- Increased SUO Informational Posts, Tabling, and Panels
- Listening to you, Talking to you, Advocating for you