

Candidate Statement - Education Council - Student - By Election - February 2012

Efimoff, Iloradanon

My name is Iloradanon Efimoff. This is my fifth semester at Douglas College, and I am currently completing an Associate of Arts degree, with no declared major. I'm running for the Education Council because I'm interested in politics – I hope this campaigning process will allow me to get experience in the field. I believe that education should be accessible, flexible and affordable. Please tell me what you want from Douglas College and I will represent it!

I feel that class schedules should represent what works best for students at Douglas College, whether it be more night classes, or more classes broadcasted to both campuses. The courses and programs offered at Douglas make it a good starting place – however, expanding on some of the degrees (perhaps by offering a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology or Criminology) would be hugely beneficial for students. The library and various other resource centres at Douglas College are valuable tools for students and should at the very least be maintained, if not expanded.

Above all I believe that as a student representative, I must do my best to represent the students. This means you need to tell me what you want from Douglas. I will represent the wants and needs of Douglas College students on the Education Council, if elected.

Gill, Karen

My name is Karen Gill and I am a 3rd year Business Administration Student at Douglas College. I am running to be on your Education Council. I want to be a voice for all Douglas College Students. Lets create opportunities and make the necessary changes where we can improve our post secondary experience.

Being a student is not easy and I know first hand the difficulties we face. I know the opportunities we desire for personal and career growth. In saying that, I want to take on a leadership role for students. My role as Student Representative on the Education Council is to be someone who understands you, is available to your comments/concerns, and be a leader to initiate the changes that you want to see.

I take this role seriously and with great passion. Elect me as your Education Council Representative and we can create an experience as students we both want and deserve.

Sincerely,
Karen Gill