

I am currently a law student at Thompson Rivers University Faculty of Law and a sitting TRU senator. I completed my B.A. in political science and history two years ago and since then I have worked as a university teacher and served in the Canadian Armed Forces as a combat engineer officer. It has been a long road to becoming a law student but I could not be happier with my choice to make TRU my home for the next three years.

There is so much that I enjoy about our unique school. Whether that be its diversity, with people from all around the world. Its inclusiveness of aboriginal culture, traditions and the Secwepemctsin language. Our beautiful green spaces and our athletics clubs. As well as the educationally and experientially enrichening atmosphere of a college combined with a university.

But, there is always improvements that can be made, I want to do what I can on the TRU Board of Governors and the Community Trust, in collaboration with the student union, to make school more affordable for all students. I want to help make campus greener, more diverse and more inclusive and I believe that my skills as an advocate, a teacher, a leader and as a senator at TRU combined with my passion for this school would serve me well in these positions. I believe that I would be a strong representative of all students interests and I hope that I can count on your support come March 13<sup>th</sup> 2017.