

## Gazette Publications Committee

Minutes of the *Gazette* Publications Committee meeting on Sept. 30, 2016 at 3:00 p.m.

### In attendance

#### *Voting members*

Jay Menard

Ravi Amarnath

Paul Benedetti

Nicole MacAdam

Regrets: Aaron Yeomanson

#### *Non-voting members*

Hamza Tariq

Bradley Metlin

Katie Lear

Ian Grieves

- There were some technical difficulties that delayed the meeting a little bit but things got underway around 3:13 p.m.
- Call to order, motion by Tariq, second by Lear
- Adopted the agenda, motion by Tariq, second by Lear
- Tariq goes through his EIC report
- Started off by discussing the summer team and the work done over the summer
- Constant publishing of articles and online presence
- Allowed long term projects
- New York trip in which we visited *Wall Street Journal* and *Vice*. Met the graphics team there and asked question, learned about the journalism industry is doing
- Published the Frosh Issue, there was lots of content. It was a successful issue with pick-up, that it had to be reprinted. It was the first digital edition of the Frosh Issue as well.
- Rocky transition into the school year. There were some staffing issues due to an editor taking a different job, a news editor leaving due to school obligations
- Print has transition to become more graphics heavy and having a full centre spread in every issue
- Volunteer sign-ups are quite high but we need to translate that into people coming