

UFV Senate Call for Nominations

Nominee: Colleen Bell
Position: Support Staff

Statement

The role of the Senate is to make decisions about academic matters. However, there are many at this institution whose voices are important, if not crucial, in making the best academic decisions, but these voices are rarely heard at the Senate table. In my role as a librarian, I have a rare view of the institution, its curriculum, its faculty, and its students that crosses programs of study, course assignments and requirements, and abilities and needs of students in their academic endeavours. I believe that this kind of insight into the institution and its students is necessary for Senate to make the best academic decisions, and it would be my honour to serve this function on Senate.

Other Information

1. Degrees
 - BMUS, University of Victoria, 1987
 - MLIS, University of Western Ontario, 1991
 - MA, Simon Fraser University, expected 2012
2. Occupation: Librarian
3. Offices held by candidate (selected):
 - UFV:
 - Steward, Non-Teaching Faculty (2011-)
 - Educational Technology Advisory Group (2011-)
 - Standing Academic Appeals Committee (2009-)
 - Assessment Services Advisory Committee (2006-2011)
 - Teaching Excellence Award Committee (2007-2009)
 - BC Library Association
 - Academic Librarians in Public Service Award Committee (2006-2011)
4. Other professional/business interests:
 - Adjunct Faculty, UBC School of Library, Archival and Information Studies (2009-2012)
5. Publications

Bell, C. (2011, October/November). Using Wikipedia as a lab for developing research and evaluation skills. *School Librarian's Workshop*, 5. [invited]

Bell, C. (2011, Summer). Just-in-time teaching [Review of the book *Just-in-time teaching*, by S. Simkins and M. H. Maier]. *EDC Resource Review*. Retrieved from <http://edcresourcereview.blogspot.com/2011/08/summer-2011-edc-resource-review.html>

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- Bell, C., Dicker, K., & Watson, A. M. (1991). Foreign and domestic periodicals price index for Canada 1991: The first survey. *Canadian Library Journal*, 48, 255-261.