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## New site offers students a number of helpful resources

By Mark Moldowan  
*Kwantlen Chronicle*

The new KSA website is now up and running leaving some students thinking one thing: ugly but functional.

The new site was created after a crippling virus attacked the KSA's servers over the summer. The KSA saw that as an opportunity to upgrade their site.

"I like the new features, but it looks terrible," commented one student about the site.

According to a new interactive online poll on the website itself, 52 per cent of people who responded hate the new site design.

Only 26 per cent of people polled felt the site looked good.

Many students interviewed about the website had no idea that the KSA website had been updated.

The elected officials section takes a humorous approach to the website, giving students a bit of insight about who runs the KSA.

At the time this article was written, the new site now features an event calendar and an interactive poll. The meetings section also got an upgrade.

A new general discussion forum will be hosted soon, as well as websites for various clubs and groups around Kwantlen.

Students interested in the inner workings of the KSA can check out the results of council meetings with a data-base search of the minutes for previous meetings.

There is no timeframe for when the website will be completed. It can be found at [www.myksa.ca](http://www.myksa.ca).

# Kwantlen Student Association

## Message from your New Council

Welcome to Kwantlen University College! Whether this is your first year or you are returning for another semester, Kwantlen is a great place to study. The small classes and breadth of courses is an asset for any student whether they know the direction of their future or are trying a variety of things to see what grabs them.

The Kwantlen Student Association (KSA) is dedicated to providing the students of Kwantlen University College with representation and services they need in order to succeed in all aspects of their lives, educational or otherwise

As your elected officials we are committed to the belief that the voice of students at Kwantlen University College is important and deserves to be heard. We are here to make sure that happens. Whether on University College committees, in the community, or at different levels of government your representatives will ensure that the perspectives of Kwantlen students are heard loud and clear!

### What's new?

- New look and feel, obviously
- New features! - [Events Calendar](#) and [Interactive Polls](#)
- Upgraded features - [Meetings section](#) with a new look

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## Elected Officials

**Aaron Takhar**  
Director of Finance and Chairperson

This is my third year at Kwantlen. I will be transferring to SFU in 2006 to complete my commerce and political science joint major degree program. The KSA has provided me with great experience in both areas of political science and commerce, being the Director of Finance as well as Chairperson. I have met new people who share similar yet different experiences. The people who work in the student movement vary greatly in terms of their values, initiatives and inspirations, yet all strive for the same goal, to improve the life of students.

Personally, I enjoy playing basketball and reading during my spare time. I volunteer with the homeless and the blind along with helping seniors with day-to-day activities. The main goals of the Students' Association are carried out with the help of the elected officials and staff members. We hope to make this year a memorable one for all students!

**Marciana Nahkla**  
Director of Academic Affairs

Screen shots taken from [www.MyKSA.ca](http://www.MyKSA.ca)

Check out what's going on in the Kwantlen Student Association by visiting the new website, [MyKSA.ca](http://MyKSA.ca). Drop down menus pop up from most of the links on the left and can help to bring you the details on who is managing your KSA fees and how they plan to do it. A full-time student pays close to \$100 each term on fees levied by the KSA. The image above is the site's front page; at left is the page featuring bios of the KSA's elected officials.