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## Elections Department

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TO: Members of the Student Representative Assembly  
FROM: Sinéad Gono, Chief Returning Officer  
SUBJECT: Election Schedule for the 2024-2025 year  
DATE: September 8, 2024

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Dear Members of the Assembly,

As per our bylaws, we are presenting a tentative timetable (proclamations, nomination periods, meeting dates, campaigning periods, and polling dates) of the MSU Elections Cycle. If there are any changes to this schedule, an update shall be provided.

Best,

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<b>FYC 2024</b>	
Proclamation	Tue September 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2024
Nomination Period	Tue September 3 <sup>rd</sup> – September 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
All Candidates Meeting	Mon September 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Campaign Period	Tue September 17 <sup>th</sup> – Thu September 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Polling Date(s) (VOC Polling Date)	Wed September 25 – Thu September 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 Thu September 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Fines	Thu September 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2024

<b>SRA October By-election</b>	
Proclamation	Mon October 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Nomination Period	Mon October 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 - Fri October 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
All Candidates Meeting	Fri October 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Campaign Period	Mon October 21 <sup>st</sup> – Thurs October 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Polling Date(s) (VOC Polling Date)	Thu October 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 Wed October 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2024
Fines	Thu October 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2024

<b>SRA November By-election</b>	
Proclamation	Mon November 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Nomination Period	Mon November 4 <sup>th</sup> – Fri November 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
All Candidates Meeting	Fri November 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Campaign Period	Mon November 11 <sup>th</sup> – Thu November 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Polling Date(s) (VOC Polling Date)	Thu November 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 Wed November 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Fines	Thu November 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2024

<b>MSU Presidentials</b>	
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Proclamation	Fri November 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Nomination Period	Fri November 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 - Mon January 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
All Candidates Meeting	Tue January 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Campaign Period	Wed January 14 <sup>th</sup> – Thu January 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2025
Polling Date(s)	Tue January 21 <sup>st</sup> –Thu January 23 <sup>rd</sup> 2025
Fines	Thu January 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2025

<b>SRA January By-Election</b>	
Proclamation	Tue January 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Nomination Period	Tue January 14 <sup>th</sup> – Mon January 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
All Candidates Meeting	Mon January 20 <sup>th</sup> ,2025
Campaign Period	Tue January 21 <sup>st</sup> – Tue January 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Polling Date(s) (VOC Polling Date)	Tue January 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2025 Wed January 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 2025
Fines	Tue January 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2025

<b>SRA Generals</b>	
Proclamation	February 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Nomination Period	February 10 <sup>th</sup> ,2025 - Mon March 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2025
All Candidates Meeting	Mon March 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Campaign Period	Tues March 4 <sup>th</sup> – Tue March 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Polling Date(s) (VOC Polling Date)	Wed March 12 <sup>th</sup> - Thu March 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2025 Thu March 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Fines	Thu March 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2025

**\*VOC – Vote of Confidence**