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## First Year Students Welcome!!

Hart House has an array of Standing Committees which represent broad areas of interest and learning and help to develop programs for students and communities! Through your commitment and input you will learn about committee process, event planning and management, and financial management - at the same time as making your voice heard and your ideas a reality. Hart House has long stood as a place of learning, expression and fun. Be a part of that action - see a detailed list of the committees below and check the one that is of interest to you!

**NOTE:** You may only put your name forward for **one** Standing Committee. Each committee has 1 position available for a first year student as a voting member, but students are welcome to join as participant members as well, even if they don't hold a voting role as First Year rep. Committees meet approximately every 3 weeks - some in the morning, some in the evening depending on student availability.

By completing this application form, you are indicating your interest in becoming the first year student **voting** member of one of those committees.

**Eligibility Criteria:** All first year University of Toronto students.

**Submission Deadline: September 29th, 2017 Committee decisions are reached during the month of October.**

### Biographical Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Current Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Faculty/College: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for the following Committee.

### Hart House Standing Committees

- Art** – Work in association with the Art Museum at the University of Toronto that produces a year-round program of contemporary art exhibitions, artist and curatorial residencies, and educational events. Have an active role in research, guided tours, receptions, lectures, screenings, and visits with artists and curators.
- Debates & Dialogue** – Bring dialogue, discussion and debate about important issues to campus. Develop your skills in public speaking, organization and promotion. Organize major debating tournaments and participate in community outreach projects.
- Farm** – Work and play at the 150-acre Hart House Farm in the Caledon Hills. Plan and execute seasonal celebrations, help preserve the Farm's natural beauty - there is no better place to learn "outside the classroom" than at Hart House Farm.
- Music** – Bring great musical sounds and experiences to UofT! Learn about the music industry from event production, concert coordination, music publicity and booking artists. Write, design, edit and produce DEMO,

our very own music magazine.

- **Literary & Library** – Explore and promote the literary arts through management and maintenance of the Library collection, organizing monthly readings and events, running annual writing contests, and publishing the annual Hart House Review.
- **Recreational Athletics & Wellness** – Help plan and organize fitness and wellness events - organize and volunteer at special events, contribute to making wellness programming more inclusive.
- **Social Justice** – Raise awareness about social and environmental issues by hosting events that provide an open forum for members of on and off campus social justice groups to meet and collaborate.
- **Theatre** – Act as an Advisory Board for Theatre Management. Brainstorm regarding high-level decisions and offers valuable feedback to staff and rub shoulders with alumni and industry professional members.

**Personal Statement:** (maximum 150 words)

Why you want to become involved in this committee? What knowledge, skills and dispositions do you bring to this position?

**Thank you for your submission!!**