

UBC Campus Community Alliance  
Lutheran Campus Centre  
5885 University Boulevard  
Vancouver, B.C.

May 28th 1984

Dr. R.H. Smith  
Vice-President Academic  
UBC

Dear Dr. Smith,

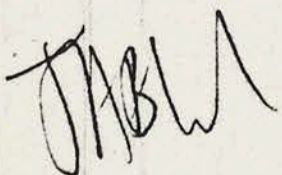
The UBC Campus Community Alliance wishes to communicate to you its support of the Graduate Student Society in its attempt to regain operational control of the Graduate Student Centre.

While we hesitate to make any judgment upon the legal issues, the evidence we have reviewed appears to indicate that the University is in contravention of an agreement reached in September 1982 between the University and the Graduate Student Society.

Furthermore, we question whether the cancellation of all Graduate Student Society functions during the summer (a time when most graduate students remain in attendance at the University) does not amount to a betrayal of the purpose for which the Centre was bequeathed, and an effective expropriation of the approximately \$1.2 million spent by graduate students on the building of the addition.

We are convinced that the vast majority of graduate students support the executive and Council of the Graduate Student Society in this matter, and we urge you to do all you can to bring about a speedy fulfillment of their wishes.

Yours sincerely,



John Black,  
Chairperson,  
UBC Campus Community Alliance.

cc.: Dr. Neil Risebrough,  
Graduate Student Society,  
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