Elections 2021-2022
Candidate Packet

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A Letter from Your Student Body President:

Dear 2020-2021 Candidates,

I’m thinking back to when I was in your shoes filing to run for ASUU President. To say the least, it was an overwhelming time, but exciting nonetheless. As you are beginning the campaign process, I hope that you are feeling lots of excitement and taking time ample to care for yourself. It is incredibly admirable to want to serve the student body in this capacity and it takes a strong leader to fulfill the duties of this role.

As you move forward, I challenge you to think about what leadership means to you and why you are running for this position. If the first thing that comes to your mind doesn’t involve students, you should reevaluate. This position is all about advocacy. If elected, you will be in spaces where you will be the only student at the table. That is a big voice to carry. How will you be an advocate? Will you keep in mind students with identities different from your own? There is a lot to think about here and much of it comes down to how you view leadership and why you are running. Write out your intentions and reflect on them frequently.

This position is difficult, but with the right intentions you will be fulfilled. You shouldn’t be doing this as a resume-builder or for “clout” for lack of a better word. You will carry a lot on your shoulders being Student Body President. Keep your vision set on students and doing what is best for them to make higher education more equitable. What is a university without students? What is the Student Body President without students? Not much. The student body should be your absolute top priority- while campaigning and throughout the entire duration of your term.

Lastly, I’m going to be completely transparent with you… This position is hard. There are many things you’ll expect to handle as President, but there are many things that you will not expect. I could go on and on about the things I didn’t expect- but truthfully, this is different from year to year. What is most important for me to tell you is to take care of yourself and your mental health. Easier said than done, right? I encourage you to create a habit now of practicing self-care and establishing what your boundaries are- this will help you prevent burnout. Additionally, when things get hard (because they will), think back and remember why you ran. At the end of the day, what matters most is what you are doing for students and that you are holding true to your campaign platform. Rely on your team and keep your intentions right. Everything will be okay!

Thank you for your determination to serve students at the U. I am proud of you and always rooting for those wanting to make good change! No matter the outcome of the election, please stay involved and continue to serve students. The U needs you!

Sincerely,

Jess Wojciechowski
Student Body President 2021-22
Associated Students of the University of Utah
A Letter from the Elections Registrar:

Dear Candidates:

I am excited to work with you through this elections cycle. The Elections Board seeks to create a fair and equitable election cycle for all candidates. This journey you are about to embark on is going to be challenging, but I will do everything in my power to support you.

On that note, please understand that I am a resource for you. Reach out with any and all questions, comments, and concerns and I will do my best to resolve them in a timely manner. I want to support each of you to run your best campaign and strive to not impede your efforts. With that in mind, I have a few recommendations for you all.

Your first task should be to become an expert on this packet, Redbook, and the responsibilities of your position. The Bylaws, Policies and Procedures portion of Redbook, Article V has the rules pertaining to elections. As a candidate, you are responsible for knowing the rules outlined in Redbook and in this elections packet and following them. I expect all candidates to run an ethical campaign and behave in a respectful manner towards other candidates, members of ASUU, and those involved with the elections process. I also ask that you keep the University of Utah and the students' best interests in mind as you create your campaign and proceed with the elections process.

My second recommendation is to be flexible. We are still living through a pandemic and as a result things may change. I will do my best to ensure you have the most up to date information about the event schedule. If you ever have concerns about the events or anything else for the election please reach out.

My final recommendation is have fun. This process will be stressful and full of speedbumps, but at the end you may have the privilege of serving the student body. Grow closer to your running mates. Speak with students to see how to best serve them. Learn as much as you can. This is the start of a journey that will be full of surprises and I am very excited be a part of it. I hope you all have an amazing 2022 election cycle.

Sincerely,

Andrew Stender
Elections Registrar, 2021-2022
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A Letter From ASUU’s Diversity Board:

Dear Candidate,

I am extremely proud of you for running for a position and wanting to make a positive impact on campus. The time that we are living in is particularly unique in regards to the social climate and the pandemic. There are so many different ways that different individuals are impacted around us which is why it is important for each one of us to contribute towards helping those around us and ourselves.

As you run for your position and continue your journey at the University of Utah, remember to look around you and understand how you can prioritize the voices of graduate and undergraduate students at the University of Utah. It does not take just one person to strive towards a more inclusive and equitable space on campus, it takes all of us. Work with your peers and set an example for those around you. Understand the different efforts that previous leaders in ASUU have made towards diversity and advocacy as well to improve upon them or continue what they have set.

Most importantly, continue to be educated! Every individual has implicit biases which must be acknowledged and recognized. By being involved and having discussions, you are acting upon those biases and minimizing them. Furthermore, be aware of your intersectional identities. There are parts of everyone that make them more or less privileged than others. It is ok to not know everything but making an active effort through different mediums is the best cause for change. Please take into consideration what I have said and know that the Diversity Board is always here for you towards cultivating a diverse space on campus!

Great luck and looking forward to getting to know you all,

Naga Paritala
Diversity Director 2021-2022
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Executive Candidate Eligibility Criteria

1. The President shall be elected on a ticket with the Vice President of University Relations and the Vice President of Student Relations in a campus-wide general election to be held in accordance with this Constitution, the Bylaws and University Regulations.

2. The President, Vice President of University Relations, and Vice President of Student Relations must have each completed at least three (3) semesters or the equivalent at a post-secondary institution of higher education prior to the day of taking office.

   2.1. Dual enrollment, AP, IB, and CLEP credits do not count as part of these semester requirements.

3. The President, Vice President of University Relations, and Vice President of Student Relations must all be members of the ASUU at the time of filing for candidacy and throughout their term of office.

4. Appointed officers of the Executive Branch must be members of the ASUU at the time of appointment and throughout their term of office.

5. No student shall be eligible for any elected office of the Executive Branch who has not, at the time of filing for elections, earned a current cumulative grade point average of 2.7 or greater.

6. No student shall be eligible for any appointed office of the Executive Branch who has not, at the time of appointment to office, earned a current cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or greater.

Attorney General Candidate Eligibility Criteria

1.1. The Attorney General shall be elected on an independent ticket in a campus-wide general election to be held in accordance with this Constitution, the Bylaws, and University Regulations.

1.2. The Attorney General must have completed thirty (30) college semester credit hours or equivalent prior to the elections filing deadline.

1.3. The Attorney General must be a member of the ASUU at the time of filing for candidacy and throughout their term of office.
Legislative Candidate Eligibility Criteria

1. All Assembly Representatives and Senators must be members of the ASUU during their entire term of office.

2. Each Assembly Representative and Senator must have and maintain at least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average during their entire term of office.

3. Each Assembly Representative and Senator must maintain enrollment in the College to which they were elected during their entire term of office, excepting Representatives and Senators elected from Undergraduate Studies.

4. If an Assembly Representative does not maintain eligibility, the Assembly Chair will present a recommendation for the Representative’s impeachment at the next scheduled general Assembly meeting.

5. If a Senator does not maintain eligibility, the Senate Chair will present a recommendation for the Senator’s impeachment at the next scheduled general meeting of the Senate.

Spring 2022 Elections Campaigning Guidelines

NOTE: The binding language that the Supreme Court considers when issuing rulings is in the governing documents: namely Redbook, Article V. What follows prior to these sections are merely useful summaries and interpretations.

Before the Election Period:

- The $5.00 for Legislative or $15.00 for executive tickets filing fee for all candidates and their respective deposits MUST be paid by the filing deadline, December 31st, 2021 at 5:00 pm (Filing is online).
  - If you are unable to pay the filing fee contact Katie Howell (prior to the filing deadline) at khowell@sa.utah.edu

- Candidate diversity training and candidate specific communication will be facilitated through Canvas. All other communication will be through the Elections Page on ASUU’s website or through UMAIL as needed.
  - Complete the orientation for all Executive candidates and diversity education by February 2nd, 2022 at 11:59pm
    - The orientation and diversity education will be available as a course on Canvas.
    - Failure to complete the designated orientation and diversity education will result in disqualification from the 2022 elections.

During the Voting Period:
Campaigning may not take place within 75 feet of a voting station
  • Voting stations are considered to be any public computer
• Candidates are prohibited from approaching potential voters with a web-enabled electronic device on which voting software is open
• Elections voting will be held online; polling will occur according to the calendar outlined in this document.

Grievances
• Grievances are the method through which campaign violations or infractions against student candidates and/or parties are filed and adjudicated. Any violations of the rules contained in Redbook, this packet, or rules published by the Elections Registrar subsequent to the publishing of this packet will be dealt with by filing a grievance with the Supreme Court.
• The Supreme Court is an independent judicial body. The Elections Registrar and the Deputy Elections Registrar are not members of the Supreme Court and therefore have no vote on the decisions rendered by the Supreme Court. The Elections Registrar will, however, enforce the rulings of the Court.
• Grievance meeting dates will be set by the Supreme Court. Date and times will be posted to the ASUU elections website as the meetings are needed. The grievance process will be loosely modeled after the US judicial system and will be structured to guarantee due process for all parties. This process includes the following:
  ○ Right to be heard (grievance hearing and possibility for appeal)
  ○ A fair judge (Supreme Court appointed by the ASUU President and confirmed by the Senate)
• All grievance hearings will be administered by the Supreme Court Chief Justice. Once a grievance is filed, the Elections Registrar will notify all parties involved in the grievance at least 24 hours before the hearing. Hearings are open and public meetings. Everyone must act appropriately and arrive promptly.
• All grievance rulings will be released to the Elections Registrar who will then post them on the Elections Blog. All rulings will be announced within 24 hours of the conclusion of the grievance hearing, unless the Supreme Court votes to extend deliberation time.

How to File a Grievance
• When preparing a grievance, use the form found online at https://www.asuu.utah.edu/elections/
● You must include a reference to the portion of Redbook’s Article V or the Elections Packet that is at issue. You may also provide any additional relevant information.
  ○ Additional information may be submitted after the grievance has been filed, but additional evidence will be admitted solely at the discretion of the Elections Registrar.

● Grievances may be filed by any matriculated student at the University of Utah. It is recommended that parties internally coordinate the filing of grievances to ensure that the same grievance is not filed twice. Additionally, the same grievance will not be considered by the Supreme Court twice.

● Grievances must be submitted by 5:00 pm two days before the grievance hearing. If no grievance is filed by 5:00 pm two days prior to the scheduled hearing, there will not be any grievance hearing for that week. (For example, if grievance hearings are held Wednesday, grievances must be filed by 5:00pm Monday). During the last week of the campaign, this may be subject to change.

● Respondents may provide a copy of their defense or other written materials to the Elections Registrar to be distributed to the Court at the discretion of the Chief Justice.

● Witnesses may attend and testify if a party chooses to share their allotted time with the witness. The party and witness may also be available to answer questions during the question period.

Grievance Proceedings

● During each grievance hearing, each party will present their opening statements and evidence to the Supreme Court.

● The complainant (party who has filed the grievance) will open and summate before the respondent (the party against whom the grievance has been filed). Through the course of the hearing, the Supreme Court will have an opportunity to ask questions of either side.

● Individuals will only be allowed to respond if the question is directed to them. The Court will then hold a deliberation period in which the candidates are not present.

● The Supreme Court will email all involved parties regarding the results of the grievance. Results will also be published on the ASUU website.

Marketing for Executive Candidates

○ Executive Candidates: Mandatory Marketing Meeting
  ● You need to schedule a meeting (in person or virtual) with the SLI Associate
Director for Student Engagement, ASUU Elections Registrar Andrew Stender, and ASUU Marketing Director Sydney Nielson between Monday, January 3rd- Friday, January 7th. During this meeting you will:

- Coordinate photo taken in ASUU
- Discuss ideas for your campaign marketing (colors, fonts, design look/feel) with Sydney, Andrew and the Associate Director for Student Engagement.
- Discuss what items you would like to have ordered and purchased for your campaign (shirts, posters, lawn signs, giveaways, etc.).
- In this meeting you will also discuss your approach to social media marketing and outline any support you may need.

Important Notes on Digital Marketing:

- Social Media: Each party will receive access to a Canva Pro account and responsible for their own social media marketing.
- Websites: Each party will receive a temporary page on ASUU’s website. Parties are allowed to create their own website if desired, but any cost associated will count towards their budget.

Campaign Budget:

ASUU will pay for campaign finances on behalf of candidates, therefor any campaign purchases must be made through ASUU. ASUU will not be facilitating reimbursements to candidates.

Marketing for Executive Tickets:

ASUU will provide numerous marketing services for all parties and candidates to utilize throughout the campaign cycle. These services include things like t-shirts, poster printing, publishing of a party webpage, etc. and are all coordinated and run through the ASUU marketing board. More details about what marketing options and services are available will be posted on the Canvas and explained during Executive and Legislative Orientation. Sydney Nielson is our ASUU Marketing Director for the 2021-2022 year. She, along with the SLI Associate Director for Student Engagement, will be your contacts and sources regarding marketing design and ordering of materials. You
can reach them via email at:

ASUU Director of Marketing – Sydney, snielson@asuutah.edu
SLI Associate Director for Student Engagement – (Jessica Ashcraft
jashcraft@sa.utah.edu until December 31, 2021. Starting January 1,
2022 email Katie Howell, khowell@sa.utah.edu).

All physical marketing will be designed by ASUU. It is the responsibility of candidates to schedule a meeting with the marketing board to initiate the design and ordering process. ASUU will make sure that all marketing conforms with Redbook and is in the correct file-ready format. The ASUU Marketing Director and the SLI AD for Student Engagement will provide options that meet University marketing guidelines for executive parties to choose from and provide input on. Parties may choose a primary color they would like incorporated into the template design. All parties will be given a set marketing package that includes 150 posters, 20 lawn signs, 2 A-frames, and digital marketing templates (to use with Canva). The ASUU Marketing Board will provide videography services for each Executive party which will include a 1-minute social media video and a 2-3 minute video for YouTube. This video will include your party’s platform, logo, and any party candidates that you wish to include, and will be filmed by ASUU Marketing Board on a date that will be determined later and communicated to candidates. More information about these videos will be sent out in the near future. ASUU will be facilitating all ordering of materials, and as such will co-manage budgets with parties. Details about the budget can be found in Redbook. If you have any questions about what is and is not considered marketing, or about what is and is not allowed according to Redbook, please contact the ASUU Marketing Director.

ALL MARKETING MATERIALS FOR ELECTIONS CAMPAIGNING MUST BE ORDERED THROUGH THE ASUU MARKETING BOARD. NO EXCEPTIONS. Ordering through ASUU ensures a significantly lower cost, tax exempt status and ensures that all marketing expenses are tracked appropriately. Because of this, it is vital that each party and candidate be aware of the marketing deadlines. Failure to meet these deadlines may result in that candidate or party not getting any marketing materials to use while campaigning. Materials sourced outside of the ASUU Marketing Department will not be accepted for use during the campaign period.

Important Marketing Dates & Deadlines to Remember:

Week of January 4th-7th: All parties and independent candidates who wish to submit marketing materials must schedule a meeting with marketing and the ASUU Marketing Director. This meeting is intended to be comprehensive where
candidates/parties can clarify any questions they have about marketing materials, rules, dates, budget, etc. Candidates will be contacted for final sign off on marketing design.

AFTER JANUARY 7TH AT 5PM, ALL PHYSICAL MARKETING IS FINAL. WHAT YOU HAVE ORDERED IS WHAT YOU GET.

The Elections Registrar will notify you when your order has arrived and will allow you to pick it up prior to Posting Day.

It is highly recommended that each party appoint one person from their core committee to coordinate all marketing with ASUU (ordering of marketing materials, approving and giving feedback on the campaign designs, etc.). Designating this person will be required as part of filing, though it may be changed. This person will be responsible for communicating with the Elections Registrar and ASUU Director of Marketing making decisions for the party regarding marketing, including:

- Reviewing all apparel and/or marketing designs.
- Meeting with the ASUU Marketing Director and SLI Associate Director for Student Engagement to review the marketing proposals, designs, and pricing.
- Determining the quantities of each type of marketing that will be ordered.
- Determining the amount of the party’s funding that will be allocated to marketing.
- Arranging to pick up all marketing from the Elections Registrar on the date that it can be distributed.
Marketing Design Rules and Guidelines

No campaign apparel can be worn or marketing posted/published until Posting Day (February 4th).

Each party will request a primary color during filing. These colors may not be: white, black, or red. All parties may use black and white as secondary colors. Red will not be a permitted color in any marketing for parties. Independently filed candidates will be able to choose from colors not already selected by parties. **YOU ARE PROHIBITED** from using University of Utah apparel or insignia including the Block U and/or the Drum and Feather in your campaign marketing. (Note: the hand symbol of the U is permissible in any marketing. The verbal phrase “Go Utah” is permissible in marketing.) Any other questions regarding impermissible marketing materials should be directed to the Elections Registrar.

Campaign materials will be purchased through ASUU and delivered to ASUU directly. Building regulations and rules for posters will be published on the Canvas page by the beginning of spring semester.

If a campaign has any public social media groups on Facebook or any other platform the group must invite the Elections Registrar to join as soon as the page goes live on Posting Day. Candidates are welcome post the marketing that ASUU has created on their social media page. Any social media advertisements (that require payment) must be run through ASUU’s social media accounts. Candidates will not be reimbursed for social media expenses made through personal finances.

- **Campaigning**
  - Campaigning includes (but is not limited to), wearing apparel, posting campaign-related content on social media sites, hosting events, and tabling. If there are any questions about what constitutes campaigning, please ask the Elections Registrar.
    - It is always better to ask for permission than to ask for forgiveness (see section on grievances).
  - All actions taken publicly on social media are considered active campaigning and may not occur until posting day. Campaigning begins on posting day.
  - You will be allowed to table on campus locations. More specifics about when tabling can occur will be announced once filing is complete (after December 31, 2021). If your ticket wishes to table, you must send desired dates, times, and locations to the Elections Registrar. Tabling requests are due on Canvas by January 21st at 5:00 PM MST. The Elections Registrar will organize and assign tabling locations.
  - Campaigning in the Union is allowed as long as it does not occur in the Student Involvement wing. The Student Involvement wing is the hallway on the second floor where the ASUU office is located.
The posting of campaigning materials in HRE locations must go through HRE approval. Postings should be brought to the HRE office in Benchmark Plaza 822 for approval. Any unauthorized postings found in HRE facilities will be removed.

Article V, Section 1.2 states that campaigning does not include reaching out to “approaching potential running mates or Core Committee members.” A Core Committee is a group comprised of no more than 15 students in which each member has a well-defined role and responsibilities.

Finance

All parties are responsible for keeping track of their own budget (working with ASUU as needed). ASUU will facilitate the actual purchasing of campaign items, and will be disclosed to the Elections Board. If all expenditures are not disclosed, this will be grounds for a grievance.

Details about the budget can be found in Redbook. If you have any questions about what is and is not considered marketing, or about what is and is not allowed according to Redbook, please contact the Elections Registrar.

Your ticket may be eligible to use and may not use more than $2,000 (expenses will only be made through ASUU, NO REIMBURSMENTS). ASUU will not allocate more than $2,000 per party. The Elections Registrar will provide you with an official budget after the filing deadline and no later than December 31, 2021.

A budget of $8,000 will be divided evenly amongst executive tickets except in the event where there are less than three tickets, in which case each ticket will be eligible to use up to $2000. The cost for photography and videography services provided by ASUU will be split evenly among the tickets. As such, each ticket should utilize these services.

Services or items given to the ticket with no cost must be included in the budget at a fair market price.

In the event that a candidate is disqualified, ASUU will not proceed in making any purchases for campaign items after the disqualification date.

Candidates should be aware that they should not make a purchase for their campaign using personal finances, as this will not be reimbursed.

Inquiries

Questions about election rules and proceedings should be directed to the Elections Registrar, who will respond to questions within 2 business days (except in the event of an extenuating circumstance).

Inquiries can become investigations at the discretion of the Elections Registrar.

Interactions with the Elections Registrar, Supreme Court, and Advisors

By participating in the 2022 ASUU Elections, you agree to behave in a civil, respectful manner toward the members of the Supreme Court, the Elections Registrar, and the Deputy Elections Registrar, and to abide by their judgment.
Personal attacks and other obstructions of the elections process will not be tolerated and may result in punitive action including disqualification from the election.

Legislative Candidates: Your marketing details will be solidified upon filing. The ASUU Marketing Director and the SLI AD for Student Engagement will provide templates that meet University marketing guidelines for executive parties to choose from. Legislative candidates will receive a marketing package that will include posters, lawn signs, and digital marketing assets.

Role and Responsibility of the Executive Cabinet and Legislative Branch

NOTE: The binding language that the Supreme Court considers when issuing rulings is in the governing documents: namely Redbook, Article V (https://www.asuu.utah.edu/). What follows prior to these sections are merely useful summaries and interpretations:

Candidate Expectations

All candidates are expected to read, understand, and abide by the Elections Packet and Redbook. By signing the candidate filing forms, all candidates agree to be held to the rules and regulations articulated in Redbook.

- All candidates will file and pay the filing fee online through Campus Connect.
- All candidates will read through sections of Redbook that apply to the role in which they are a candidate for. Redbook can be found on the ASUU website on the right hand drop down. https://www.asuu.utah.edu/
- Each candidate must pay a five-dollar ($5) fee upon filing for candidacy. Each political party must pay a fifteen-dollar ($15) fee upon filing for candidacy.
- Filed candidates will be held to the rules herein during the entire elections process including the time prior to filing.
- The rules articulated in this Elections Packet and within Article V permit ASUU to file grievances and prosecute on any alleged rule-breaking that occurs, including rule breaking that occurs before filing deadlines or the publication of this Elections Packet.
- Campaigning to any executive cabinet members of ASUU during the 2021-2022 year is prohibited. Any paid member of ASUU must remain nonpartisan towards any party or candidate while holding their position in ASUU. This rule will be strictly enforced, and any questions should be directed to the Elections Registrar before contacting current members of ASUU.
- All important dates, reminders, and updates pertinent to the elections process will be emailed to all candidates using Canvas.
• Filing grievances and all other elections materials, unless otherwise specified, must be done via the ASUU elections page https://www.asuu.utah.edu/elections/

• Once a Ticket has filed, all correspondence with the Elections Registrar will be documented. As a part of filing, this individuals’ contact information must be provided, although it can be changed via written notice to the Elections Registrar.

• Campaigning in the Union is allowed as long as it does not occur in the Student Involvement wing. The Student Involvement wing is the hallway on the second floor where the ASUU office is located.

Calendar

All dates on this calendar are final, and the only edits made to the published dates will be the removal of events. There may be additional dates provided, but these will not be mandatory if published following the filing deadline.

I. Calendar
   a. General (non-mandatory) elections information sessions
      i. Time and Place TBA
   b. Monday, December 6th—filing opens for all groups
      i. When you file, make sure that your submission is thorough and complete. Incomplete or incorrect submissions will be returned and may be refiled but will NOT get any additional time to do so.
   c. Friday, December 31st—filing closes for all groups at 5 pm MST
      i. NO LATE FILING WILL BE ACCEPTED.
   d. Executive Candidates: Schedule meeting with ASUU Marketing Director and the SLI Associate Director for Student Engagement. Meetings must take place between January 4th-7th and will be held in person or virtual.
   e. Friday, January 21st
      i. Steering committee, morning, Time and Place TBA
      ii. Tabling requests due by 5pm MST
   f. Monday, January 31st – Friday, February 4th: Candidate Materials ready for pick-up in ASUU
   g. Wednesday, February 2nd: Candidate Orientation and diversity training due on Canvas at 11:59 pm
   h. Friday, February 4th: Posting Day, Campaigning Begins
      i. Week of February 7th:
         i. Presidential Debate 1 (Date, Time, Location, TBD)
         ii. Attorney General Debate (Date, Time, Location, TBD)
      j. Week of February 14th:
         i. Presidential Debate 2 (Date, Time, Location, TBD)
         ii. Attorney General Debate 2 (Date, Time, Location, TBD)
   k. Tuesday, February 22nd: Election Voting begins at 7:00 am
   l. Friday, February 25th: Election Voting ends at 5:00 pm
   m. Elections Results Announcements (To Be Determined)
   n. March 6th: All campaign materials must be taken down
   o. Wednesday, April 27th: Inauguration - time and place TBA

In the event of a primary, the following dates will take effect instead of the dates listed above:
If there are more than 3 eligible tickets registered and running for the presidency, a primary election shall occur to determine the top 3 general election candidates for that seat. In case of a primary election, see the primary dates below. All primary date changes will be communicated via Canvas, if needed.

- **February 4th**: Posting Day
- **February 4th**: Primary Campaigning Begins
- **February 14th**: Primary Voting opens at 7:00 am
- **February 17th**: Primary Voting ends at 5:00 pm
- **February 18th**: Election Results will be posted on the Elections Website by 5:00 pm
- **February 22nd**: General Election Voting opens at 7:00 am
- **February 25th**: General Election Voting ends at 5:00 pm
- **Final Elections Results Announcements (To Be Determined)**

Mandatory events and expectations, if elected:

- **April 27th**: Inauguration
- **TBD**: ASUU Training for ALL elected and appointed officers, all day, location TBD

A note on required post-election meetings: attendance at required post-election meetings is considered part of the duties of elected officers, and failure to attend these meetings may impact your ability to serve. If there are extenuating circumstances preventing you from attending these meetings, an explanation and/or appropriate documentation must be provided to the Program Coordinator, Katie Howell (khowell@sa.utah.edu).

**Recommendations Prior to Inauguration**

- It is suggested that you reach out to schedule and attend meetings with stakeholders, who may include current ASUU Student Leaders, Campus Partners,
- It is suggested that Legislative roles also meet with their predecessors where possible.

**Helpful Links and Other Info:**

- [Redbook](#) (ASUU Constitution & Bylaws)
- [ASUU Public Agendas & Documents](#) (contains information on current Assembly/Senate legislation, sign in with your uNID and password to access)
- [ASUU 2020-2021 Finance Guidelines](#)
● University Student Code of Conduct  *Note: the Code of Conduct still applies in virtual settings.

● University Free Speech Policy

● University Conflict of Interest Policy

Regarding the COVID-19 pandemic

All elections and campaigning procedures will take place in compliance with COVID-19 regulations. As of the date this packet was published, we anticipate an in-person election season but remind candidate to remain flexible in their planning in the event that ASUU has to shift due to the evolving public health situation. This may result in virtual options. The Elections Registrar will keep candidates up to date on how elections will proceed. Such announcements will be delivered over Canvas.