

# End of Term Report

## **Problems**

Although it was my first term on Society, I still put together an idea of what we would have to be in order to get anything done. There seemed to be too much infighting to accomplish any task more difficult than starting or ending a meeting, which led to motions being tabled forever, or some righteous causes not being acted upon.

## **Communication**

The biggest problem I incurred as first year rep was a general lack of communication with the people I was supposed to represent. This seems to stem from the fact that not all first year students know how to check their CS E-mail. Given that this is the address we use to send notification of events, votes or other society business, it would be a great idea to see if students aren't given specific directions on how to access their CS E-mail, as well as a short blurb on how important it is that they check it.

## **Attendance**

Event attendance for first year students was quite low, which may stem from the fact that many first year students are below the legal drinking age, and events such as Geek Beer seem to be aimed at the 19+ crowd. It would seem that this creates a need for 'dry' events, especially at the beginning of the fall term.