

13. Get Involved!

13.1 Student Life

- Student life provides leadership opportunities through volunteer programs or a Student Leadership Development Program. They offer opportunities to get involved at the U of M, and within the community, as well as internationally.
- Student Life is also responsible for the Co-Curricular Record, which is the official document that recognizes your involvement in approved programs.

Office: 225 University Centre, Phone: 204-474-9093

E-mail: student_life@umanitoba.ca

Website: <http://umanitoba.ca/student/studentlife/>

UMCommunityLINK: <https://communitylink.umanitoba.ca/>

University of Manitoba Graduate Students' Association (UMGSA) or Health Sciences Graduate Student Association (HSGSA)

- Offering several opportunities to get involved with student governance!

GSA Office: 221 University Centre, Phone: 204-474-9181

HSGSA Office: 114 Brodie Centre, Phone: 204-480-1313

E-mail: pres@umgsa.org or president@hsgsa.org

Website: www.umgsa.org or www.hsgsa.org

13.2 Department Involvement

- Each fall, graduate students are selected and/or elected to represent students on Department Committees. The Graduate Student Representative on each of these committees must attend meetings of the council to represent the view of graduate students; votes on issues discussed, and inform students about issues reviewed that are relevant to them. Committees include:

Department Council: Made up of all faculty members in the department, as well as student representatives who meet monthly to make decisions about the department's direction and its programs.

Graduate Committee: Oversees graduate programs, listens to student concerns, reviews student applications and new course proposals, as well as other functions to support students in realizing the maximum benefit of their program.

University of Manitoba Graduate Student Association (UMGSA): The UMGSA is a campus-wide student organization. Councillors (graduate students representing their department) have two roles: 1) to express the concerns and desires of students in their department to the UMGSA Council at monthly meetings; and 2) to keep students informed of relevant campus-wide issues, decisions, services, and events. Through this participation, student-fees are re-allocated to departments in the form of Department Grants, which can fund department events or projects. See [11.3. UMASA](#).