

BIRDS WORD

NEWSLETTER



STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

WHO WILL BE THE 2026-2027 PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT



**TYLER SIMMONS
&
MONSE ELIZONDO**



**ELI COHEN
&
THERESA SERVIN**

SGA INTERN MESSAGE

Hello Cardinals,

My name is Lance Price, and I'm honored to serve as your SGA Intern this year. Being part of the Student Government Association has given me the chance to learn from our Executive Council, support student initiatives, and see firsthand how much passion our community brings to campus life.

As your intern, my role is to help keep information flowing — from taking Senate minutes, to supporting PR updates, to helping coordinate communication across SGA. my goal is simple: make sure students stay informed, connected, and heard.

Over the next few weeks, I'll be working closely with the team on:

- 1K Survey
- General Assembly updates
- Student organization communication
- Event support and SGA engagement

If you ever have questions, ideas, or want to get involved with SGA, feel free to reach out. I'm here to help and always happy to connect with fellow Cardinals.

Thanks for reading, and I hope to see you at our upcoming events. Let's finish the semester strong.

Lance Price
SGA Intern

Photo By Joe Servin

2026-2027 UIW SGA
President and Vice President Election

★ **VOTE TODAY** ★



ELI COHEN

THERESA SERVIN

VS



TYLER SIMMONS

ALEXANDRA ELIZONDO



<https://uiw.campuslabs.com/engage/submitter/election/start/713706>

Election Week is nearing the finish line and your vote matters. Whether you already know your favorite team or you're still deciding, make your vote count today. Swing by, meet the candidates, snap a photo, and show your Cardinal pride. Every ballot shapes the future of SGA – don't wait, vote now and be part of the momentum.

Vote. Vote. Vote



CARDINALS - KEEP THE ENERGY GOING!

Hello Cardinals,

What a week it has been on campus. The excitement, the conversations, the tabling, the energy – you’ve brought it all. This year’s SGA election has turned into one of the most spirited and engaging we’ve seen in a long time, and it’s all because of you.

Over 600 students have already voted, and the numbers keep climbing. The race is close, the momentum is real, and every day more Cardinals are jumping in to make their voices part of this moment.

Both candidate teams have been out all week meeting students, answering questions, and encouraging everyone to participate. Whether you’ve been following the campaigns closely or you’re just now tuning in, there’s still plenty of time to be part of the excitement. Last day to vote: March 31 at 11:45 PM.

Tell your friends. Remind your classmates. Keep the conversations going. Let’s finish this election week with the same Cardinal pride we started with.

For updates, reminders, and information, visit the UIW SGA webpage and stay connected throughout the week.

Vote. Lead. Serve.



1K STUDENTS SURVEY

COMPLETE THE
SURVEY

TELL A FRIEND
OR TWO

ENTER TO WIN
A PRIZE

"I filled out the 1K Survey because I wanted change. Now I feel heard."



Hello Cardinals,

We're pushing toward the finish line for the 1K Survey, and your participation has already made a huge impact. Students across campus have been sharing their thoughts, ideas, and experiences — and we're getting closer every day to hitting our goal of 1,000 responses.

This survey is one of the simplest ways to help shape the student experience. Your feedback helps highlight what's working, what needs attention, and what students want to see more of on campus.

How you can help: Take the survey, Remind your friends, Share it in your group chats, and encourage your organizations to participate.

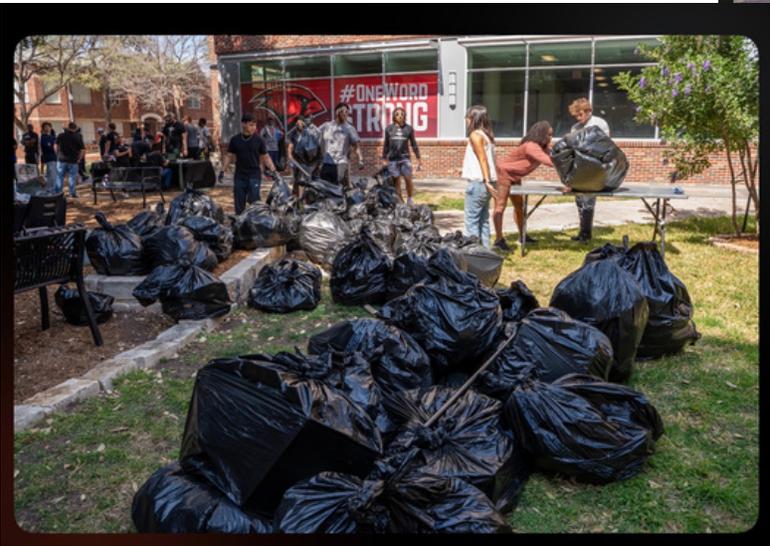
Every response brings us one step closer to reaching 1K. Let's show what Cardinals can do when we move together and finish strong.

CARDINAL CLEANUP 2026



Our Cardinals showed up in full force for Cardinal Cleanup, helping keep our campus beautiful, welcoming, and full of pride. From picking up litter along the walkways to bagging trash around our green spaces, students worked together to make a visible difference.

These moments remind us what it means to be part of the UIW community — stepping up, taking care of our shared home, and supporting one another through simple acts of service. Every piece of trash picked up, every bag filled, and every smile shared helps keep our campus shining.



Thank you to everyone who joined in. Your effort matters, and your Cardinal spirit shows in every photo.

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“One campus. One mission. One can at a time.”

40 CANS of
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FEB 10 - APR 2

WHAT TO DONATE

- CAN GOODS** | Chili, Corn, Beans, Fruit Cocktail, Green Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Mandarin Oranges, Peaches, Pears, Pineapple, Soups, Sweet Peas, Tuna, and other canned meats.
 & Bottle Water
- DRY GOODS** | Cereal, Crackers, Macaroni & Cheese, Oatmeal, Oil, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Peanut Butter & Jelly, White Rice.

DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

- RED BINS LOCATED AT:**
- The Landing
 - SEC Cafeteria
 - Hortencia's
 - Education Building
 - Nursing Building
 - Admin Building (Outside Rm 158)

SERVICE HOURS

Upload receipts through GivePulse to earn volunteer hours.
<https://uiw.givepulse.com/event/848794-40-Cans-for-Lent-Food-Drive>

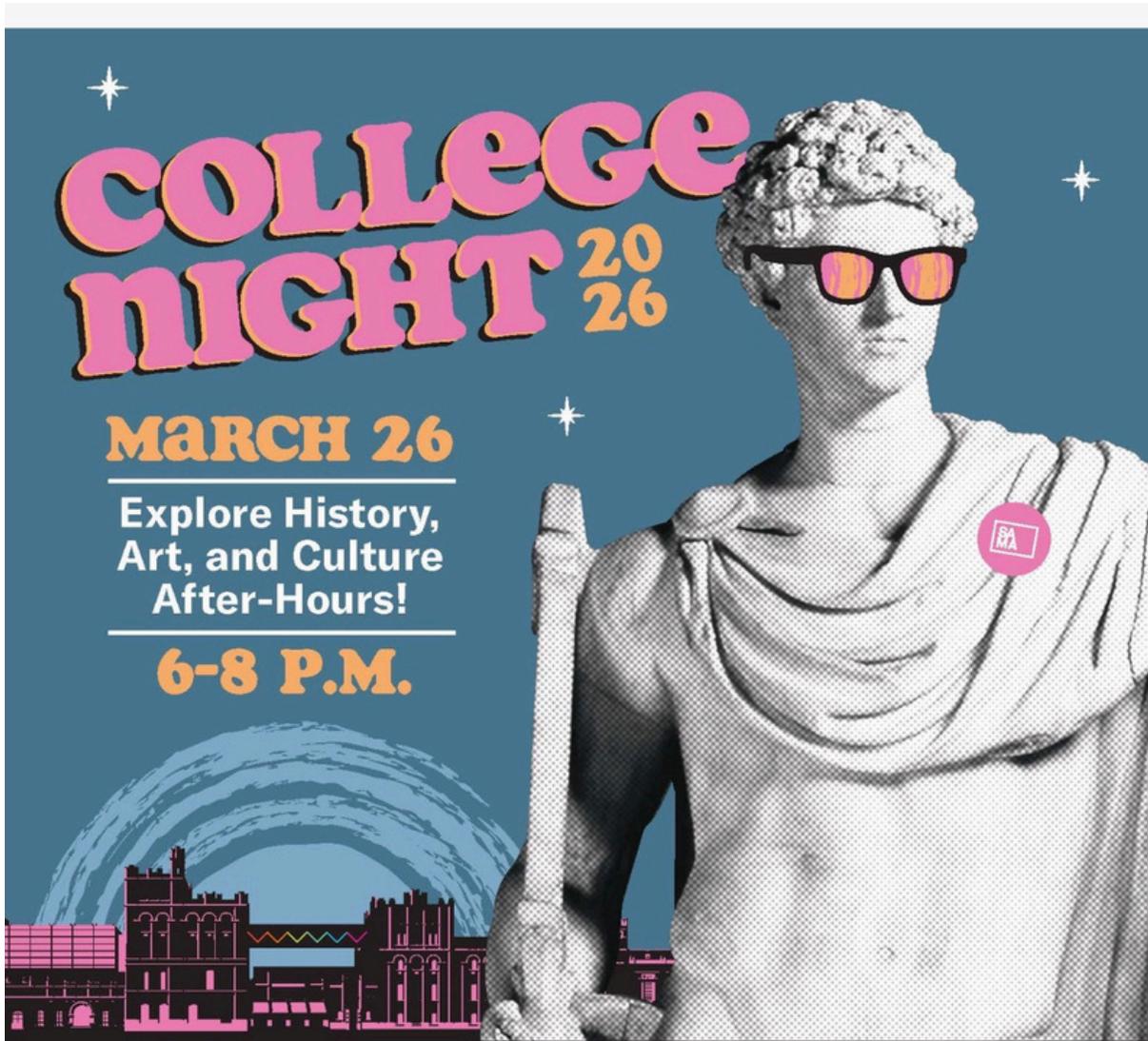


WHY IT MATTERS

Your donations support St. Stephen's Care Center through Catholic Charities. Lent calls us to service, sacrifice, and compassion - this is one way to live it out.

CAMPUS-WIDE FOOD DRIVE

Together we can do this!



ARTMAKING | FOOD & DRINKS (for purchase) | **MUSIC**
TOURS: Bricks & Beer | The Swiftie's Guide to SAMA | When Gods Get Humbled

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- Alamo Colleges District
- Trinity University
- The University of Texas at San Antonio
- Texas A&M University-San Antonio
- University of the Incarnate Word

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required for entry.

PRE-REGISTER ▶



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Hop Into Spring With First-Gen!

Looking for something fun this week? Join UIW First-Gen for their Easter Party and Egg Hunt! Come out for games, crafts, treats, and a chance to unwind with friends before the end-of-March rush.

Everyone is welcome – bring your energy, bring your friends, and enjoy a little Cardinal springtime fun.





IT'S ADVISING & REGISTRATION SEASON!

ADVISING TIME: MARCH 16-APRIL 9
PRIORITY REGISTRATION BEGINS APRIL 10



SCAN THE CODE (OR VISIT THE LINK BELOW) TO TAKE ANOTHER STEP TOWARDS GRADUATION!

MY.UIW.EDU/ADVISING/SERVICES.HTML

Artful Workshop Grant Program Celebration: Inspiring Children's Faith Through the Catholic Imagination

Tuesday, April 15 • 6-8:30 p.m.
UIW McCombs Center
Rosenberg Sky Room
Free to Public | Registration Required



Follow the QR code to Register



UIW Artful Worship Program
Inspiring Children Through Faith and Imagination

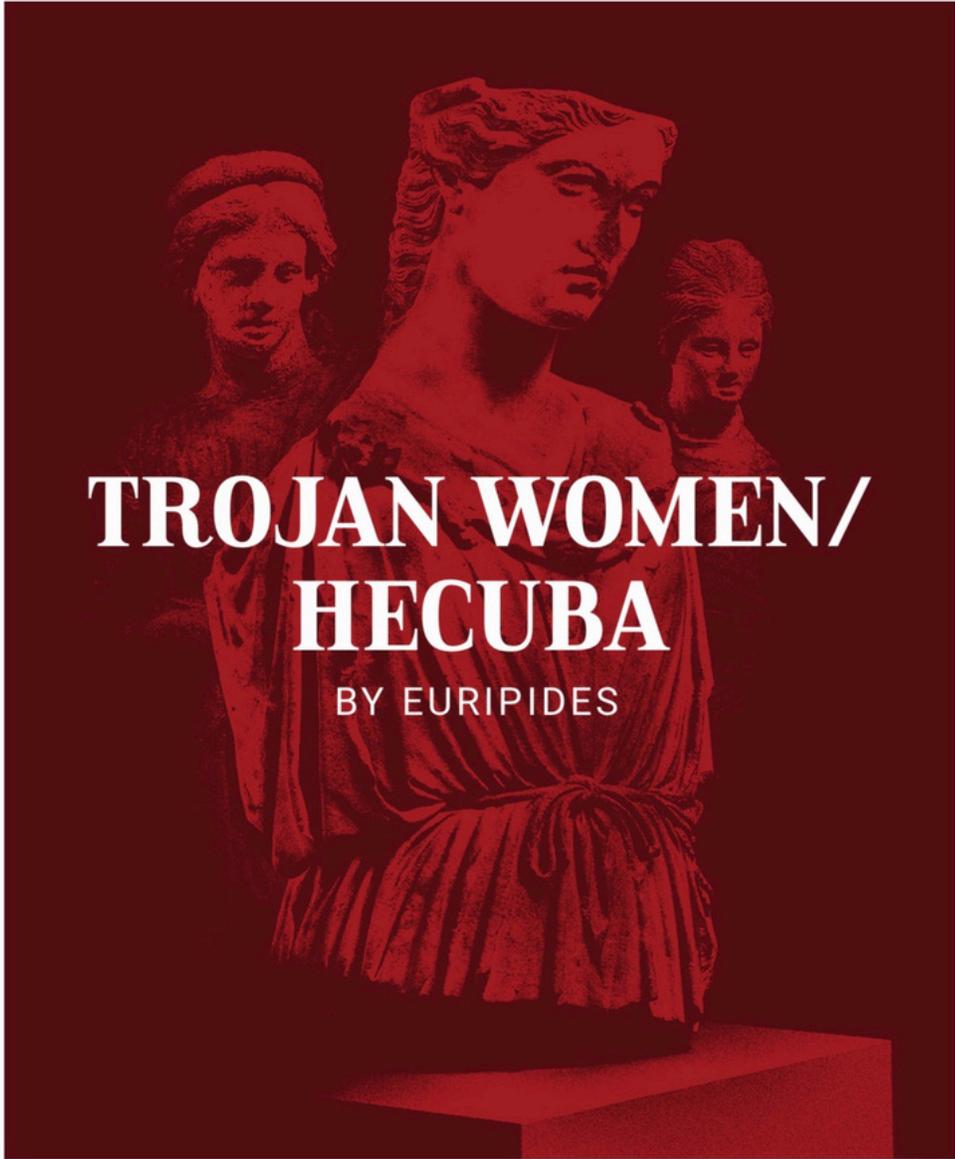
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2025-2026 SEASON



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April 17 / 7:30 PM
April 18 / 7:30 PM
April 19 / 2:00 PM
April 22 / 7:30 PM

April 23 / 7:30 PM
April 24 / 7:30 PM
April 25 / 7:30 PM

The University of the Incarnate Word provides reasonable accommodation with adequate notice. To request disability accommodation for this event, please visit www.uiw.edu/ada. Please note, some material is not suitable for all audiences.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU

CHANGE STARTS WITH YOU

IF SOMETHING ON CAMPUS ISN'T RIGHT...
DON'T STAY SILENT

Say Something



STUDENTS ARE SPEAKING UP – ARE YOU?

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TELL THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE
WHAT'S HAPPENING AT UIW

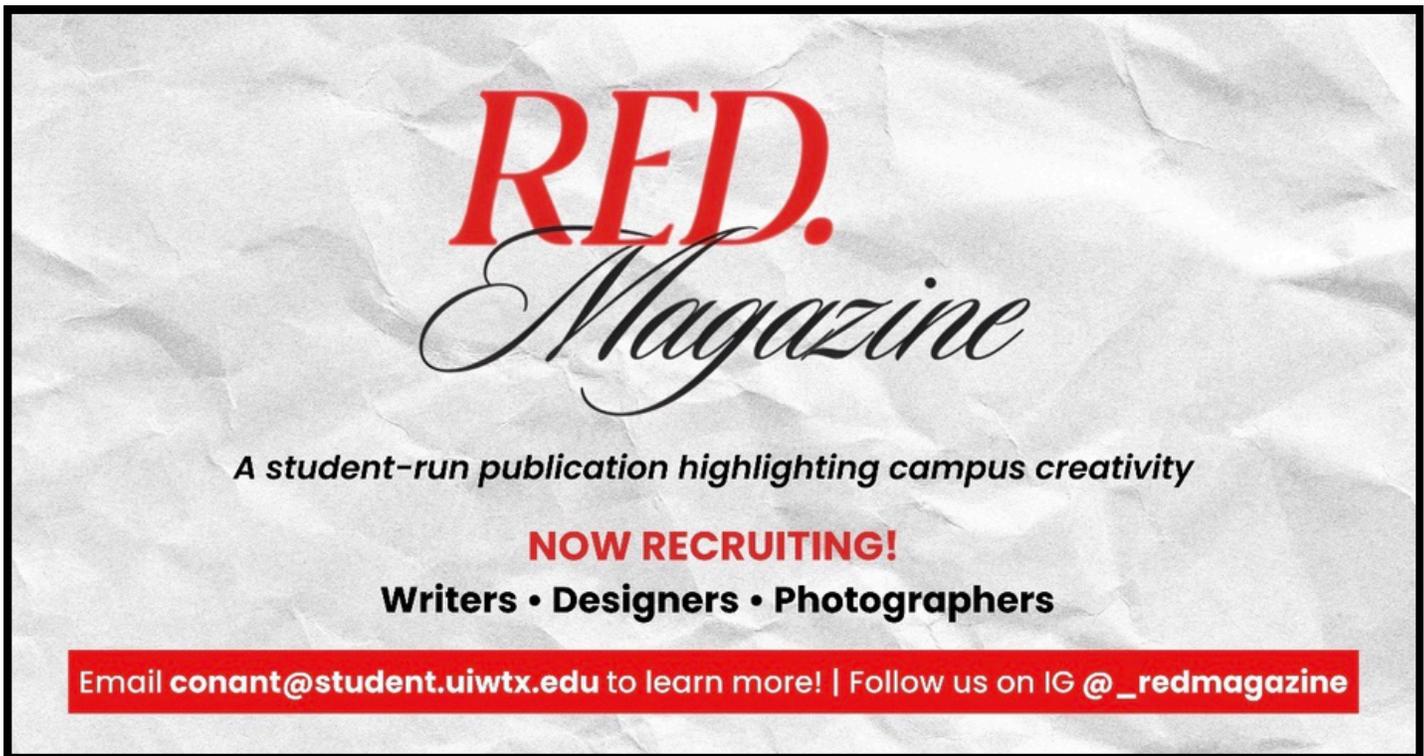
Your SGA Attorney General is here to support you. If something on campus doesn't feel right, looks off, or needs attention, you don't have to stay silent. The Student Concerns system is open year-round, and every submission helps improve the student experience.

Whether it's a policy issue, a campus concern, or something affecting your daily life at UIW, the Attorney General's office is ready to listen and take action. Your voice helps guide the work we do.

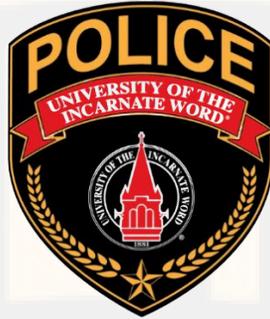
Scan the code, share your thoughts, and let us know what's happening on campus.




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Annonomously**





Cardinal Cupboard

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HOURS OF OPERATION:

- MONDAYS: 9:30 AM – 2:15 PM
- MONDAYS: 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM
- TUESDAYS: 12:30 PM – 5:00 PM
- WEDNESDAYS: 11:00 AM – 5:00 PM
- *THURSDAYS: 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM
- FRIDAYS: BY APPOINTMENT

*THURSDAYS HOURS MAY VARY DUE TO OUR TEAM PROCESSING RETAIL ROUTES.

WE ARE LOCATED AT CONFERENCE 106 IN THE JOERIS ANNEX HALL

Go to the front of the JOERIS building and take a left into the Annex Hall to get to Conference 106

If you have any questions or want to make an appointment outside of normal hours of operation please contact us at 210-802-2607

FUTURE EVENTS

- 2026-2027 SGA Election Voting 18 March - 31 March
- General Assembly, 26 March, SEC 2050, 51, 52
- Limitless Unity, March (Date TBD)
- HOR, 31 March, SEC 2030, 31, 32
- Open Forum, 22 April, SEC JOERIS Ballroom
- HOR, 28 April, SEC 2030, 31, 32
- Blood Drive April 2026 (Date TBD)
- CAB/SGA Banquet April 27th, 2026

Who will it be?

VOTE FOR YOUR 2026-2027 PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT

ERIC BOOTH



Dean of Campus Life

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