

Dear Council Members:

In February, 2018, the Election Committee (Gordon Uno, Chair; Chris Haufler, Erika Edwards; Brad Ruhfel, and Rachel Spicer) reviewed 17 nominees for four BSA offices: President-Elect, Secretary, Education, and Student Representative. Spicer recused herself from the discussion and vote on Secretary candidates because she was nominated for that position. Election Committee members ranked candidates and selected the top two individuals for each of the four positions. All eight of these nominees agreed to run for their respective offices and to submit a background and research statement that was included on the ballot. The candidates for office were: Linda Watson and Tom Givnish for President; Rachel Spicer and Marian Chau for Secretary; Chris Martine and Anna Monfils for Education Board member; and Joel Swift and Ya Min for Student Representative. Linda Watson, Rachel Spicer, Chris Martine, and Ya Min were elected by a vote of the BSA membership.

Gordon Uno, Past President