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PLEASE REFER TO THE <u>ELECTION CODE</u>, <u>ASISU CONSTITUTION</u>, AND <u>BYLAWS</u> TO FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH RULES, REGULATIONS, YOUR RESPONSIBILITY AS A CANDIDATE, AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE OFFICE THAT YOU ARE RUNNING FOR.

#### **GENERAL ELECTION 2009**

### **Election Timetable**

#### Feb 12, 2009

All filing becomes available online and in the ASISU office. Begin getting petition signatures.

#### Feb 26, 2009

Candidate information meeting, 12pm Clearwater Room-Student Union Building

#### March 2, 2009

Filing due date for application, signed petitions, and budget sheet.

#### March 6, 2009

# Mandatory Candidates Meeting—6:30pm Wood River Room (Student Union Building)

All candidates must be in attendance for this meeting. Proof the ballot. Go over rules. Active campaign begins immediately following the meeting.

#### March 12, 2009

Senator speeches and executive ticket debate from 12-1:30pm in the Atrium, Rendezvous.

#### March 18, 2009

Polls open at 8:00am.

#### March 19, 2009

Polls close at 5:00pm. Election results are announced at approximately 7:00pm.

#### March 20, 2009

All Campaign materials must be removed by 4:00pm.

## **Guidelines for Campaign Materials**

Following is a list of locations where campaign posters may be placed inside campus buildings:

#### PSUB:

No table tents are allowed in the PSUB. Signs cannot be posted on doors. Signs shall not be placed in the Bengal Theater lobby. Table displays can be reserved through Scheduling and Events on a first come first serve basis. Only Executive Ticket candidates may paint (1 or 2 windows) in the PSUB, as directed by the Election Board.

#### HYPOSTYLE:

No signs are allowed in the Hypostyle.

#### FINE ARTS:

Only (1) poster may be placed on the main entrance bulletin board.

#### PHARMACY:

Signs are allowed on the first floor bulletin boards; they need to be checked off by a staff member in the dean's office.

#### LIBERAL ARTS:

Candidates may place up to two (2) posters on each floor. Posters must be placed on the **metal strip** that runs throughout the building.

#### FRAZIER HALL:

No signs are allowed in Frazier Hall.

#### ADMIN BUILDING:

No signs are allowed in the Administration Building.

#### **ENGINEERING:**

Nominees may place up to two (2) posters on the unpainted brick walls in the main lobby.

#### PHYSICAL SCIENCE BLD:

Nominees may place one (1) poster in each of the three main floors entryways to the building. Painted areas are permissible in these entryways only.

#### PHYSICAL SCIENCE BLDG:

Up to four (4) posters **must** be given to the Chemistry administrative assistant. It is at the discretion of the administrative assistant where to place posters. NO OTHER POSTERS MAY BE PLACED INSIDE THE BUILDING.

#### BUSINESS BLDG:

One (1) poster may be placed on each bulletin board in the stairways. No posters on the windows at the entrances, ONLY the bulletin boards in the stairwells.

#### ELI OBOLER LIBRARY:

Nominees may place one (1) **SMALL** poster on the bulletin board in the student lounge.

#### OWEN/REDFIELD HALLS:

Nominees may place one (1) poster in each of the three bulleting boards. NO sings are allowed on the doors or windows.

#### NICHOLS/DYER:

No signs are allowed in these buildings

#### TURNER HALLS:

Nominees may place one (1) poster on each bulletin board in the main lobby.

#### G/TURNER CAFETERIA:

Nominees may place one (1) poster on the unpainted brick wall in the Garrison/Turner Cafeteria.

#### **DENTAL SCIENCE BLDG:**

No posters are allowed in the Dental Science Building.

#### DENTAL CLINIC:

No posters are allowed in the Dental Clinic.

#### STUDENT HEALTH BLDG:

No posters are allowed in the Student Health Building.

#### REED GYMNASIUM:

Candidates may place one (1) poster on one of the four main bulletin boards at the corners of the main gym floor. Posters may not be placed on any glass or painted walls. Signs are not to be placed on or in front of the Bengal Tiger.

#### BIOLOGY/PSYCH BLDG:

Up to three (3) flyers may be given to the administrative assistant. Placement of flyers is subject to decision of administrative assistant.

#### NURSING BUILDING:

Candidates may place one (1) poster on the glass to the side of the main front doors with Scotch tape only.

#### LECTURE CENTER:

Candidates may place one (1) poster in each of the two foyers on unpainted brick surfaces.

#### SPEECH PATH/AUDIO BLDG:

One (1) poster may be placed on each bulletin board.

#### **HOLT ARENA:**

No signs are allowed in the Holt Arena.

#### **EDUCATION COMPLEX:**

Candidates may place one (1) poster on the un-painted brick areas in each of the main entryways to the College of Education Building and Albion Hall

#### RENDEZVEOUS (HOUSING):

Posters are allowed only at the housing front desk. No posters allowed on the walls or windows.

#### RENDEZVEOUS (ACADEMIC):

Posters are allowed in the main bulletin board. Posters are allowed on the walls by the use of sticky putty ONLY (no tape or any other adhesive).

#### BENNION STUDENT UNION:

Posters can be placed on the bulletin boards. Table tents are allowed.

#### **IDAHO FALLS CAMPUS:**

No ground stakes allowed.

#### CENTER FOR HIGHER EDUCATON:

Placement of posters is subject to Administrative Assistant.

#### Article 10.5 of the Election Code

#### 10.5 Posting Rules

- 1. No campaign activity shall be environmentally harmful to any part of ISU grounds or facilities.
  - 1. No campaign material shall be attached to any tree or utility pole. No campaign activity shall leave behind any damage to any part of ISU grounds or facilities.
  - 2. No campaign material shall be attached to any glass door, safety equipment or any place that would obstruct safe and normal movement.
  - 3. Littering on campus is prohibited. Campaign materials such as handbills shall be distributed directly to students.
  - 4. Campaign materials shall not be place on car windshields.
  - 5. Campaign posters or other campaign materials shall not cover any other campaign materials that belong to another candidate or party.
  - 6. If ground stakes are used for campaign materials, they shall not be larger than two inches in diameter.
  - 7. Campaign material shall not be place within five (5) feet of any border of any sidewalk on campus.
  - 8. The candidate is responsible for any damage which may occur from the Commission removing signs that are in violation of these election rules.
  - 9. In the event a violation results in property damage, candidates will be required to make full financial restitution.
  - 10. The Commission shall present further campaign poster and sign restrictions at the Candidates' Meeting.

## Campaign Expenditure Sheet

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tems/Amounts spent: Limits: Executive \$1000, Senators \$300, IF VP \$350)
OTAL:

Please include all receipts in an attached envelope.

## **Election Deposit Sheet**

To insure that all materials are removed in accordance to the ASISU Election Code, the Election Commission will be collecting a \$50.00 deposit from senate and Idaho Falls VP candidates and a \$100 deposit from each executive ticket. In the event that a candidate fails to remove all of his or her materials from campus by the time specified, the Election Commission will remove these materials and the candidate will be forced to forfeit his or her deposit. The full deposit will be returned if all materials are removed by the specified deadline.

Date:
Candidate Name:
(Please Print)
I understand and agree to the above statement.
Signature:

# ASISU OFFICER ELECTION APPLICATION PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Date	
Candidate's Full Name	
Campaign Assistant	
Local Address	
Local Phone	
Class Standing	Bengal Card #
Email Address	
Office of Application	
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## **VOTER SIGNATURE LIST**

CANDIDATES NAME:
CANDIDATES SIGNATURE:
ASISU POSITION SOUGHT:
Executive: 150 signatures
Senator: 30 signatures
Idaho Falls VP: 50 signatures

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## Online Voter's Guide Statement

Candidates are highly encouraged to submit a statement about why they are running and what they plan on doing for their constituents if they are elected. The topic is open, though we do encourage you to write pertinent and reasonable goals and promises.

Executive ticket: less than 500 words
Senators/Idaho Falls VP: less than 250 words.

In addition to this, we encourage all candidates to submit 2-3 questions that they would like to see answered in a debate style forum.

Please submit your statement, questions, and picture to:

isu.elections@gmail.com

### PARTY FILING FORM

\* \* Fill out ONLY if you are planning on filing as a part of a party In order for a party to file candidates for an election, the party chairperson must attend the candidates meeting, and the party must pay a filing fee of \$20.00 at the Candidate's Meeting. The name of the party:

In order for a	party to be eligible to run candidates, the names and	
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Executive Tic	ket:	
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# Party Deposit Sheet Submitted at or before the Candidate's Meeting

To ensure that all materials are removed in accordance to the ASISU Election Code the Election Commission will be collecting a \$100 deposit from each executive ticket. In the event that the party fails to remove all of their materials from campus by the time specified, the Election Commission will remove these materials and the party will be forced to forfeit his or her deposit. The full deposit will be returned if all materials are removed by the specified deadline.

Date:	
Party Name:	
We understand and agree to the above statement.	
Signed by Party Chair:	

## Party Voter's Guide Statement

Candidates who opt to run as a party, and who qualify for party status, may submit a statement of 300 words or less. They may also submit a picture or logo to represent their party on the Voter's Guide.

Please submit the **statement and picture**/ **logo** to:

isu.elections@gmail.com