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## Student Body President hopefuls announce candidacy

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Of the three candidates planning to run in the Feb. 13 student body president elections, each has totally different ideas of what he would like to see student government do in 1980.

**Kevin Garrity**, a junior history major from Deal, New Jersey, has worked as University services coordinator. His jobs included working with financial aid, food services, student stores and student health. He is on the student health services administrative board, was treasurer of the eighth floor of Hinton James residence hall and was editor of "The Southern Part of Heaven," a booklet published by the Student Consumer Action Union.

Garrity wants, "Through the use of the chancellor's committee, to have more student input in administrative areas," such as the Thornton report and the Long report, he said.

"I'd like to set up an escorts service that would provide students with someone to accompany them on late night labs," he said. Garrity said the escorts services has been successful at other schools and he feels it is needed at UNC.

Garrity would like to have student government publish a report regularly of what goes on in student government to be distributed on a dorm level. "I would also like to see more lights on University campus. I'm looking into the kind that use less energy," he said.

"I would like to see schedules sent home over the Christmas vacations and before you come back to school," Garrity said. "I would like to fight unjust fee increases," he added.

**Bob Saunders**, a junior Economics and Public Policy major from High Point, was elections board chairperson, campus af-



Garrity

fairs coordinator, chancellor's committees coordinator and on the food services advisory committee. He has been chairman of the board of directors of WXYC and Lieutenant Governor of the North Carolina Student Legislator. He has also been on the Campus Governing council's budget evaluation committee.

"One of the things I'm trying to bring across to students is the relationship between the University and the students," he said. "The University should serve as an advisory committee and not as a supervisory committee," he said.

The student health fee, he feels should be nonmandatory. He wants to have the fees broken up into small fees for basic health needs and an optional fee for special health needs.

Saunders would like to see an office of minority and disadvantaged student affairs on campus or some form of system for minorities and disadvantaged students.



Saunders

"I've already been working on a committee for this. We're going to have a new chancellor next semester and this will be brought up again," he said.

"I've been dealing with the policy members and the administrators that the student body president has to work with," he said. Saunders feels he has more practical experience than the other candidates.

**Clive Stafford Smith**, a junior Political Science and American Studies major from Cambridge, England has been a member of the executive policy committee, which worked on the Thornton Report and the tenure policy. He has written for *The Daily Tar Heel* and *The Black Ink*, and was prose editor of "The Cellar Door". He is a member of the Black Student Movement and is fund raising officer of the Crew club.

Stafford Smith has three main areas he plans to use in getting more students involved in student government. In order to be sure that the students know the rules of



Smith

the honor code and its purpose he feels students should be given a test on the honor system. Stafford Smith would also like to visit various organizations and possibly have dinner with them. He feels activities such as drama, sports or a visit to the national collegiate finals could also be used to get students involved.

"I do believe that South Campus has the raw end of the deal at the moment. Firstly I think the bus system should be made free," he said. "Secondly there has previously been discussion revolving around some kind of recreational activity on campus," he said.

As a means of improving the food system on campus Stafford Smith feels the University should invite three external cooperations on campus, such as McDonald's, K&W's and something between the style of those two. "It's not as if it would be taking away from the University, because Servomation is not University funded," he said.

## Roberts and Shadroui announce for Tar Heel



Roberts

**Ken Roberts**, a senior history and journalism major from Charlotte, is one of the two candidates for *The Daily Tar Heel* editorship. Roberts worked on the DTH staff his first two years of school and on *The Chapel Hill Newspaper* for the last one and a half years.

"I think the students need to have a stronger foundation of state, national and world news," he said. "I think the campus news needs to be more clearly focused," he added.



Shadroui

Roberts plans to put a great deal of emphasis on Ombudsman. Having this person, designated to hear and investigate complaints, to go out and see if the students feel the paper is being done as they would like to see it.

"I think the advantage I've had over George (Shadroui) is that I've had the experience with a professional paper," he said. He said he sees this as his advantage instead of a disadvantage. "My advantage is so much stronger than that disadvantage," he said. "I've worked with the *Tar Heel* and away from it, and I've seen the University as the town sees it," he said.

"I think Blacks and any other minorities on campus should be able to get what they want from the *Tar Heel*, but that doesn't eliminate the others. I think *The Black Ink* has its audience and it tries to provide for that audience as it sees fit and the *Tar Heel* does the same," he said.

**George Shadroui**, a senior history and journalism major, (with an emphasis in creative writing) from Salisbury has worked with the DTH and had a summer internship with *The Salisbury Evening Post*.

Shadroui does not plan to make any major changes in the paper. He said he would like to strengthen some weaknesses in the paper and "put more emphasis on issues that directly affect the students," he said.

"I know every facet of *The Daily Tar Heel*. I've been at the *Tar Heel*, I know how things work over there and he's (Ken Roberts) been kind of away from the *Tar Heel*," he said. "I think it's imparitive that people who are running the *Tar Heel* should be perfectly knowledgeable of the *Tar Heel*," he said.

As far as student government or persons running for the office of student body president suggesting that The DTH and *The Black Ink* merge (as one of the can-

didates has done) he said, "I think it's absurd for the student body president to be messing around with student publications." He said the student body president does not know the cost of such a change or its effects on the paper.

"I think *The Black Ink* should be independent of the DTH. I think the Black students need a paper. It's unfortunate that more white students don't read *The Black Ink*," he said.

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We intend to do it  
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