

ELECTIONS GUIDE

BY PRESIDENT

Web site:

www.unc.edu/compton

Hometown:

Hillsborough

Endorsements:

Interfraternity Council, DTH Editorial Board.

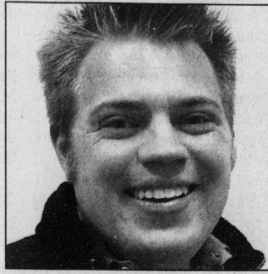
Experience:

Student body secretary to Jen Daum; member of the Student Advisory Committee to the Chancellor; co-coordinator of the Freshman Focus Council.

Distinctive Platform Item: To create the N.C. Service Corps, an organization that will visit every county in the state during the next four years, working with community leaders to plan and assist with service projects throughout North Carolina. The organization will give back to N.C. communities, whose members subsidize student educations.

Key concerns platform expected to address: Keeping UNC affordable; improving the intellectual climate of UNC; connecting students with the town of Chapel Hill and the state.

Quote: "I have spent my entire life on this campus, studying the University, and I have the passion and the knowledge that it takes to be a great student body president."



MATT COMPTON

Web site:

www.unc.edu/lilessbp

Hometown:

Zebulon

Endorsements:

none

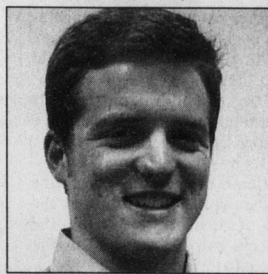
Experience:

Speaker pro tempore of Student Congress; member of Carolina Cancer Focus; participant in Carolina Rejuvenating Our Community Through Service.

Distinctive Platform Item: Making classes more available through an availability committee and by revamping the registration process to ensure fair and efficient registration.

Key concerns platform expected to address: Student government's accessibility to students and its ability to serve all students better; student life issues such as the impact of construction on campus life, security cameras in the residence halls and transportation problems; academic issues such as class availability, registration and a class period of only review before exams.

Quote: "My student government experience makes me the most qualified candidate, but my passion that makes me give everything to achieve the goals of all students makes me the best president."



MATT LILES

Web site:

www.unc.edu/walker

Hometown:

Mebane

Endorsements:

none

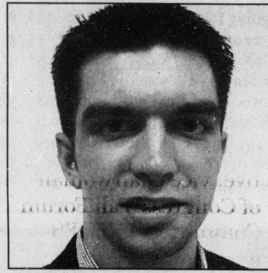
Experience:

Executive representative for the 2002 Fall Forum; South Campus director for U.S. Sen. Elizabeth Dole's Senate campaign; member of Campus Crusade for Christ; member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Distinctive Platform Item: Creating a free UNC Pick a Prof service, a Web site to provide grade distribution and teacher reviews. Some grade distribution is available to students, but the Web site will offer a more comprehensive overview of grade distributions and teacher reviews free of charge.

Key concerns platform expected to address: Apathy; communication; unity.

Quote: "Above and beyond everything else I am a leader, and I have the ability and drive to unite the student body to become the best public university in the country."



JOHN WALKER

Web site:

www.unc.edu/west

Hometown:

Washington, D.C.

Endorsements:

BSM, Sangam, Asian

Experience:

Executive assistant to former student body president Jen Daum; founder of Big Sibs; co-chairwoman of Campus Y's Students for the Advancement of Race Relations.

Distinctive Platform Item: Redesign the committee system of the executive branch to make student government the "hub" of student organizations and activities. This would include the establishment of a Center for Creative Student Leadership to provide valuable resources to student organizations as well as current and future campus leaders

Key concerns platform expected to address: Lack of student government support for or collaboration with organizations and activities; poor student relations with trustees, the UNC Board of Governors and the N.C. General Assembly; lack of attention to making UNC an accepting and diverse environment

Quote: "Read my platform. It is proof that I am a passionate, positive and progressive leader who has devoted the past three years to serving the Carolina community."



LILY WEST

CAROLINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

Web site: none

Hometown: Charlotte

Endorsements: Carolina

Fever, BSM

Experience: Chairman of

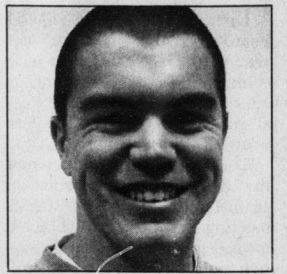
Carolina Fever.

Distinctive Platform Item:

Create a student basketball ticket return policy to help ensure each student ticket to men's basketball games is used and to help those who were unable to receive tickets at distribution to have another chance on basketball game days.

Key concern platform expected to address: Lack of communication between the student body and CAA.

Quote: "I feel my experience with Carolina Fever as chairman this past year as well as service on this year's CAA Cabinet have given me the experience necessary to take on the task of CAA President."



WILLIAM KEITH

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT FEDERATION PRESIDENT

Web site:

www.unc.edu/jen4gpsf

Hometown: Apex

Experience: GPSF vice

president for external

affairs; member of the

School of Medicine

Accreditation Student

Task Force; member of

the John Graham Student

Research Society

Distinctive Platform Item:

A Career Development Conference, hosted with the help of the Career Development office and The Graduate School, designed to give graduate and professional students the experience needed to succeed and network at professional conferences

Key concerns platform expected to address: Development of a sense of community between graduate and professional students; open dialogue between the GPSF and the rest of student government, the administration and the faculty; University-level advocacy for the unique needs and concerns of graduate and professional students

Quote: "I am a passionate and dedicated long-term Carolina student, with a deep level of experience and understanding of the current challenges facing the GPSF community."



JENNIFER BUSHMAN

RESIDENCE HALL ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

Web site:

www.unc.edu/scott

Hometown: Wilmington

Experience: RHA vice

president; member of the

Student Advisory

Committee to the

Chancellor; member of

Carolina Dining Services

Student Dining Board

Distinctive Platform Item:

Work to have RHA represented on the student government Safety and Security Committee to avoid redundancy and promote a safer on-campus community as well as work with the Department of Public Safety to enhance community policing efforts.

Key concerns platform expected to address: Construction/growth; security; on-campus amenities

Quote: "I will have RHA work with student government, Student Congress and campus departments and organizations to tackle important issues. We will address the issues by listening to what residents have to say so that we are working on the "right things." Doing this will make RHA stronger which will, in turn, give students a larger voice in what happens here at UNC."



COLIN SCOTT

IONS ON KEY ISSUES

UNITING THE STUDENT BODY

government committees to students and work
ate a list of student priorities concerning
lina North among others.

involved with downtown development
ames. Wants to continue the voter regis-
ote in town elections.

olina Alumni Network to lobby the Town
with information and research before votes
ody: Will create Student's Speaker Bureau.

at fights for students' rights such as the
the University. In addition, he will lobby
Hill businesses.

unication between the town and the
cil members and the Chapel Hill mayor to
or open house.

ment should focus more efforts on lob-
and less time lobbying the N.C.
C's finances.

already made to get students on the Town
in a nonpartisan fashion for the 2004 elec-

ent Relations Committee within the execu-
ve of student government at all Town
"Raise Up and Vote!" initiative.

CALABRIA: Will handle student concerns through an Office of Constituent Services. Will also create a "cheat sheet" for student groups wanting to apply for, receive and use University funding and facilities.

CASTEVENS: Will publicize student government Cabinet meetings and hold them around campus. Will encourage the creation of government liaisons from student organizations and set up community discussion groups.

COMPTON: Hold a "Big Block of Cheese Day" in the pit where student organizations can share concerns with student government. Also plans to create a student organization research center for groups that do not have work space.

LILES: Plans to create a "Council of Organizations" that will include leaders of all recognized student groups, an online calendar of upcoming student events and an "Organizational Adviser" in the executive branch.

PIERRE: Plans to create a Cultural Umbrella Body with the Office of Minority Affairs for group leaders to share their concerns and let the student body know of upcoming events.

THOMAS: Wants to create a social forum held by the executive branch, increase diversity among Cabinet appointments and foster more Greek involvement in student government.

WALKER: Plans to form The 4 Corners Committee that will consist of a member from the executive, legislative and judicial branches as well as a member of the Graduate and Professional Student Federation.

WEST: Wants to make student government the "hub" of student organization and activities by extending committee seats to student group leaders and will establish a Center for Creative Student Leadership.