



Expectations of Members of the Quadrangle Society of Massey College

These guidelines are intended to help QS members understand the range of possibilities to contribute to our community. Contributions include sharing your time & talent, your treasure and your ties. All are important to the sustainability of our community.

1. Talent & Time

- a. Demonstrate and contribute your leadership skills and perspective for the good of the College
 - i. Participate in formal and informal mentoring opportunities among the Junior Fellowship
 - ii. Share perspective when events or activity appropriate to your profession or career are part of the College calendar
 - iii. Accept Committee responsibilities within the College as they arise based upon the expertise required and the time you have available
- b. Be additive to the community.
 - i. Actively participate in the events and activities of the College
 - ii. Consider participation as 'service with a social component'
 - iii. Attend High Tables and other traditional College dining events
 - iv. Mix with Junior Fellows when dining in Hall or in the Junior Common Room
 - v. Volunteer for activities fostered by the JF/SF/QS liaison committee.
 - vi. Attend events organized by JFs, e.g. Massey Grand Rounds, Walter Gordon Symposium, Ursula Franklin Forum
- c. Be hospitable and open to sharing time informally.
 - i. Chemistry, resource and inclination dependent, consider inviting Junior Fellows to dinner, preferably on weekends or statutory holidays, e.g. Thanksgiving, Christmas, Eid, Passover, etc.
- d. Provide the JF with exposure to new experiences when possible and appropriate.
 - i. Host JFs to arts/sports events (Jays, soccer, hockey, symphony, theatre). Alternatively donate tickets to above events.

2. Treasure

- a. Give within your means.
 - i. This College is a rare and special place and is preeminent as a venue for interdisciplinary exchange in Canada. It operates within the University of Toronto campus, but it is neither funded by the University nor the government. All programming and operations run on a very lean budget and is dependent upon the support of its membership
 - ii. Donate dollars and/or in-kind support to special projects or general funds

3. Ties

- a. Help to endear others to the mission of the College by enjoying the facility
 - i. Host colleagues for breakfast or lunch meetings.
 - ii. Host special lunches and dinners in upstairs Private Dining Room (PDR).
- b. Make connections for the College and its members when earned and appropriate
- c. Promote College as an outstanding residence for graduate students of exceptional character and promise.
- d. When appropriate, nominate outstanding candidates for membership.