Committee: Western University Board of Governors

Organization/Sector represented: General Public/Residents of London

Name: Alexander (Sandy) Johnston

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Occupation: Sales

Work experience: I have been in sales most of my working life, encompassing retail, wholesale and business to business.

Education: B.A Faculty of Social Sciences University of Western Ontario 1975 Certificate of basic French from Université de Dijon, now Université de Bourgogne

Skills: I was a student at the university. I have lived in the university neighbourhood for over 25 years and I speak regularly with faculty members and operational staff.

Interest reason: I think that I can bring a voice to the table that is not academic. I am a generalist and have a unique perspective on the university and its place in the city. I am a resident of the city who wants to see the university thrive and become more involved with and aware of the city that surrounds it.

Contributions: I have common sense, and I am logical. I have the ability to get to the point and see the best end result for the greater good.

Past contributions: I am just now finding the time to be involved in organizations such as this. I have served on the front lines of school associations and on mall associations. Interpersonal: As a retailer I interacted with all types of people and cultures to find out their interests and needs. I am diplomatic and not prone to self-serving rants.

Interview interest: Yes