

Hello,

My name is Sébastien Papineau, I'm a volunteer with the LU green space. If you didn't know, the LU green space is a set of trails on the edge of the Laurentian property. It's filled with great views and stocked with wildlife. Recently, Laurentian University has been looking into getting the property appraised, to see if it would be a financial asset. For many people in the community, it represents one of the only escapes to nature, an essential part of fitness plans, and a good way to improve one's mental health.

A group of volunteers, like myself, have decided to put together an LU green space photo contest. This is to promote the importance of the LU green space, and to demonstrate how important it is to many people. It's also to physically showcase the beauty of the LU greenspace to the community, and entice more people to use the space for recreational outdoor activities.

At the moment, we're looking for sponsorships from local businesses and groups in the form of prizes for the contest. If this interests you, we would love to hear from you about how you would like to contribute. You can contact me at [spapineau@upei.ca](mailto:spapineau@upei.ca), or at 705-918-4086 every weekday before 11:30am, and after 3pm, or anytime during the weekend.

Thank you for your consideration, and I hope to hear from you soon!

Sébastien Papineau

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Papineau". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial 'P'.