

University Of Alaska Board of Regents:

Hello,

I was introduced to Fernando Escobar by House Rep Louise Stutes @ a recent community legislative meeting. My first impression was that he was a graduate student or legislative assistant.

He is certainly is a very worthy candidate for the student representative for the University Board of regents.

I understand that he has been quite active at the University as he was in High school here in Kodiak. He was involved in public service with the Kiwanis, Lions Club, Key Club and Honors Society. He was also active in the HS teen court, board of directors, attorney and judge. This year at the U. he was a member of Associated Students (ASUAF); served as a senator in the fall semester, and in the spring was the director of student advocacy and public relations.

Fernando has a broad and understanding mind and desires to be able to benefit other folks with his life's work. He is planning for the future with a major in Anthropology and one day to become an attorney. He believes his participation on the Board of Regents will help others as well as broaden his future.

I have lived in Kodiak for more than 50 years, and watched young folks leave here and go to UAF, or other Universities, and achieve success in many professions. In the learning process they accomplish great things.

Sincerely,

Patrick Holmes

(PS both of our sons attended UAF and are now Physicians, thanks)