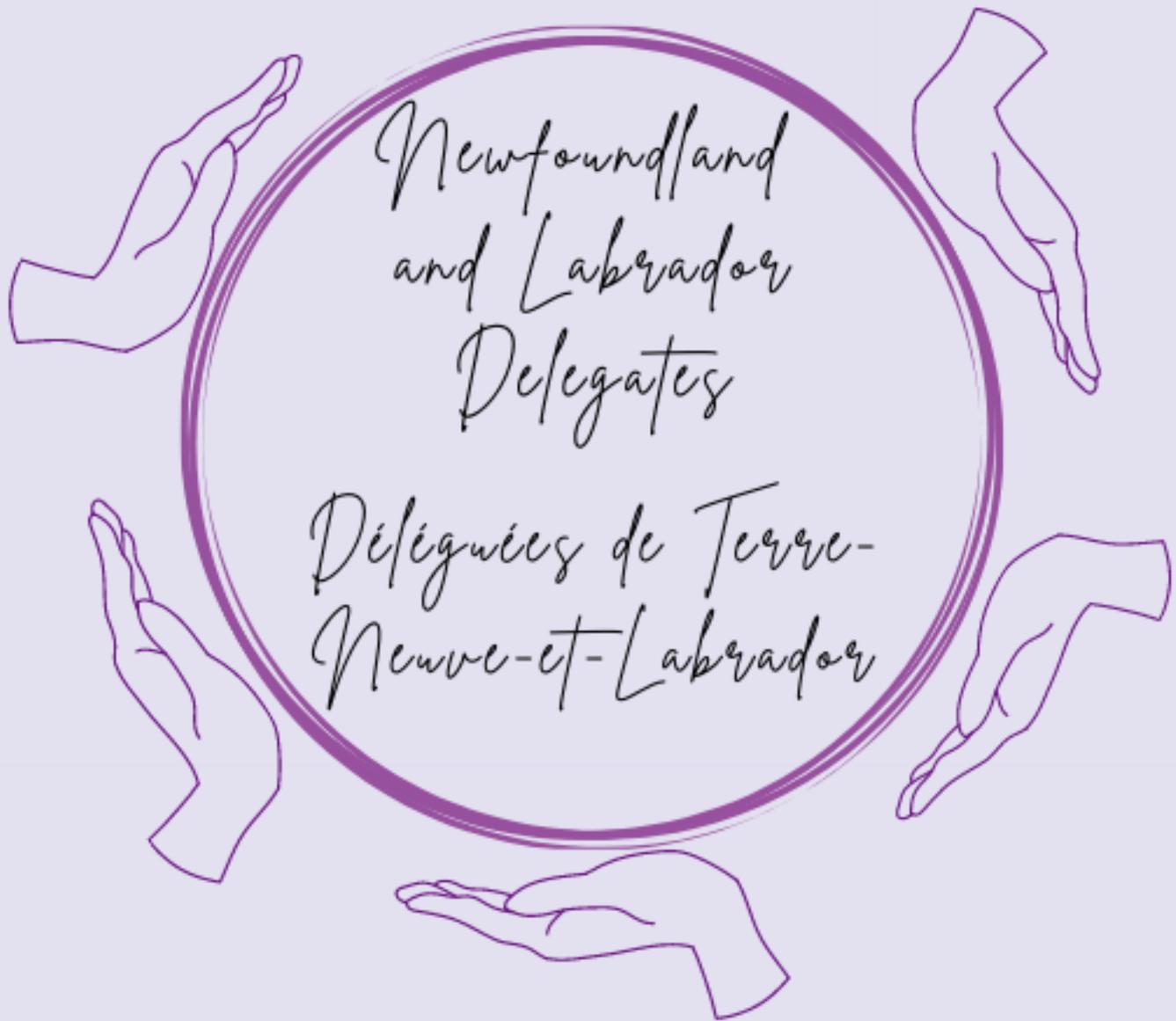


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## Julia White

### St. John's South-Mount Pearl

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Julia White is from St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, and is a recent graduate of Memorial University's Faculty of Nursing. She currently works as a Registered Nurse in Women's Health Recovery. As a student, she founded MUNFON Gives Back, a volunteer group that has supported organizations such as The Gathering Place, The Waterford Hospital Auxiliary, and MUN Campus Food Bank. Julia has also been a delegate with organizations such as Jack.Org and the Atlantic Summer Institute on Healthy and Safe Communities. Julia is passionate about mental healthcare and gender-based violence and strives to be an advocate for those affected through her work on the Newfoundland and Labrador Premier's Youth Council. She enjoys singing, playing guitar and running.

## Keira Hammond

### St. John's East



Keira is a second year French immersion political science student at the University of Ottawa. She is originally from Torbay, Newfoundland and Labrador. She is currently on the board of directors for Newfoundland and Labrador Youth Parliament, the planning team for the National Student Commonwealth Forum, and the executive of the uOttawa Campus Conservatives. She is currently employed as a Member's Assistant to MP Martin Shields.

## Brittany Pittman

### Long Range Mountains

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My name is Brittany Pittman. I am a Mi'kmaw woman from Corner Brook, Newfoundland and Labrador. I am a director of the Qalipu Cultural Foundation and an alumna of Memorial University of Newfoundland, where I was a member of the Indigenous Student Caucus and the Indigenous Initiatives Committee. I am currently completing a certificate in Indigenous studies and am a first year PhD student studying mathematics.

## Jenna Andrews Labrador

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Jenna (she/her) was born and raised in the small mining town of Labrador City. While she is currently living away from her hometown to attend school, she cares deeply about the area. She feels that no matter where she is, she always has a piece of Labrador with her, as growing up there has strongly shaped who she is today. Jenna graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Psychology and a Certificate in Disability Management in 2019 and is currently in her last year of her Bachelor of Social Work at Dalhousie University. Jenna cares profoundly about issues concerning aging, especially regarding creating spaces for intergenerational connection and getting youth involved in public discourse and planning regarding aging. Jenna is also deeply concerned about the accessibility of mental health resources in rural and northern communities. Jenna enjoys volunteering in these areas and has volunteered her time in various opportunities in mental health and long-term care over the past seven years. She is currently a volunteer with the Access to Justice and Law Reform Institute, where she has found that she is also passionate about access to justice in areas where aging intersects with law. In her free time, Jenna can be found outdoors, hiking and biking. Jenna also loves to dance and write in her spare time.

## Hailey Noseworthy

### Coast of Bays-Central-Notre Dame

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Hailey Noseworthy is from Silverdale and is a Bachelor of Nursing student. She is an active member of her school's nursing society, a student representative with the College of Registered Nurses NL, and a student advocate for inclusive and alternative learning in K-12 Education with the NL English School Board. Hailey has a passion for tourism and works with the Dr. Jon Lien Museum and the King's Point Theatre Company. She has participated in programs, such as SHAD, MedQuest, Miss Achievement NL, Encounters with Canada, World Visions Youth Advocacy Program, and the NL Youth Parliament. She is involved in numerous youth organizations, such as: The Premier's Youth Council the Kids Help Phone National Youth Council, and the Coast of Bays-

Central-Notre Dame Constituency Youth Council. Hailey has received multiple awards, including SHAD's Trevor Nason Memorial Award and the Governor General's Academic Medal.

## Courtney Jones Avalon



Courtney Jones was born in St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador. She graduated from Memorial University with a Bachelor of Science in Behavioural Neuroscience and is now pursuing a dual English Law and French Law degree at the University of Exeter. Courtney is honoured to be representing the riding of Avalon at this year's Daughters of the Vote event. Throughout her life, Courtney has been an avid volunteer. She has volunteered for the NL Sexual Assault Crisis and Prevention Centre and Planned Parenthood. She later joined the board of Planned Parenthood as President. In her first year of law school, Courtney took on a volunteer project with Citizens Advice, a legal charity in the U.K. which provides advice in a variety of legal areas. Courtney's passion for human

rights is what led her to pursue a career in law and develop an interest in politics. Courtney was honoured to have had the opportunity to serve on both her Member of Parliament's Youth Council and the Premier of Newfoundland and Labrador's Youth Council, which gave her the opportunity to advise elected officials on matters of government policy. She hopes to inspire more young women to become involved in politics and some day run for office. As someone with a background in science who is furthering her education with legal studies, she hopes to show young women not to let anyone tell them they can't do something because of their gender.