

Paul Evans – Candidate Statement – YUFA Treasurer 2022-24

Paul Evans is the current Treasurer of YUFA, Chair of the YUFA Trust and of the YUFA Foundation. He is a faculty member of both the Financial and Management Accounting Areas of the School of Administrative Studies. He currently teaches the practicum course and supervises internships in the Masters in Financial Accountability Program.

During his 3.5 years as YUFA treasurer YUFA has introduced reporting to its membership in both Fall and Winter to improve accountability and transparency. Audited financial statements have been made available at the Fall GMM and, also at that meeting, he has introduced a mid-year in-year financial forecast.

A Treasurer's Advisory Financial Committee and an investments advisory group have recently been formed. Currently he is working with these two groups on further diversification to improve return on investments held in our funds and to review the environmental footprint of our investment portfolio. If elected, he will expand the work of the TAFC beyond investments to examine matters such as course releases, membership dues, reserve policies, review of auditor's recommendations and risk management.