

***How to vote
at the TA
Unit
Assembly!***

Step 1:

Belenios public server <noreply@belenios.org>

to me ▾

You are listed as a voter for the election

Poutine

You will find below your credential. To cast a vote, you will also need a password, sent in a separate email. Be careful, passwords and credentials look similar but play different roles. You will be asked to enter your credential before entering the voting booth. Login and passwords are required once your ballot is ready to be cast.

Credential: vnxApj3tkcUvRES

Page of the election: <https://belenios.loria.fr/elections/gt8GMjpPGoFWQi/>

Note that you are allowed to vote several times. Only the last vote counts.

You will receive two emails: one with a password, and one with a credential. Both will have a link to the election!

Click the election link in either email.

(Don't see an email? Check Spam, or just search "Belenios" in your inbox.)

Your password for election Poutine ▸ Inbox x

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Poutine

You will find below your login and password. To cast a vote, you will also need a credential, sent in a separate email. Be careful, passwords and credentials look similar but play different roles. You will be asked to enter your credential before entering the voting booth. Login and passwords are required once your ballot is ready to be cast.

Username: mail@agsem-aeedem.ca

Password: 5P3PwuJzqoNSBf

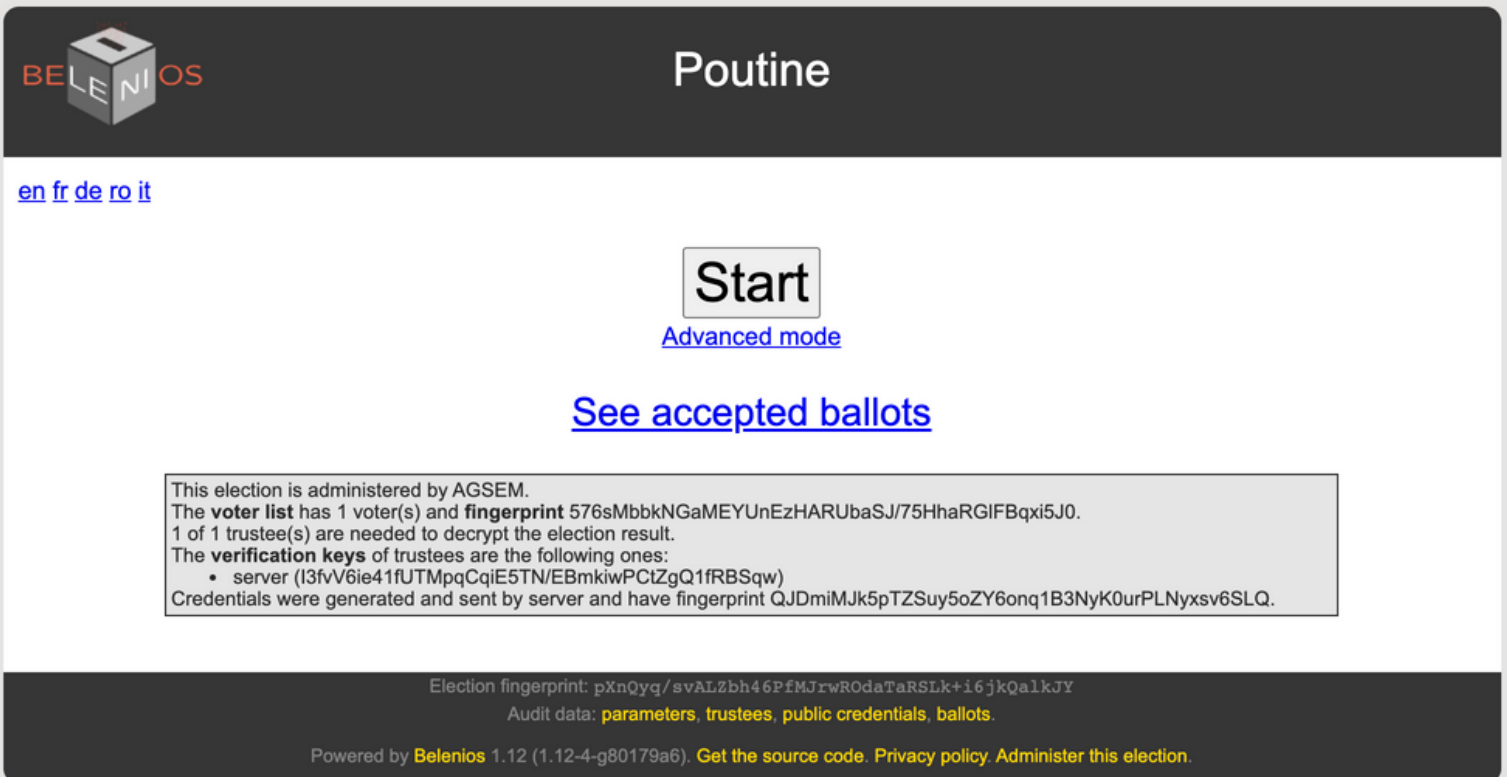
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Step 2:

You're now at the election page! Click "Start."

Remember, you'll need the credential and password from your inbox, so keep your email handy as you get ready to vote!



The screenshot shows the Belenios election interface for an election named "Poutine". At the top left is the Belenios logo, and at the top right is the election name "Poutine". Below the logo is a language selector with links for "en", "fr", "de", "ro", and "it". The main content area features a large "Start" button, a link for "Advanced mode", and a link for "See accepted ballots". A text box provides election details: "This election is administered by AGSEM. The voter list has 1 voter(s) and fingerprint 576sMbbkNGaMEYUnEzHARUbaSJ/75HhaRGIFBqxi5J0. 1 of 1 trustee(s) are needed to decrypt the election result. The verification keys of trustees are the following ones: • server (I3fvV6ie41fUTMpQCqiE5TN/EBmkiwPCTzGQ1fRBSqw) Credentials were generated and sent by server and have fingerprint QJDmiMJk5pTZSuy5oZY6onq1B3NyK0urPLNyxsv6SLQ." At the bottom, a footer contains the election fingerprint "pXnQyq/svALZbh46PFmJrwROdaTaRSLk+i6jkQalkJY", audit data links for "parameters", "trustees", "public credentials", and "ballots", and a power-by statement: "Powered by Belenios 1.12 (1.12-4-g80179a6). Get the source code. Privacy policy. Administer this election."

BELENIOS Poutine

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Start
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Election fingerprint: pXnQyq/svALZbh46PFmJrwROdaTaRSLk+i6jkQalkJY
Audit data: [parameters](#), [trustees](#), [public credentials](#), [ballots](#).

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Step 3:

Click the box that says "here" to input your credential (usually the second Belenios email you received).

Copy and paste your credential into the box that pops up. Click "OK" when done.



Input credential

belenios.loria.fr says

Please enter your credential:

Cancel

OK

Confirm — Done

Step 1/6: Input credential

Input your credential

Election UUID: gt8GMjpPGoFWQi

Election fingerprint: pXnQyq/svALZbh46PfMJrwROdaTaRSLk+i6jkQalkJY

Step 4:

Time to vote! While the question you'll see will be different than this one, you will still have options to vote, as well as an option of a "Blank Vote" if you wish to abstain.



Poutine

What's your favorite place to get poutine in Montréal?

Input credential — **Answer to questions** — Review and encrypt — Authenticate — Confirm — Done

Step 2/6: Answer to questions

What's your favorite place to get poutine in Montréal?

Select between 1 and 1 answer(s)

- Patati-Patata
- Chez Claudette
- La Banquise

- Blank vote

Next

Election UUID: gt8GMjpPGoFWQI

Election fingerprint: pXnQyq/svALZbh46PFmJrwROdaTaRSLk+i6jkQaikJY

Step 5:

Woo hoo! Almost there.

You've voted, but now you have to encrypt and confirm your vote.

Satisfied with your choice? Click "Continue."



Poutine

What's your favorite place to get poutine in Montréal?

Input credential — Answer to questions — **Review and encrypt** — Authenticate — Confirm — Done

Step 3/6: Review and encrypt

What's your favorite place to get poutine in Montréal?

- Chez Claudette

Your ballot has been successfully encrypted, **but has not been cast yet!**

Your smart ballot tracker is **vVsEZNZPK8bdMXrTM25isTowLEjO6iJIZG+JKp13BNE**

We invite you to save it in order to check later that it is taken into account.

Continue

Restart

Step 6:

Now it's time for that other email! You need to log in, using your email address as your username, and the generated password that you received via email.

Type in your email address, copy and paste the password, and click "Login"!



Password login

USERNAME:

PASSWORD:

Step 7:

You will be asked to confirm your vote.

Still happy with how you voted? Click "I cast my vote."

Changed your mind? Click "Go back to election."



Poutine

Input credential — Answer to questions — Review and encrypt — Authenticate — **Confirm** — Done

Step 5/6: Confirm

Your ballot for *Poutine* has been received, but not recorded yet. Your smart ballot tracker is **vVsEZNZPK8bdMXrTM25isTowLEjO6iJIZG+JKp13BNE**.

Note: your ballot is encrypted and nobody can see its contents.

I am *mail@agsem-aeedem.ca* and .

[Go back to election.](#)

Step 8:

Done! You've voted.

Make a mistake? No stress! The Belenios system lets you go back and re-vote, but only one vote will count: the most recent. So, if you chose Chez Claudette, and then voted again for La Banquise, only the La Banquise vote would count.



Poutine

Input credential — Answer to questions — Review and encrypt — Authenticate — Confirm — Done

Step 6/6: Thank you for voting!

Your ballot for *Poutine* has been accepted. Your smart ballot tracker is **vVsEZNZPK8bdMXrTM25isTowLEjO6iJIZG+JKp13BNE**. You can check its presence in the [ballot box](#) anytime during the election. A confirmation e-mail has been sent to you.

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FAQ

Why can't we just use Zoom polling?

AGSEM is a labour union, and must abide by Québec regulations on binding labour union votes. A Zoom poll would not be a secret ballot vote, and would not be properly secure.

Why do we have to vote at the meeting? Can't we just vote afterwards?

AGSEM has to abide by Québec regulations on binding labour union votes. This means that AGSEM members must vote during the meeting itself. Just like an in-person AGSEM vote, the meeting will be locked during the voting process, with no one allowed in (and no one should leave the meeting). PGSS and student groups can vote differently, as they are not labour unions.

I'm really bad with technology, what happens if I need help voting?

We'll have people there to help! You can reach out in the Zoom chat by contacting a designated tech support person, or email mail@agsem-aedem.ca (we will be checking this inbox throughout the assembly).