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STUDENT TRUSTEE

ABOUT ME

I am a first-year student of the MSc Adult Nursing course. I have several interests which includes talking, reading, travelling, and swimming. I enjoy trying out new things and I particularly enjoy participating in voluntary activities which has made me apply for the role of a student trustee. I have served as a student welfare officer during my undergraduate degree and was able to ensure that the student voice was heard and that interventions which were carried out for students were achieved through the proper channels and funds were accounted for. I was so good at my previous position that I received an award for most hard-working executive officer. I am passionate about student voices being represented to the highest level and will ensure that the needs of the student body will be conveyed to the Student Union. Drawing on my previous experience I will help to make sure the Student Union and the officers are operating in the interest of the students and ensure that the opinions/ voices of the students are heard.

WHY AM I RUNNING?

In my final years as an undergraduate student, I volunteered as a student welfare officer and enjoyed advocating for students who need the help. I enjoy being a communicator between students and the student union and I understand that every student's voice should be heard. I registered my interest to be a trustee as I am passionate about the SU's objectives and felt I could be a great communication platform between students and the board. I also already have a good knowledge of a similar board and its responsibilities due to my previous experience and I have experience with account management, charity programmes and strategy planning. I want to be able to apply these skills in not only ensuring that the students' voice is heard at such a high level in the university, but also in managing other responsibilities that are left to trustees such as ensuring that the Union is functioning within the best interest of all students, safeguarding the Students' Union's resources, as well as ensuring there is good level of representation on the board and making sure everything is running smoothly.

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I believe that I am someone who is ready to take all the responsibilities coming up with this role and I will make sure that if something needs to get done, it will. I will try everything within my power to ensure that no student at the university feels ignored or feels secluded from any activities taking place. Being a student trustee, I believe that I would contribute effectively to shaping the future events and also contribute to the running of the Student Union to ensure that it is always performing to a high standard.

MY PRIORITIES

If I get elected as a Student trustee, I intend to;

- Uphold the values of the Student Union as a campaigning union at the highest level of its governance.
- Ensure transparency between Union decisions and students.
- Maintain fair representation and accountability to the Union.
- In regard to clubs and societies, I will make sure I work with both the Student Union and societies to ensure a viable and clearly structured financial system to meet the needs of societies and student groups on campus.

I plan to liaise with different student groups and anyone with concerns or suggestions about the SU. If I am elected as one of the trustees, I will be contactable and accessible at any time for students to contact me with their concerns, and if a contentious issue arises between the student body and Union, I will try to organise events or meetings which would serve as a platform for the discussion of possible outcomes and actions.

I will also strive to communicate with the BAME and LGBTQ+ community at Keele university to make sure that we have a Student Union that reflects the inclusive and diverse nature of our student body.

I hope that you consider me for the role of Student Trustee. I pride myself on having a great relationship with the Student Union and hope to help represent the student body effectively to create a higher quality university experience.

Thank you for your attention and consideration.

I LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR VOTES!!!

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