**Why should you vote for me?**

As a former Course, Lead and School of Sport Rep and currently working in the Llandaff SU, I have played an active part in the SU throughout my 3.5 years at Cardiff Met. I want to continue this work to make sure the student voice is heard and the overall student experience continues to improve year on year.

I will focus on moving passed just Equity, to achieve **Equality**! I will promote **student’s well-being,** including the continuation of the **puppy petting** across both campuses**,** and I will also ensure that students **make the most of opportunities** available to them at Cardiff Met, and provide **printing credit** to reduce costs for students.

**Celebrate and promote all things equality and diversity**

* With over 100 different nationalities studying at Cardiff Met, we should encourage the **CELEBRATION AND PROMOTION** of the range of different cultures/festivals that our students celebrate!
* **EQUITY vs EQUALITY** - We are such a diverse student population Cardiff Met needs to move passed being fair and impartial, I will strive to promote that everyone should be equal! Have the same opportunities to thrive and make the most of their time here!
* Cardiff Met SU represents all students. As VP I will promote the 9 protected characteristics, **GIVING ALL STUDENTS A VOICE!** Ensuring we work with the best interest of all students in mind!

**Improve well-being through physical activity and commUNIty**

* To **REDUCE THE STIGMA ASSOCIATED WITH MENTAL HEALTH** and continue to make improvements to the accessibility of support.
* With Nextbike (Boris Bikes) coming to Cardiff I aim to get student friendly deals. Have your own bike, I will create initiatives and maintenance support to **ENCOURAGE MORE PEOPLE TO CYCLE!**
* I will promote community physical activity sessions with **GIVE IT A GO SESSIONS**!
* **SUPPORT FOR MORE ATHLETES,** including access to Strength & Conditioning and Massage.

**Making more of your time here at Cardiff Met**

* I will ensure students are more aware of all the opportunities available to them, including providing **SUPPORT TO FIND WORK/VOLUNTEERING**
* **INCREASE AWARENESS OF THE SOCIETIES AND CLUBS** available and make it easier to join and get involved!
* I want to bring the University community together to regularly show support to charities, through **CHARITY OF THE MONTH**.

**Focus on improving use of technology**

* Find yourself spending loads on printing? I will introduce a **PRINTING ALLOWANCE** for printing materials required to complete your course!
* Make it compulsory to **RECORD LECTURES** to make recordings available to use to help when writing up the assessment or revising.
* Ever found out your 9am lecture is cancelled but you’re already on campus? So annoying!! This will not happen again if I become VP I will introduce **TEXT NOTIFICATIONS FOR CANCELLED LECTURES!**
* We all use phones/laptops. When on campus for the whole day you need a plug, I aim to **INCREASE THE NUMBER OF PLUG POINTS** around campus.

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