Candidate Platform:

First of all, my job as a freshman senator is to listen to students, provide service to a community and get results for it.

LISTEN

I think that the first step to being a good representative is listening. Each of our students has a unique story, background and perspective; and it is those unique differences that make our community stronger. In representing youth across the state and nation, I have come to realize that the art of representing someone is first to listen to them. I hope to be able to serve as a senator who students can turn to when they have ideas, concerns and experiences that I can assist them with. I wish to hear voices loud and clear, voices of the students who may not be able to speak up every time. I want our Freshmen to understand that their voice is heard and their concerns are addressed in student government.

SERVE

Leadership to me is service. The role of a student government member should not be a title, it should be a responsibility; a responsibility to represent others! I would like to work with people from different groups and organizations, be approachable and involved with my fellow students. Through my time working on behalf of young people, I have learnt that a key aspect of promoting youth is to unite people, to find common ground, and to ensure that diverse viewpoints are included. I hope to do that at DU as well, through creating more of a link between students, faculty and student government, and as a senator, being present and involved in our community.

DELIVER

But if we don't act on it, listening and serving is of little benefit. I want to be a representative that makes student concerns become conversations, ideas become action, and promises come to fruition. I realize that sometimes problems can't be solved right away, but a student deserves someone to follow up, communicate and persist when things get tough. I want to be involved in helping to build a student government that students can identify with and have faith in. As a senator, I will have the same level of commitment as I do when advocating on behalf of youth.

WHY I'M RUNNING

I want to serve the students around me, I want to be representative through my experience, my voice and my willingness to serve, this is why I'm running to be a freshman senator. I know what it's like to speak for young people and I want to learn from them while I'm here at DU. I want to learn from the people that I represent. I am running, because I am willing to hear from our community, serve our students, and uphold the trust of the community.

LISTEN. SERVE. DELIVER.

Your voice. Your representative. Your Senate.