

# VOTE!

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### For International Students' Rep

*A short (but effective) summary about me:*

- I was born and raised in Milan (A.K.A. the best city EVER)
- I have a very serious addiction to gelato
- I cuss in Italian (quite a bit)
- When I'm not stressing over my degree (Proud Classicist here!!) I love travelling and being out and about with my friends



- Having left Italy for Uni at 16, I know how daunting it may be to move on your own to another country
- Let's face it: being away from home is hard, and sometimes it can get quite lonely
- Because of this, I want to contribute to strengthening a welcoming and supportive community for everyone (international students and not!)

### My plan as rep:

- Reintroduce and reform the Godparent Scheme
- Organize one or more Teams Q&A sessions with the incoming freshers about a month before Freshers' week starts
- Update the Fresher's International Student Guide with new additions such as a FAQ section (possibly collected during the Q&A sessions) and tips from the current international students at Anne's
- Work closely with the Visiting Students' Rep to ensure that all events are inclusive of International students- Visiting and not- and UK students as well!
- Organize more international-themed formals open to everyone!
- Keep students informed on activities held by International Societies, as well as actively cooperating with the International Students' Campaign

