



University of Canterbury Students' Association (UCSA) Executive Candidate Nomination Form 2018

Please complete the entire form. Applications must be completed and received **before 12pm** on Friday 3 August at UCSA reception. Late nominations will NOT be accepted.

You must also email **a blurb and a photo** before nominations close. President blurbs must be a maximum of 800 words, Vice President and Finance blurbs must be a maximum of 400 words, and any other position must be a maximum of 200 words. If you are running for multiple positions, please submit a blurb only for the "highest" role. Failure to do so within the time frames will mean that your blurb and photo may be left out of any UCSA driven publicity. Please email the blurbs and photo to returningofficer.uca@gmail.com.

Candidates may apply for more than one position; however they can only hold **ONE position**. Candidates who are voted in to more than one position will be elected to the highest polled position (see over the page for more details).

Candidates, and their nominees in completing this form certify that they are a UCSA member, or will be a UCSA member at the time nominations close. Check your UCSA student membership at the UCSA reception with your Student ID.

In order for a nomination for President to be valid, the following conditions shall be satisfied;

1. The candidate has not already held the office of President for two or more years; and
2. The candidate must have been enrolled for at least one academic year at the University of Canterbury directly prior to the year they first take office.

Nominations for President, Vice President and Finance Officer **must include a signed copy of the job description**.

See the UCSA Constitution, Electoral By-Law and Membership By-Law for a full range of information on UCSA, electoral regulations and candidacy information including positions available, roles and responsibilities of each position.

<http://www.uca.org.nz/student-exec/constitution/>

<http://www.uca.org.nz/assets/Files/Student-Exec/Minutes-Documents/Important-Documents/2017-UCSA-Membership-By-law-final.pdf>

<http://www.uca.org.nz/assets/Files/Student-Exec/Minutes-Documents/Policies/2016-UCSA-Election-By-Law-December.pdf>

FULL NAME: (As recognised by UC)	
PREFERRED NAME: (by which you will campaign)	
STUDENT ID NUMBER:	
STUDENT EMAIL:	
MOBILE NUMBER:	

Please tick the position(s) you wish to run for (these are in order of seniority):

<input type="checkbox"/>	President
<input type="checkbox"/>	Vice President
<input type="checkbox"/>	Finance Officer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Post Graduate Representative
<input type="checkbox"/>	International Representative
<input type="checkbox"/>	Equity and Wellbeing Representative
<input type="checkbox"/>	General Executive

If you wish to apply for more than one role, you will be identified through the campaign as running for the highest role that you are running for.

Please note that under the **Criminal Records (Clean Slate) Act 2004**, you may only legally conceal / withhold a criminal offence providing all of the following are met: 1) no convictions within the last 7 years; 2) never been ordered by a Court during a criminal case to be detained in a hospital due to his/her mental condition, instead of being sentenced; 3) never been sentenced to a custodial sentence (e.g. imprisonment, corrective training, borstal); Not been convicted of a "specified offence" (e.g. sexual offending against children and young people or the mentally impaired) (see interpretation section for a full list); 4) paid in full any fine, reparation or costs ordered by the Court in a criminal case; 5) never been indefinitely disqualified from driving under section 65 Land Transport Act 1998 or earlier equivalent provision.

Have you ever been convicted in a court in New Zealand or any other country? YES * NO

Have you ever been imprisoned in New Zealand or any other country? YES * NO

Are there any charges against you yet to be heard? YES * NO

Have you ever been dismissed for dishonesty, or been the subject of an investigation that resulted in your resignation? YES * NO

*If YES to any of the above questions, please provide specific details of the nature of the convictions or allegations: _____

First NOMINEE:

Second NOMINEE:

FULL NAME:

FULL NAME:

STUDENT ID NUMBER:

STUDENT ID NUMBER:

SIGNATURE:

SIGNATURE:

PLEASE NOTE:

- Nominations close at **12pm midday on Friday 3 August 2018**.
- Check your UCSA membership at the UCSA Reception with your Student ID.
- Hand your nomination forms, along with your **Student IDs** to be copied, to the UCSA Reception during business hours.
- Nominations for President, Vice President and Finance Officer must include a signed copy of the relevant job description.
- The candidates briefing is at 6pm on Friday 3 August 2018 in the Undercroft Room 101 and **is compulsory for all candidates**.
- No campaigning is to begin until after the compulsory candidates' briefing.
- All candidates and their nominees **must be current members of the UCSA**.
- If you have any questions, please contact the UCSA Returning Officer, Kaitlyn White, between 8am-10pm.

Email: returningofficer.ucsa@gmail.com

Mobile: 021 235 9538

CANDIDATE SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____