

# TSRC Candidate 2024/2025

## Thandolwethu Noinyane



### CANDIDATE MANIFESTO

My name is Thandolwethu Noinyane, and I am eager to apply for the TSRC. My vision for leadership is grounded in collaboration, inclusivity, and representation. I believe that effective leaders listen attentively and empathize deeply, understanding the diverse needs and perspectives of others. Throughout my journey, I have consistently fostered environments where every voice is valued and heard. My leadership approach centres around "Leading with Love," which emphasizes empathy, respect, and genuine concern for the well-being of others. I am fueled by a passion for social justice and environmental conservation. Our campus faces several challenges that I am determined to tackle. I envision our university using all available resources to support students on their academic journeys. It's not just about saying students are a priority; it's about making sure they feel secure and supported. Strengthening the connection between students and faculty is essential, promoting awareness and accountability. Students must understand their power to advocate for fair representation and be informed about the support systems available to them. I aim to achieve this through transparency, integrity, and a commitment to excellence. I live by the philosophy of Ubuntu: "I am because we are." It's about caring for each other and prioritising everyone's well-being. I love working with others to create a welcoming environment where different viewpoints are able to lead to creative solutions. I am solutions-driven, enjoying the process of turning challenges and complaints into actionable improvements. My approachable demeanor encourages open and honest communication, facilitating active listening and careful observation. Thank you for considering my application. I am enthusiastic about bringing my experience, passion, and dedication to this leadership role.