

TSRC Candidate 2024/2025

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CANDIDATE MANIFESTO

The current TSRC has done a wonderful job thus far and established a solid foundation in many areas, but there is always opportunity for improvement. As the highest policy making & student representative body on campus, much is expected from them. To become better, the TSRC needs to reinforce and build trust with the TSU by strengthening communication and keeping students informed about campus developments. Increasing their visibility on campus and improving the utilization of different TSRC portfolios are crucial. Strengthening the relationship between student communities and governance is also essential. My leadership experience as Chairperson for the Tygerberg Gospel Choir Society, Treasurer for the Hippokrates House Committee Exec, and Treasurer for the TWITS Society has equipped me with strong organizational, financial management, and team coordination skills. These roles have taught me effective communication, leading diverse groups, and handling responsibilities with integrity. My proven track record in managing societies and committees demonstrates my commitment to serving and advocating for students. A good leader, especially on the TSRC, needs specific skills and qualities. My willingness to serve, goal-oriented mindset, hard work, and dedication drive me to achieve goals and execute duties effectively. I am a good listener, communicator, and decision-maker, essential for addressing student concerns and communicating them to relevant stakeholders. I believe that my skills and experience make me a strong contender. To reinforce trust in the TSRC, we should be more visible by attending campus events and posting regular updates on social media and addressing questions that comes up at student community meetings. Portfolios should focus on initiatives that benefit daily student wellness, such as installing pad dispensers in the different student communities and collaborating with house committees and cluster for events and initiatives e.g. Tygermatie Tuesdays. This approach will enhance the TSRC's effectiveness and student support.