

Manifesto – Sophie Doolan

Candidate Name: Sophie Doolan

Position Contested: Clubs Officer

Campus: Tallaght Campus

My name is Sophie Doolan and I am running for the part-time position of Clubs Officer based in the Tallaght Campus Student's Union for the year 2020/21. I feel as though I would be a good fit for this role as I already have plenty of experience working with many of the clubs on our campus already and would absolutely love the opportunity to work more closely with clubs and lend a helping hand where needed. As a previous chairperson of the ladies Basketball Club and the current chairperson of the Tallaght Campus Volleyball Club, I know exactly the type of pressure a lot of club committees are always feeling, especially when they are stuck on a task and feel as though they do not have a helping hand.

As well as chairing clubs, my name has also been seen around the college as the student champion for the 20x20 campaign and as the Student Sport Ireland Networking Rep. I regularly attend meetings with Student Sport Ireland and am one of a very small number of student representatives actually working with them! I would love the opportunity to be able to meet with clubs more often and bring their voices and opinions to those Student Sport Ireland meetings. After all, the student voice should be better represented when all of the decisions being made have a direct affect on our sports competitions!

I have also represented the Tallaght Campus as a Student Sports Rep at meetings about the TU Dublin merge and played an active role in the discussion about the future of our clubs and societies. As clubs officer, I would love to hear more of the opinions of club members in our campus



My aims for this role are as follows:

- To liaise with our Sports and Recreations Officer in regards to concerns clubs may be having
- To offer advice and guidance to clubs that may be struggling with completing tasks
- To meet with clubs more often to hear about any issues and work together to try to find the right solution
- To check in with clubs weekly to keep up to date with progress
- To encourage and promote higher levels of participation in physical activity around the campus! Your health is your wealth!
- To attend and to help promote more club events
- To give students a bigger voice at Student Sport Ireland meetings
- To continue to liaise with Student Sport Ireland and to assist any club that might be having trouble doing so
- To assist in the set-up of new clubs

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