

Candidate Statements

ICC Elections 2023-2024

ICC Chair of Programs Candidates (05/17)

Tiffelyn Aurielle Kurniawan

The ICC plays a big role in organizing clubs that support the student body. I would like to gain experience, develop my hard and soft skills, and establish connections whenever there is an opportunity. Even though I might be new to this field, I'm willing to apply my current knowledge and abilities and dedicate my time and effort to learning, supporting, and creating future ICC programs to grow and promote the ICC even more.

Dana Sanei

I have always been interested in being a greater part of the De Anza student body and being more engaged in the community. My involvement in ICC as an intern during the past Fall and Winter quarters has provided me with thorough knowledge of the work I would be conducting as the Chair of Programs. Not only have these experiences confirmed my passion for leadership, but also they have provided me insight into how to successfully execute ICC events. I believe my experiences in leadership positions in high school make me an ideal candidate for this position. During my senior year of high school, I undertook the role of Assistant Stage Manager in the 2022 spring drama production. As the assistant stage manager, I attended daily meetings, relayed information to the stage managers and the director, overlooked rehearsals, created schedules for actors, took daily attendance, and coordinated crew members with the director. I believe that my achievements and experiences as an ICC intern and Assistant Stage Manager provide me with the required skill set to passionately and successfully fulfill the tasks of this role. I am strongly confident that I can enhance the college experience for De Anza students.

Yishaya Augustine

Due to my prior expertise in event management and ambassadorship in organizations such as Life for Guardian's Foundation, Faces of Pakistan, Friends of Christ, and Youth Development Foundation in my native country of Pakistan, I believe I am qualified for the position of ICC Chair of Programs. I am now the Secretary of the Pakistani Student Association and the Marketing Officer of Photography club at De Anza, so the structure of clubs is not alien to me, but rather an area of significant interest. Due to my participation in a variety of extracurricular activities throughout high school and college, my social skills have always been my greatest asset; consequently, I know I encompass the ability to fill the roles of point person, monitoring bidding procedures, and signing contract forms with relative ease.