



GLASGOW UNIVERSITY UNION



ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS AND BOARD OF MANAGEMENT 2022/23/24

MANIFESTO FORM

For the position of: Present Student Member (2-year)

Candidate: Sharath Nambiar

Proposer: Joseph Hutchison

Secunder: Fuad Kehinde

The space below is provided to allow candidates to explain their reasons for offering themselves for their respective positions and to list such qualifications and experience which are relevant to these posts in not more than 200 words.

Being a part of this Union for the past three years has given me so much. Helping out in Freshers Week as part of Debates Committee, representing the GUU at international debating championships, painting for Daft Friday, being on the Groundings Editorial Board, winning the Beer Bar quiz once; none of this would have been possible without the Union and its people believing in me. As a PSM, I want to give back and help more people find their way to this end of University Avenue as I have, by:

- Increasing Welfare training for board and staff to deal with drunk people and those in states of emergency. Increasing first aid and first responder training. Getting more awareness of creche as a safe space and additional signage to gender neutral washrooms.
- Promoting day-time activities within the Union. Using Union PR to highlight the kitchen and different event spaces more, and making PR more feedback-based. Facilitating cross campus connections to increase collaborations with societies.
- Catering to untapped student markets. Organising events and advertising them to different groups of students: international, mature, people of colour, women and gender minorities, etc. Making the Union more diverse in whom it caters to.