



Kevin Alexander

Berwick

Hello Federation Students and Staff,

My name is Kevin Alexander and I have applied to be the Student Representative for Berwick Area. I am excited to share my thoughts and ideas alongside each of you and to work together to make our campus an even better place.

I bring with me strong skills in both communication and leadership by conveying ideas, listen actively to others, and build consensus among groups. In addition to my communication skills, I have demonstrated leadership qualities through my involvement in group projects and activities.

I am a Berwick and Ballarat Campus student who travels weekly to Ballarat for my internship. As a second year Uni student, I want to be able to represent my peers in a positive way. I recognize the importance of the Student Senate and will put in my best efforts. I have the desire to be involved and make decisions that will benefit you and the university as a whole. I hope to give students the best campus life experience possible, specifically making the years at the uni enjoyable and memorable.

As a senate member, I would have the opportunity to be involved with what goes on in campus and the numerous clubs. I would like to address different ideas on how students can provide suggestions and open dialogues on improvement around the university. I will bring a different perspective to the table and this could involve creating community meets on campus for regular updates and discussions and allow more people with different talents and ideas to contribute.

I look forward to getting to know you and any ideas and changes that would help create an inclusive and thriving environment for all students.

Thank you.



Nazgul Haidari

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Hello,

My name is Nazgul Haidari, and I am currently pursuing a Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting) at Federation University and am in my final year. I have been part of student senate last year it was amazing and I really enjoy being part of such an amazing program which try to help Federation university to be one of the best uni for staff and students. I love the way the student's representative is the voice of students who are not willing to talk and raise an issue they are facing. Most of the time student does not even know such help are available in the university. it is really helpful when senates are here to introduce this amazing support through university.

I believe my experiences and skills make me well-suited for advocating on behalf of my fellow students during my term. One pivotal experience that has shaped my ability to represent others was when I was elected as a class captain at Cranbourne Secondary College in 2018. During that time, I learned how to effectively bridge the gap between students and teachers. I recognized that many students have valuable insights and concerns, but they often struggle to share them directly with the faculty.

My approach to addressing this issue involved building trust and rapport. I spent time engaging with students from different groups, having open and friendly conversations during lunchtime. As they feel comfortable sharing their thoughts with me, knowing that their concerns would be heard and represented. Furthermore, I was an active member of the badminton group for nearly three years, an inclusive platform that connected students from various year levels. This experience expanded my network and provided an opportunity to discuss matters beyond our own year level.

My effective communication and active listening skills have consistently proven beneficial in these scenarios. These qualities have not only allowed me to understand the needs of my peers but also to respond proactively for necessary changes. Additionally, I have a strong ability to adapt quickly, which will be essential in navigating the diverse challenges and opportunities that may arise during my term.

As I take on this role at the university, I am committed to continuing my efforts to improve student experiences, ensuring that their voices are heard and acted upon. I intend to foster an environment where students feel empowered to share their ideas, collaborate with faculty, and collectively contribute to the growth and development of our university community.

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