DARIO TOMAN

Head of Non-Resident Affairs



Governance Experience

- Two years as a member of the Finance Committee, one year as Deputy Chair.
- Sat on various subcommittees regarding Fiscal and Constitutional Reform.
- Two years as NRAC
 Treasurer, working closely with two Heads teams.

Commuter Experience

- Have lived with parent's in Etobicoke for all three of my years at Trinity
- Very active member of the Non-Resident Community

Trinity Experiences

- Trinity College Literary Institute Executive all three years
- Proster's Society President

Trinity College has been my home 45 minutes away from home for the past three exhilarating years. I love our community and am excited to have the opportunity to give back to it if elected Head of NRA. What sets me apart as a candidate is my strong governance expertise, paired with experiences as a commuter student at Trinity.

Over the past two years, being treasurer of NRAC has prepared me for headship in a way no other experience can. I have worked closely alongside two heads' teams and have provided them with support in organizing events, budgeting, and day-to-day operations. My time on the Trinity College Finance Committee has trained me for a leadership role in governance, as I have both procedural aptitude and a very thorough understanding of our Constitution.

The vast majority of non-resident students do not live a five minute walk away from campus, rather they live with at home, often an hour or more away by public transit. My experiences living with my family in Etobicoke, while remaining extremely involved in the Trinity community, give me insight into the challenges that commuter students face. With a few minor changes, Trinity can become much more accessible to these students.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or if you want to chat. You can reach me over facebook, email, or phone, or of course in the NRAC common room, where I spend 90% of my waking time.

Meaningful Change

Event Accessibility: Advocate for Dances and Pub-Nights to start earlier, so that commuters who need to take public transit home can do so. Establish commuter hosting lists similar to that of frosh week for Conversant and Saints.

Non-Resident Space: Collaborate with Kalyna to lobby the administration to move forward on the creation of a new Commuter Lounge. A new space is needed for commuters to feel that Trinity is their home away from home, as the needs of the community have outgrown the current common room.

Community: Organize frequent community building events and goes-to's, including an overnight trip (Hart House Farm or Ski Trip), and maintain strong communication to facilitate involvement.