<u>TCDS Co-President – Rebecca Lefranc</u>

Hey Trinitrons, I'm Rebecca Lefranc and I'm running for TCDS Co-President!

From 5 year old me memorizing every OST I could get my hands on, to my (admittedly lackluster) performances in high-school, drama has had a hold on my soul. As a volunteer for Front of House, the TCDS' Events Planner in my second year, and stage manager for Trin's 2017 Drama Festival submission, I have comfortably nestled myself back into the theatre community I so love.



Now, I'd like to be the (co-)mama bird that helps nurture our little nest. The theatre community has been my home and, for me, has always represented collaboration, a multitude of talents, and diversity. As co-president, I'd like to enhance these qualities in the TCDS.

I plan to increase our collaboration with other drama groups so that the TCDS will be able to pool resources, increase our advertising reach, and improve Trinity's relationship with the wider U of T community. Next year, I'd like to create in-house workshops that will draw on our alumni and community resources to help people hone skills needed to produce a successful drama season. And finally, diversity; the best quality of the theatre community. As co-president I'd like to work with Trinity clubs and the broader Trin community to understand why diversity has been lacking in our productions and how we can fix that. It may be a long and difficult process, but I believe it's absolutely vital to better our productions and our community.

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Rebecca Lefranc