

2025 FAFASA ELECTIONS

# STUDENT-CENTERED MANIFESTO

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# INTRODUCTION AND CORE VALUES

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Dear fellow students,

My name is Frank Adriano; I am honored to present myself as a candidate for the position of **speaker** of Face-to-Face Student Association (FAFASA). I believe that leadership is not just about occupying a position, it is about service, structure, fairness and ensuring that every student regardless of their background or faculty has a seat on the table.

Throughout my time at this institution, I've observed that many students feel disconnected from the association and its operations. Others feel unheard, uninformed and many uninvolved. This should not be the case in an environment meant to prepare us for cooperation, leadership and civic responsibility.

As Speaker, I will work tirelessly to build a **transparent** and **inclusive** environment where communication flows freely, accountability is standard and unity is the centre of everything.

# WHAT I WILL DELIVER AS THE SPEAKER

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### 1. **Hosting General Assemblies at the Beginning and End of Every Semester**

One of the concerns is the gap between leadership and student body. I intend to address this by ensuring that general assemblies are held at least twice: once at the beginning of the semester to discuss expectations and at the end of the semester to reflect on what has been achieved and what needs improvement.

These meetings will serve as the space where students can raise concerns, give feedback, ask questions and suggest potential solutions to different problems that will arise. It will also be a time to hold leaders accountable for promises made and actions taken.

### 2. **Establishing Departmental Representation Through Associations**

Representation should be inclusive and distributed evenly. I propose that **each academic department have an official representative** selected through their departmental student associations. This will ensure that issues that are unique to a certain department or programme of study are heard and presented during FAFASA meetings.

With this system we will ensure that all communication gaps between smaller groups and the father association is closed, creating two-way feedback.

### 3. **FAFASA Monthly Reports of Expenditure**

Transparency in financial matters is very crucial. If elected, I will ensure that FAFASA provides **monthly financial reports** detailing how funds are being used. These reports will be made available to all students both physical through the notice board or and digitally via school platforms.

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Every student has the right to know where the money is going and it is the association's duty to keep these doors open at all times.

### 4. **Amplifying All Student Voices**

It is not enough for only a few voices to be heard. I am committed to amplifying the voices of all students, especially those who may feel excluded. Through the general assembly and direct engagement, I will make sure that all perspectives are taken into account.

The must reflect the collective voice of the students, I will make it my personal mission and objective to ensure that no student feels ignored or left out.

## MY COMMITMENT

- To serve as a fair and an impartial speaker who moderates meetings with structure and respect
- To build an environment where **transparency and accountability** are the norm
- To inform and update students regularly on key decisions, changes and actions taken by the association
- To work hand in hand with student leaders to ensure all voices are included in the decision-making process

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In closing, I would like to say: this campaign is not only about me. It is also about us, our growth, our concerns and our voice. I want to be the kind of speaker that does not just manage meetings but shapes conversation, builds bridges and stand boldly for truth unity and progress.

I humbly ask for your vote and your trust.

Let's bring accountability, transparency and true representation to our student association.

**Vote for FRANK ADRIANO for Speaker**

*A voice you can trust. A speaker for all*