My name is Chris Wilson and I am running for election to the position of Vice President of Administration. I am currently a Junior and a Psychology major in the College of Arts and Sciences.   
  
As part of Wash U, I believe that the Vice President of Administration should support the goals and values of the University and students. These values, of course, include the principles of diversity and inclusion, respect, and tolerance for others. In carrying out the functions of Student Union, I will respect these fundamental principles.

One major goal of mine over the course of the following year is to allow students’ opinions to be voiced and taken into account before making major decisions. We can do this by increasing transparency in the decision making process and also shifting Student Union to a more proactive rather than reactive body.  
  
Being Vice President of Administration means a lot to me because I am passionate about people, learning, and growing. I love working with others to build a stronger Washington University community. Over the years, I have gained a great deal of experience working in groups to achieve a common goal through programs such as Student Union Treasury, Books and Basketball, California Scholarship Federation, and the College Bound Leadership Academy. I understand the importance of team work and believe that everyone at Wash U should have a voice, and that is why I’d like you to elect me, because I reflect you. I believe the most important role of Student Union is to ensure that every student is heard. Although we do not all share the same experiences, each one of our stories is significant. My experience is grounded in balance. By working with the committees and organizations of Student Union I can assist all student groups in sharing their message, and give all students the opportunity to grow and be successful.