

# CANDIDATE MANIFESTO

**YOUR NAME:**

Omar Siddiqi

**YOUR DEPARTMENT:**

Philosophy

**THE POSITION YOU ARE APPLYING FOR:**

Finance & Services Committee

**YOUR PHOTO:****YOUR 100 WORD SUMMARY:**

Who am I? My name is Omar. Not Edward. Not Aryeh. Just Omar. Yell out "OMAIR!" around UCL, chances are I'll turn around and respond. Of course, you could say that who I am is more than a name. Who I am could be a 2<sup>nd</sup> year Economics & Philosophy student, one who's had time to not only get accustomed to the workings of our Union, but to have experienced first-hand its short-comings. And as such, who I am could be someone who believes he's at the opportune stage to attempt to work on issues concerning our Union.

**YOUR MANIFESTO:**

I believe my degree gives me adequate grounding to work for the Finance Committee – even, in fact, making it a natural fit. Having already been a member of the Finance Committee for UCLU, I've not only gained experience in serving our University, but I have also represented students in matters that the Finance Committee should be held accountable.

As part of the committee, I aim to:

- Represent any issues, queries, concerns or complaints that students have regarding the Financial Flow of the union across to the committee, and hence ensure that the committee reflects the needs of the students, insofar as much as is possible,
- Widen student participation (and thus accept requests for financing from a larger pool) so as to ensure that each voice is heard,
- Ensure the Financial Committee's accountability to students, and thus creating a greater sense of student sovereignty.



**VOTE!**

