WOMENS OFFICER

DOLLY AKINDE

Hi, my name is Oluwadolapo (Dolly) Akinde. I am studying MSc Quantity Surveying. I have held many leadership positions during my undergrad such as team leader and captain of my football team. I have developed leadership skills such as collaboration, teamwork, and problem-solving through active listening which I believe will set me up for success as a Women officer.

Being a woman to me means wearing my Grandmother's clothes being proud of who I am becoming and happy with who I am. Walking in her footsteps and Identifying myself as an African Woman knowing that either I'm a woman with dark skin, certain height, size and shape I am beautiful, I am perfect, I am gorgeous and I can achieve whatever I want because being a woman is not a curse or a limitation. It is a blessing and power, and that magical power comes from within of owning my identity.

Identity and power are the issues that most of us women face today. This is why... My mission is **to protect**, **to empower**, **to serve**!

- Priority 1- Catering for Women's needs by making sure there are sanitary towels and tampons in every female toilet on all campuses. As cost of living is high, through regular meetings with the schools and other leaders, I will make sure the essentials for Women are provided to help reduce the cost of living.
- Priority 2- Creating a safer atmosphere for Women in and around campus during the day and at night by creating awareness on personal safety and self- defence to ensure safety of all women.

If I am elected, these are the things I will make sure are provided for women. The objective is clear, but I cannot do it alone, vote Dolly and **together let's make the change we want to see.**

SARA JOHN

My name is **Sara John** and I am running for the role of **Volunteer Women's Officer**. I am the perfect candidate for this position because I am incredibly passionate about gender equality and equitable gender representation. At our college in India, I had served as the women's cell in charge while I was an Assistant Professor. Above that, serving as an active member of the college NAAC team, Assistant Placement Officer, Coordinator of Alumni, Cultural, Admissions, Class incharge, and other jobs has given me a wealth of experience and insight. Moreover, I have coordinated various programmes for women's awareness, gender equality, sexual harassment, etc.

As your Women's Officer:

- Work to lessen gender disparities on campus by advocating for female students' interests and working to create a community where men and women respect one another, where chances are not constrained by gender, and where no woman is denied her rights.
- Work to ensure that women are represented equally in the student union, to

support

their desire for leadership positions. To ensure that many people's talents and ideas are heard and used, I want to encourage women to find their voice and ensure that it is heard. I want to work with women at the university to give them the confidence to share their ideas and proposals with the student union.

• Women ought to feel secure at our University. I am well aware of the significance of enhancing women's safety on campus. Real problems that need to be addressed include sexual abuse, stalking, and rape culture. I'll strive to maintain the education and awareness that ensure sexual harassment is dealt with tactfully and successfully at our university.

I'm sure I can achieve these goals with your assistance.

Vote in favour of Sara John.

Vote for equal representation of women.