



**Official Executive Cabinet Candidates
General Elections Spring 2022**

Presidential Candidate

Jana Abulaban



As the President of the Associated Student Organization, one of my main goals is to continue serving the different populations we have on campus. By valuing equity, diversity, and inclusion, I will ensure that we continue to provide the resources needed for all students, while creating more opportunities for them. This includes providing more resources to serve the student-parent population, students with disabilities, and students who struggle with transportation and housing. In addition, I will focus on promoting safety and security on campus as I do believe that all students should feel safe coming to campus and attending classes at any time of the day. Most importantly, I will be working with the rest of the ASO team and partnering with other campus departments to make that possible. As always, I will continue to serve as the voice for all students at El Camino College and ensure that everyone is being represented and heard.

Vice Presidential Candidate

Luisa Paredes



My goals for the following year would be to continue advocating for the student body by listening to students and creating an environment that promotes safety, equity, and engagement.

Student Trustee Candidate

Sidney Lee



Hello, my name is Sidney Lee and I am running for Student Trustee. As my first year serving as ASO Commissioner of Human Resources is coming to a close, I am able to reflect on all the amazing experiences and new skill sets I have developed during my term. I was able to serve on committees I am passionate about, as well as help plan events to enrich campus life such as Earth Day and Finals Madness. My experience building relationships with students, faculty, and staff has prepared me well for the position of Student Trustee. I would be proud to represent the student body and serve as a bridge between students and the administration. If elected, I would focus on building a more accessible and sustainable campus that works for all its students.

Director of Equity Diversity and Inclusion

Matt Schulz

My name is Matt Schulz and I am running to become a Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion for ASO. As Director of EDI, I want to continue to advocate and build spaces for underrepresented students at El Camino College. For example, I will ensure that spaces such as the Black Student Success Center and the Social Justice Center will finish development on time and be available for students to use. Additionally, I will create new projects that promote diversity, equity, and inclusion for groups such as the student parent population. If I am elected, I will help ECC fulfill its mission statement of making higher education become a more equitable and diverse field. I identify as a member of underrepresented groups (Latino and LGBTQ+), so I know how important it is to elect someone who represents and understands the diversity of our beautiful community.

Director of Human Resources Candidate

Alondra Alvarado



Hello everyone! My name is Alondra Alvarado and I'm running for ASO's Director of Human Resources! I'm a communications major who served on ASO during the 2021-2022 school year as your Commissioner of Public Relations. During this term, I had multiple wonderful opportunities to work alongside interview committees where I discovered an interest and passion in the Human Resources position. If given the opportunity to be your Director of HR, I hope to improve communications and relationships in and outside of the ASO team. Overall, I hope to serve as a Director to improve student engagement and interest in ASO events and committees! Thank you for this opportunity!

Director of Human Resources Candidate

Kika Akpenyi

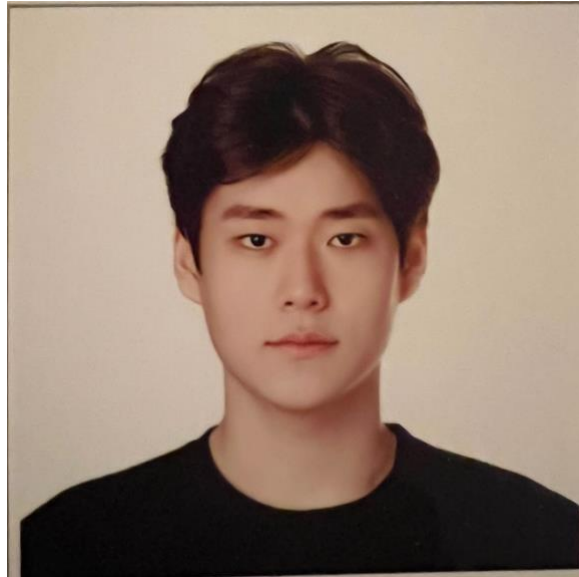


I consider myself a good team player, quick learner and a detail-oriented person. I believe that by being part of a student-leading body, I would play an important role in building bonds among the staff, faculty, and administration.

If given an opportunity to be part of this committee, I would be glad to contribute my time and efforts in making the difference for the El Camino student body and staff to the best of my ability.

Director of External Affairs Candidate

Minhyeong (Allen) Park



Minhyeong Park, I am an international student from South Korea and completing an associate degree in Political Science. In addition, I currently work as a Director of Finance in the Inter-Club Council, Commissioner of Student Services in Associated Student Organization, and also participate in Student Equity Advisory Council (SEAC) meetings. I planned many events such as club advisor presentations and Blood Drives. I also helped with other events that ICC held such as the club rush. Furthermore, I worked in the finance team, which reviewed the club's budget requests and submitted forms. I developed problem-solving, teamwork, and responsibility. My abilities and experience will help me work as a Director of External Affairs.

Director of Finance

Uzair Pasta



As the Associated Student Organization's Director of Finance, I intend to continue the organization's purpose of providing resources to all students. All of El Camino's events, programs, and clubs are funded through the budget we are given, thus a large portion of these programs are dependent on the dollars we can raise, which is why I will make it a point to fundraise so that all students have more options. I'll collaborate with El Camino students as well as my ASO team to ensure that we provide a welcoming environment for all.