NOTICE OF ELECTIONS 2025

Western Sydney University Student Union Limited Elections

August 2025

In accordance with the constitution and regulations, notice is hereby given of elections to be held for positions detailed in the schedule below. Further information regarding the positions, the role requirements and information about the NUS is located at the Student Elections webpage, http://www.westernsydney.edu.au/studentvoice.

Voting in the elections will be conducted online and all students on the electoral rolls at the close of nominations will receive email advice enabling them to access the voting site when it has opened.

The declaration of the Poll will be no later than Wednesday 1st October 2025.

The term of office will begin January 1st, 2026, except for positions for NUS delegates to conference which will be the duration of the NUS Annual Conference.

The three nominees for Board Directors with the highest votes will be elected for 2-year terms. The nominees for Board Directors who finish 4th, 5th and 6th in the poll will be elected for 1-year terms to begin the staggering of 2-year Director positions on the Board. (see website of more information)

The SRC positions are all 1-year terms.

Nomination of Candidates

Nominations for all positions opens at 9am, Friday 15TH August 2025 and closes at 4pm, Friday 25th August 2025.

Nominations must be submitted via the Student Elections Nomination Form and received by the Returning Officer by the close of nominations at 4.00 pm on Friday 25th August 2025. **Nominations received after the close of nominations will not be considered**.

Candidates should submit a photograph (passport size, head & shoulders jpeg/jpg file no larger than 200kb) and a candidate policy statement of **no more than 500 words** that will be made available to voters. These must be received by the Returning Officer before the close of nominations. Please note that each statement will be published with the candidate's

name on both the Western Sydney University elections website, as well as the online voting portal. Candidates are also reminded that any material such as candidate's statements must comply with the requirements of Section 36 of the WSUSU regulations. All candidates are reminded that they are subject to the University Code of Conduct in their electioneering.

Eligibility

All candidates must be currently enrolled students of Western Sydney University at the close of nominations.

Applications, including nomination forms, photographs and candidate policy statements, must be lodged with the Returning Officer via the online form available on the <u>Student elections page</u>. If you are unable to complete the online form, please contact Paul Clayton at p.clayton@westernsydney.edu.au.

Paul Clayton Returning Officer, Student Elections August 2025

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Schedule of Positions

- 1. NUS Representatives (Delegates to NUS National Conference) x 7 (Note: There are seven (7) NUS Representative positions).
- 2. Board Directors x 6 (three 2-year terms, 3 x 1-year terms)
- 3. SRC President (1-year term)
- **4.** SRC Vice President (1-year term)
- **5.** SRC General Secretary (1-year term)
- **6.** SRC Welfare Officer (1-year term)

Eligibility: Currently enrolled student at the close of nominations.