

INTEGRATION

As the SU Co-President for Battersea I will increase connectivity and integration over the three campuses to create a more cohesive community. My aims will be...

- Improving current and future **social spaces** by organising events that are inclusive to a wide range of students.
- Helping in the organization of **cross course** events and shows.
- **Increasing the membership of societies** by supporting their publicity throughout the year.
- I would push for a **“Battersea Art Bar”** to be established in the expanded Battersea campus. This would provide much needed social space and allow the students from the new science/technology based courses to mingle with the current art community.
- 72% of students surveyed (SU Survey 18_19 Battersea results) were not happy with the food on offer. I would work with students, the caterers, and the college to find ways of **improving the facilities and menu**.

SUPPORT

I want to create a friendly and approachable environment where students feel respected and heard. I will do this by...

- Making sure students are at the **center of decision making** at the college through the use of suggestion boxes, surveys, and listening intently to students concerns.
- Increasing **engagement with the SU** (according to the SU Survey 18_19 only 32% of students had engaged with the SU). I will do this by ensuring the role of the SU is made clearer.
- **Making the RCA more inclusive** by pushing for a greater number of scholarships and a new means-tested materials fund.
- Many of you in our community are **international students**, I will do my utmost ensure you are supported in regards to visas, housing, and your practice (i.e. crit terminology, written applications).

ENVIRONMENT

According to the SU Survey 60% of you do not think the college is doing enough to deal with questions of sustainability. I will strive to make Battersea campus, including the new expansion, greener and more environmentally aware. I believe the solution is...

- Increasing recycling and encouraging more **sustainable studio practices**.
- Working with **local businesses and charities**, ensuring the college can cut down on food, material, and energy waste whilst also using these resources ethically.
- **Ending the sale of single-use plastic** at Battersea by the end of the next academic year and ensuring there will be guidelines in place that would prevent the sale of single-use plastics in the new Battersea building.