

SU MANIFESTO Form 2021/22

Position: Women's Officer.

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5 AIMS FOR THE YEAR

- To create a better complaints system for reporting sexual misconduct which aims to **SOLVE, not SWEEP!**
- Create a **safe environment** for students who feel threatened, hurt, or harassed to talk about their issues without pressure to report, complain, or go further.
- Implementing ways to **protect our students** on SU and Fresher nights, such as “Ask for Angela”, escorting you to the tube station, and volunteers to be a **point of contact** for if you need help or support.
- Work towards making Central more **empathetic and understanding** toward victims of Sexual assault in our community, acknowledging the way in which sensitive information is communicated impersonally through emails .
- Creating a safe comfortable place, not only for those who are Female Identifying, but also those Assigned Female at birth.

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WE SAY ENOUGH!

We are both finishing our second year of Central, and so far have noticed gaps in the support, protections, and accommodations available when it comes to the safety and wellbeing of our students, particularly for those who identify as female, or were assigned Female at birth! Weve both had personal experiences which have impacted our time at central and found a lack of general support; not knowing where to go, or who to confide in. We want to work to ensure nobody else has to suffer in their studies as a result of bad personal experiences. Similarly, we want to work to ensure the safety of all students on campus, so that people can feel more confident and comfortable with being on campus.

We are very passionate about becoming representatives and a point of contact for any and all people at Central, regardless of gender identity, especially when it comes to everybody's safety and happiness on campus and throughout your studies. With one major aim to be developing a better and, more sensitive reporting system, so we can help SOLVE a problem, rather than SWEEP it under the carpet!

Throughout the year, as your Women's Officer's, we will aim to organise events and safe spaces for women to come together and build a stronger community for us at central, along with a place to talk things through, or simply be your point of contact between the higher powers at Central which may cause you stress in reporting or bringing up misconduct.