

VOTE EMMA NO.1 FOR VPSD!!



Hi I'm Emma Houston, I'm a 4th year studying Human Biology with Sociology & Psychology course. I've been volunteering for the past 2 years through the voluntary work and mentoring scheme & through this have taken part in the student leaders programme. This year I am also class rep & a student mentor on the Peer Assisted Supported Study Scheme. These opportunities have given me an appreciation for the huge number of opportunities that Caley students can get involved with & has enhanced my student experience. Now I want to give something back to GCU by helping other students have similar experiences.

ELECT ME & I WILL:

- **Campaign for more social space throughout GCU.** An important part of university is socialising and at the moment there's not enough space to do that. I pledge that as VPSD I will get more social space.
- **Continue the work to improve assessment feedback.** It's university policy that feedback should be received within 3 weeks, this isn't always happening. I want to make sure we get productive feedback to use, not just marks.
- **Extend library opening hours throughout the year & 24 hr opening near the end of term when most coursework is due as well as during exam time.**
- **Dedicated computer labs for 4th year, postgraduate and research students to focus on projects. This will also free up space in the library for other students' use.** We all know how hard it is to find a computer when we need it most, having a dedicated computer lab will be a step in the right direction to solve this problem
- **Promote the opportunities & advantages of going abroad to study for a year** At Caley we have the opportunity to go abroad and study for a year, this improves employability and gives us the chance to experience other countries!
- **Run events for international & exchange students to get to know & get involved with GCU.** I want to make sure that *everybody* at Caley has the chance to get involved with all of the opportunities available.
- **Promote volunteering opportunities by using freshers week, the freebies fayre and the get involved fayre – and then continue promotion throughout the year.**
- **Get more people involved with the Student Leaders Programme.** The programme is a great way to improve confidence and employability while recognising students for the hard work they're doing.
- **Carry on the work of last year by continuing to build the profile of Radio Caley & Re:Union magazine and also continue the hard work on the new Student Led Teaching Awards – let's give something back to the staff working hard to help us!**

Bring your matric card on Thursday 4th March to vote

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