

## DECLARATION OF ELECTION 2025

### ACADEMIC BOARD ELECTIONS

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The following candidates were hereby elected for a one-year term commencing on 1 January 2026 and concluding on 31 December 2026.

#### Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Hasankhon Munavvarkhonov	Loss		
Anton Issak	Elected (unallocated)		
Raees Merchant	Loss		
Kevin Hua	Elected (unallocated)		
Varnika Gautam	Loss		
Tanish Tanjil	Elected		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Vashti Mukherjee	Elected		
Darren Khoo	Loss		
Chris Fok	Loss		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

#### University of Sydney Business School

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Benjamin Dennis	Elected		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### Faculty of Engineering

Position:	Undergraduate Student Representative	Positions available:	1
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Teresa Chen		Loss	
Ethan Cao		Elected	
Outcome:	Elected by ballot		
Vacancies:	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### Faculty of Medicine and Health

Position:	Undergraduate Student Representative	Positions available:	1
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Sugra Ali		Withdrawn	
Outcome:	Vacant		
Vacancies:	1		

Position:	Postgraduate Student Representative	Positions available:	1
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Kristopher Kappatos		Elected (unallocated)	
Sakib Faisal Bhuiyan		Loss	
Aidan Tan		Loss	
Mohamed Al Ramahi		Loss	
Hope Tanudisastro		Loss	
Josh Gaul		Elected (unallocated)	
Michelle Kourieh		Elected	
Outcome:	Elected by ballot		
Vacancies:	0		

### Faculty of Science

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Mishree Patel		Elected (unallocated)	
Cristian Perpignani		Elected (unallocated)	
Justin Lau		Loss	
Lynne Qi		Loss	
Annika Wang		Elected	
Divyansh Singhal		Loss	

<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Nicholas Koen		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

### Sydney School of Architecture, Design and Planning

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### Sydney Conservatorium of Music

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### University of Sydney Law School

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Tameea Lock		<b>Elected unopposed</b>
	<del>Kierem Usta</del>		<del>Withdrawn</del>
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Jack Poppert		Elected
	Simon Homsany		Loss

<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0

## FACULTY BOARD / UNIVERSITY SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

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The following candidates were hereby elected for a one-year term commencing on 1 January 2026 and concluding on 31 December 2026.

### Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences Board

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	4
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Hasankhon Munavvarkhonov	Loss		
Anton Isaak	Elected		
Raees Merchant	Loss		
Kevin Hua	Elected		
Varnika Gautam	Elected		
Tanish Tanjil	Elected		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Vashti Mukherjee	Elected		
Aurora Zhang	Elected		
Darren Khoo	Loss		
Chris Fok	Loss		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

### University of Sydney Business School Board

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
Mark Ju	Elected		
Benjamin Dennis	Elected		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>			

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

### **Faculty of Engineering Board**

Position:	Undergraduate Student Representative	Positions available:	3
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Teresa Chen		Elected	
Ethan Cao		Elected	
Outcome:	Elected unopposed		
Vacancies:	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>	<b>Outcome:</b>		
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### **Faculty of Medicine and Health Board**

Position:	Undergraduate Student Representative	Positions available:	1
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Sughra Ali		Withdrawn	
Outcome:	Vacant		
Vacancies:	1		

Position:	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	Positions available:	1
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Kristopher Kappatos		Loss	
Mohamed Al Ramahi		Loss	
<del>Hope Tanudisastro</del>		<del>Withdrawn</del>	
Josh Gaul		Elected	
Michelle Kourieh		Loss	
Outcome:	Elected by ballot		
Vacancies:	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Aidan Tan		Elected
	Hope Tanudisastro		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

### **Faculty of Science Board**

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	5
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Mishree Patel		Elected
	Cristian Perpignani		Elected
	Justin Lau		Loss
	Lynne Qi		Elected
	Annika Wang		Elected
	Divyansh Singhal		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	3
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	3		

### **Sydney School of Architecture, Design and Planning Board**

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### Sydney Conservatorium of Music Board

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### University of Sydney Law School Board

Position:	Undergraduate Student Representative	Positions available:	1
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Tameea Lock		Elected unopposed	
<del>Kierem Usta</del>		<del>Withdrawn</del>	
Outcome:	Elected unopposed		
Vacancies:	0		

Position:	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	Positions available:	2
Candidates:		Outcome:	
Jack Poppert		Elected	
Simon Homsany		Elected	
Outcome:	Elected unopposed		
Vacancies:	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

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	Anton Issak		Elected
	Raees Merchant		Loss
	Kevin Hua		Elected
	Varnika Gautam		Elected
	Tanish Tanjil		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	3
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Vashti Mukherjee		Elected
	Xingyuan Cheng		Elected
	Chris Fok		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	3
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	3		

### **University of Sydney Business School**

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	4
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Mark Ju		Elected
	Benjamin Dennis		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	4
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	4		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	4
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	4		



### Faculty of Engineering

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	6
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Teresa Chen		Elected
	Ethan Cao		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	4		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

### Faculty of Medicine and Health

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	4
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Sughra Ali		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	3		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	3
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Kristopher Kappatos		Elected
	Sakib Faisal Bhuiyan		Loss
	Mohamed Al Ramahi		Loss
	Hope Tanudisastro		Withdrawn
	Josh Gaul		Elected
	Michelle Kourieh		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	3
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Aidan Tan		Elected
	Hope Tanudisastro		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### Faculty of Science

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	5
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Mishree Patel		Elected
	Cristian Perpignani		Elected
	Justin Lau		Loss
	Lynne Qi		Elected
	Annika Wang		Elected
	Divyansh Singhal		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected by ballot</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	3
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	3		

### Sydney School of Architecture, Design and Planning

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### Sydney Conservatorium of Music

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	2		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

### **University of Sydney Law School**

<b>Position:</b>	Undergraduate Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Tameea Lock		<b>Elected unopposed</b>
	<del>Kierem Usta</del>		<del>Withdrawn</del>
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Postgraduate Coursework Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	2
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
	Jack Poppert		Elected
	Simon Homsany		Elected
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Elected unopposed</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	0		

<b>Position:</b>	Higher Degree by Research Student Representative	<b>Positions available:</b>	1
<b>Candidates:</b>		<b>Outcome:</b>	
<b>Outcome:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>		
<b>Vacancies:</b>	1		

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### **EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

Expressions of Interest for vacant positions are dealt with in accordance with s 16 of the *Elections Policy*.

*For Academic Board positions, the Chair of the Academic Board on recommendation from the relevant faculty board or University school board will appoint a replacement as soon as practically possible, and will take into account the need to achieve an appropriate and equitable representation of the electorate's diversity.*

*For faculty, faculty board, University school, or University school board positions, the Dean; will appoint a replacement as soon as practically possible, and will take into account the need to achieve an appropriate and equitable representation of the electorate's diversity.*

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**Michelle Stanhope**

Chief Governance Officer and Returning Officer

7 October 2025

## NOTES

Notice of Ballot and Declaration of Results published pursuant to *Elections Policy 2022*.

Date first approved: 01 September 2025 (Notice of Ballot)  
Date commenced: 01 September 2025  
Date last amended: 18 September 2025 (Notice of Ballot)  
7 October 2025 (Declaration of Results)  
Administrator: Secretary to Senate

## AMENDMENT HISTORY

Category	Amendment	Approved
AcBd–Law–UG	Kierem Usta withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5). Post hoc ergo propter hoc, Tameea Lock declared elected unopposed.	08/09/2025
Board–Law–UG	Kierem Usta withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5). Post hoc ergo propter hoc, Tameea Lock declared elected unopposed.	08/09/2025
School–Law–UG	Kierem Usta withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5). Post hoc ergo propter hoc, Tameea Lock declared elected unopposed.	08/09/2025
Board-FMH-PGCW	Hope Tanudisastro withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5) and 10(8).	19/09/2025
Faculty-FMH-PGCW	Hope Tanudisastro withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5) and 10(8).	19/09/2025
Board-FMH-HDR	Hope Tanudisastro declared elected unopposed (cl 8(4)).	19/09/2025
Faculty-FMH-HDR	Hope Tanudisastro declared elected unopposed (cl 8(4)).	19/09/2025
AcBd-FMH-UG	Sughra Ali withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5). Casual Vacancy declared.	7/10/2025
Board-FMH-UG	Sughra Ali withdrawn pursuant to cl 13(5). Casual Vacancy declared.	7/10/2025