

SGA Elections: Candidate Profile 2023-2024 PENDING APPROVAL

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Please complete the questions below by 12pm (noon) on Wednesday, October 11. Failure to comply with this requirement will result in ineligibility.

Candidate or Ticket Members First and Last Name(s) * Nick Jebsen & Noelle Delumpa

Office(s) Sought * (Maximum authorized answers: 3)

- President
- Vice President
- Senator

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Class Rank of Candidate or all members of the Ticket * Nick - Junior, Noelle - Sophomore
(eg First Year, Sophomore, Junior, Senior)

Years at Xavier for Candidate or all members of the Ticket * Nick - 3rd year, Noelle - 2nd year

Candidate or Ticket Members Major(s) and Minor(s) * Nick - Major: Finance & Business Analytics, Minor: Political Economy; Noelle - Major: Philosophy, Politics, and the Public, Minor: Economics

Campaign Platform: In 30 words or less, state your campaign platform. *

We are "N'spiring More" and are focused on, but not limited to, "More" effective night-life protocol, student-preferred development, gameday enjoyment, transparency, and equitable funding. Further details can be found below.

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Qualifications: *

Nick - Current Senator of 2 years and Chairman of Campus on and Off Living Committee on SGA. 2022 Manresa Orientation Group Leader. Student representative on Athletic Advisory Board and Harassment Hearing Board. Strong history working and leading teams through multiple internships and part-time jobs. Noelle - Current Senator of 1 term, after being appointed to fill a Senate vacancy as a first year, and current Chairwoman of SGA's Academic Affairs Committee. Student representative on the University Committees for Public Honors, Academic Calendar, and interim representative of the Parking Committee. Participation in Cincinnati city council campaigning has offered experience rooted in leadership, collaboration, and community engagement.

Please list qualifications that will help you in the office for which you are running. Tickets, please identify who the qualification belongs to.

Goals and/or Plans for Office *

1. "MORE Game-day enjoyment" – We will advocate for an enhancement to Xavier's pregame/tailgating atmosphere, particularly for basketball games. We believe the Cintas environment is already incredible, but assistance from the administration would be beneficial in promoting a more relaxed, community-building, tailgating culture before games (rather than the stress of lines and seat acquisition on gameday).
2. "MORE Effective Nightlife Protocols" - We are dedicated to elevating awareness and education concerning procedures for off-campus nightlife. This initiative involves building a constructive rapport between the student body and the Norwood Police, with the twin objectives of fortifying student safety and devising strategies for handling sizable social gatherings without requiring police intervention.
3. "MORE Transparency" – We will do so by hosting a biannual or annual campus-wide 'community forum' gathering, where we extend invitations to both students and administration. Our goal is to foster closer connections between these two vital groups. During these events, students will have the chance to engage in open dialogues with the administration, while simultaneously providing valuable feedback on their university experience. Furthermore, we will hold regular office hours each week, during which our office will be open for students to drop in, have conversations, and share their thoughts on their campus experience.
4. "MORE Equitable Funding" – In light of recent

budgetary challenges impacting club funding, we are actively exploring refinements to our student activity fee support system. Our primary goal is to safeguard Xavier's commitment to community engagement through clubs. These potential adjustments may involve expanding the pool of student activity funds allocated to clubs, aiming to sustain meaningful campus initiatives without imposing undue financial strain on students. 5. "MORE Student-Preferred Development" - We are committed to actively championing and engaging with the ongoing expansion of commercial businesses in proximity to our campus as part of the evolving campus master plan. We pledge to prioritize student feedback in determining the selection of preferred restaurants, bars, and other development projects as administration asks for input.

Please list your top 5 goals and/or plans you wish to accomplish in office

Why are you interested in serving in the role(s) of the office(s) sought? *

Genuinely, we both love giving back and leading the student body while being a constant voice for students. We believe this is an ever-important time in the university to represent the student body. The future of the university with the unveiling of the master plan will likely need student input, and we believe much of our ideas would cumulatively improve the student experience. We are deeply committed to serving in these roles because they provide us with a unique opportunity to translate our passion for student advocacy into action. We want to ensure that student voices are heard and valued in shaping the future of our university. By serving in these offices, we can actively contribute to the betterment of our campus, fostering a stronger, more inclusive, and vibrant community for all.

Please submit a headshot *

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