

Sexual Health and Consent:

This has been the focus of many SU campaigns and I would like to develop on this work by...

- **Adding an anti-fraternisation policy between students and academic staff.**
- I will lobby behind **sexual health testing being made more accessible on campus.**
- Continuing the consent workshops and the inclusive sex ed workshops which the SU have been running.

ABOUT ME

Hi, I'm Jill (She/Her) and I'm a 22-year-old final year English and Drama student from Belfast. I've decided to run for Welfare Officer this year as I have noticed a lot of injustices and issues both scround campus and in general that I would love to help fix. As a disabled student the SU has done so much to help me and it would be my honour to be able to do that for others. I have spent my time at UCD immersed in student life while struggling with the



pandemic. Being a part of multiple minorities has allowed me to understand the importance of having people who are able to support you in every avenue of your life and I am striving to be that support for UCD students for the upcoming year. Most importantly, I am ready to listen, learn and always be in your corner, even if all you need is a friendly face around campus.

Vote Jill #1 For Welfare

EQUALITY, UNITY, ACCESSIBILITY



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HOUSING

The housing crisis has been a focus of UCDSU's and this is something which if elected I will continue to do this by...

- **Sliding scale housing listing**, UCD does not allocate housing based on pricing which means that many people cannot afford the accommodation they are offered. I would change this to be led by what each student can afford instead
- **Phased release of housing** so that those who are returning to UCD are aware if they need to look for housing elsewhere, and they do not have to wait until CAO offers are released.
- **Reinstating the policy that housing is allocated to those who live a certain distance away from campus** so that accommodation is allocated to those who need it most.
- **I will continue to lobby behind housing crisis and reduction of rent of all Dublin housing.**

ACCESSIBILITY

I want to improve accessibility on campus and help make the lives of the students easier. I will act on this by...

- **Regular servicing of access buttons** across campus, many these do not work and are not repaired fast enough, regular maintenance will prevent them from lying idle and creating difficulty for disabled students.
- **Laundrette access and regular cleaning**, the laundrettes are both inaccessible and unhygienic which makes washing your clothes incredibly difficult when in a wheelchair resolving this issue will allow disabled students to live their day to day life easier.
- **Removal of the booking system of the sensory room** in the James Joyce library as it is impractical.
- **Additional sensory rooms will be added across campus**
- **Reduction of the administration involved with the on campus mental health services**

EQUALITY

UCD has a definite gap in equality within minorities. If elected I will ...

- **Create direct referral pathways for trans healthcare**, the trans community in Ireland have to go through a difficult referral process in order to gain access to vital healthcare. This is unacceptable in many ways and needs to be dealt with directly, I want to create a much easier pathway for the trans community of UCD to gain access to these services on campus.
- **Make it an option for pronouns to be recorded on roll call sheets** that will be distributed to academic staff. I would like UCD to be more inclusive for the LGBTQIA+ community in all regards, pronoun consideration is going to be a big part of this. It is not up to the individual to publicly alert each academic staff member of their pronouns, therefore having this information readily available to the teaching staff will decrease accidental misgendering of students.
- **Create a google form for all teaching staff of UCD to allow immunocompromised students to ask for mask or zoom accommodations within lectures.**

UNITY

College can be a lonely time for some people. I want UCDSU to continue to foster the sense of community which they have built for students. I will do this by...

- Making SU events that **create a safe space for immunocompromised people to socialise**, loneliness is incredibly prevalent within this community especially post-covid lockdown. Events that are targeted towards combating this will be one of my priorities if I am elected.
- **Potluck events** to help everyone who goes to UCD have a place to socialise and bond with others.