



# Candice Buchanan

## for

# Wellbeing Officer

I'm a postgrad student studying an MA in Linguistics and English Studies. I was a Combined Honours undergrad at MMU for 4 years, a year of which was spent in Spain as an Erasmus student. I loved my time at Man Met so much I decided to come back here for my Masters. As an undergrad I was the LGBT Society President (2006/7) and I am currently a Course Rep for my MA class.

My **priorities** for the campaign are:

- 1) **Healthy body, healthy mind:** I want to encourage students to look after their health whilst at university with a *Get MMU-ving* campaign and add to the wonderful work at the uni on mental health with *Self-care Sundays*.

- 2) **Safety first:** Alarming crime stats for last year on and around campus have led me to believe that student safety is a big issue. I will encourage students to be more safety conscious with a **Look Up!** campaign and encourage dialogue and discussions with regards to sexual harassment and consent.
- 3) **Diversity and inclusion:** I want to celebrate the diverse student population at Man Met, encourage students to get involved with their Union and be proud of whatever it is that makes them **#MMUUnique**.

I care about the student body at MMU and have enjoyed representing them in different capacities over the years. This coming year I would like to take the next step and become a student officer within The Union. There I will be able to influence decision making and make positive changes for the wellbeing of all students at MMU.

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