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Year: 03

Major: Animal Science

Minor: Agribusiness

Qualifications:

President Block & Bridle Club

Vice President PVMA

CoAg SGA Cabinet Student Relations Chair

Former Treasurer Block & Bridle Club

Former Service Chair PVMA

CARE Humane Society Volunteer

Platform: Empower, Engage, Excel: A Vision for Excellence in Agriculture

I am excited to present my platform as a candidate for Vice President of the Student Council. Grounded in the core principles of Empower, Engage, and Excel, my vision for our student body revolves around creating an inclusive, active, and high-achieving community where every voice matters and every individual thrives.

Empower: Amplifying Student Voices and Initiatives

Empowerment is the cornerstone of effective leadership. As Vice President, I will prioritize initiatives that empower students to voice their opinions, share their ideas, and take proactive roles in shaping College of Agriculture culture and policies. I propose the establishment of a Student Idea Forum, a platform where students can anonymously submit proposals, provide feedback, and share opinions on key aspects in our college.

Engage: Building a Connected and Inclusive Ag Hill Community

I will spearhead initiatives that promote collaboration among students, faculty, and staff. Engagement is vital to fostering a sense of belonging and unity among students. As your representative I want to hold more events that promote interaction and collaboration within our diverse student body. This includes the continuation of community-building events that encourage interdepartmental dialogue, and celebrate agriculture in all respects like our welcome back picnic and beyond the farm. Additionally, I would like to improve the impact and reach of the many student organizations that call the College of Ag home. By providing resources, guidance, and support, we can ensure that these groups have the tools they need to organize events, advocate for change, and empower their members to make a difference.

Excel: Enhancing Academic and Extracurricular Opportunities

Excellence is achieved when students are provided with the resources, opportunities, and support they need to excel academically and personally. As Vice President, I will work tirelessly to enhance academic support services, expand access and awareness of extracurricular opportunities,

and promote a culture of continuous learning and growth. This includes the strong fight to bring more accessible food options to Ag Hill

Additionally, I will work to expand access to internships, research opportunities, and professional development workshops, ensuring that every student has the opportunity to explore their passions, develop their skills, and prepare for future success. To further support academic achievement, I will advocate for the creation of a tutoring and mentorship program, where experienced students can assist their peers in challenging college of agriculture classes. This initiative will not only enhance the learning experience but also contribute to the sense of community within the College of Agriculture.

In conclusion, I am dedicated to leading our College of Agriculture towards a future marked by empowerment, engagement, and excellence. With your support, we can build a community where each member is inspired to reach their full potential, where collaboration thrives, and where academic and professional achievements are collectively celebrated.

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