Name: Luke Calamari Year: 03 Major: Finance

## **Qualifications:**

Alpha Kappa Psi, VP of Finance HCOB Executive Student Council, Alumni Relations Auburn Finance Society, Real Estate Division Tau Mu Lambda Honor Society, Member

## **Platform:**

My name is Luke Calamari, and I am excited and honored to announce my candidacy for Vice President of the Harbert College of Business on the Strictly Business ticket. Throughout my time at Auburn, I have gotten actively involved in a variety of organizations in the Harbert College of Business. These experiences have not only grown my passion for Auburn but the Business College as well. I have gained valuable insight into the needs and goals of my fellow students and want to become an active part in the change going on in our school as we move to a better future for students, alumni, and faculty.

With this being said, I am proud to announce that the cornerstone of my platform is to build a constant flow of communication and feedback between the students and faculty. In my time at Auburn, I have realized that one of the biggest issues is with students not knowing what is going on and feeling as if there is little way to offer their feedback on the operations of Harbert. This opportunity would create an online platform that allows students to give direct feedback on the things going on in classes, on campus, and with organizations, but share their opinions for improvement or changes they would like to see. I feel that the biggest opportunity for growth is a school that looks for the best improvements for not just its students, but its faculty. If we can create a more dynamic line of communication for both, than we can continue to build the name of the Harbert College of Business exponentially.

As your Vice President, I am committed to enhancing the passion for excelling through growth and innovation. This idea not only aligns with the opportunities currently in place at Auburn, but with the ideology that defines the direction Auburn is heading in. My goal since I stepped foot on campus has been to leave Auburn a better place than I found it, and the opportunity to be HCOB's Vice President is one that I do not take lightly. I want to listen to the students, the faculty, and the alumni, and figure out how we can continue to turn Auburn into a campus that gives great opportunities to all and drives success outside of these halls.