



Hi everyone!

My name is Marcia Mukono and I am running for the position of Academic and Legal Affairs Secretary.

Bits about me

- Zimbabwean
- Second Year Student
- Studying International Relations

My moto for this campaign and for my term if elected is "You want something done, I am the One." I feel as though this is a true statement that reflects my personality, leadership style and what I aim to achieve in this office. An open door policy where I am accessible

to the students. Where problems, concerns can easily be raised without hesitation. A space where YOU FEEL FREE to talk. Conversations that yield results.

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Why me?

- I take my academics very seriously and will make your learning process a priority too
- I have been working with the current SRC and me being in office will see completion of various projects

- I am confident and well-spoken and this is something that will be key in raising your concerns with the administration, as well as representing you on legal matters
- I am well versed in legal proceedings due to prior experience working at a Leading Law firm (Gill Godlonton and Gerrans)

At the end of the day your academics is the core business and I want to ensure that students leaving Africa University do not feel short changed. I want to create an environment where students are in charge of their learning process.

Over and Above the normal duties delegated to me here is what I am bringing to the table:

1. Creating a well-rounded student by encouraging inter-faculty programs

The world as we know it doesn't allow us to be focused on one thing. As an accounting student you cannot solely rely on your accounting skills to survive. There is a need for students to be allowed to access all information they wish from the university. For starters I would like to introduce seminars in topical issues that will affect everyone, for example currently the implementation of the AFCTA will affect the majority of us despite what program you are doing. As time goes on and resources allowing, I would like to advocate for the university to offer students the chance to do minors in courses that maybe unrelated to their major and have these achievements recognized. These inter-faculty programs will widen our scope and expose us to new ideas. This will create a student that is a cut above the rest.



2. Peer to Peer Tutoring scheme

Work towards this has already started and I will monitor its completion. The tutoring scheme will allow for students in higher streams to tutor students in the lower streams much like the existing system for HIT100. Students will be thoroughly vetted and must have exemplary grades in order to become an effective tutor. This betters the learning process because a tutorial is a more lax environment allowing for students to interject and thoroughly exhaust discussions on any problem areas guaranteeing academic excellence.

3. Enhancing your creativity



Africa University has talented creatives and sometimes our specific programs do not allow us to truly enhance that side of ourselves. I for one feel this way and I am sure other students feel the same. I have already been working closely with the current SRC President on [creating a school](#)

[magazine](#). This will enhance our writers, photographers and all artists alike to do what we love and create. As it stands conversations have already begun to set it up and if elected I will oversee this project to the very end. It will create a space for creatives while providing the students with something to look forward to every issue. The program is also

looking to get some members if not all to undergo a short training under UDEMY and this is something that can be added onto their curriculum vitae.

4. Inviting legal professionals to interact with students.

The law is an integral part of our daily lives especially after leaving school and I want to equip you with as much knowledge as possible. The Law will affect signing contracts for work, for your side hustles, buying a house, dealing with your bank, travel documents etc. By bringing in several key legal professionals a student will be well versed in the basic day to day legal issues that they may come across.