



Student Trustee Candidate 1: Elizabeth Richey

Why do you want to be Student Trustee for the 2021-2022 academic year?

I think my voice can make a difference. When it comes to bring the perspective of students into the board room. I think I would be a good student trustee, I do not have much experience. But I am a fast learner, and want to grow my understanding of the student body. I believe that hosting on campus fundraising events can help make college necessities more affordable to our students.

What experiences and ideas can you bring to the Student Trustee position?

I am not experienced when it comes to this field of work. But I am ready, and eager to learn new things. I hope to bring my best skills that I have learned in customer service to the table.

Student Trustee Candidate 2: Andres Olalde

Why do you want to be Student Trustee for the 2021-2022 academic year?

I want to be a Student Trustee because of a few reasons, one of those reasons being to give back to a college that has done so much for me. If I wasn't able to come to Black Hawk College I wouldn't have ever been able to find what I love the most and that is animals. Secondly, being Student Trustee will allow me to put my opinion and the opinion of my peers on display and to be recognized to better BHC. Lastly, I feel like it'll give me a great opportunity to work on my leadership skills to not know better my in the working environment but in the military as well.

What experiences and ideas can you bring to the Student Trustee position?

The experience I can bring to the table is being able to give the viewpoint of a person with little agriculture background and describe how Black Hawk College open the doors to a lifestyle I have come to love. I'll be able to give the ideas of more resources that the college

could possibly introduce like having cattle closer or even on campus so students in classes like beef science don't have to make forty minutes to an hour trip for labs. Not saying at all they should cut the traveling to farms from the labs because that experience is first hand which you can't get a lot of anymore. The experience of being somewhat of an outsider to agriculture and getting to learn and experience here and become more engaged with the lifestyle and work of agriculture allows me to represent a certain student base that could help the college grab the attention of students like I was who don't know what they are missing.

Student Trustee Candidate 3: Dillon Sheiss

Why do you want to be Student Trustee for the 2021-2022 academic year?

I have been interested in being a Student Trustee to not only share my ideas, but sit in on and be exposed to important meetings that can set me up for life down the road. I believe the student trustee program does a great job of exposing students to different situations that are important for their success in the future.

What experiences and ideas can you bring to the Student Trustee position?

I believe that it is important that the East Campus has a voice from someone who has participated in and been in a wide variety of events. Participating on a team for the school I believe that I can bring forth experiences and ideas that are different than just the daily life of a BHC student. I hope to be a valuable asset to the board meetings, working diligently with everyone in place.

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WEDNESDAY MARCH 10TH AND THURSDAY MARCH 11TH

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