

Alex Yepez



Student Government Senator

Candidate Statement

Hello CI!

I am excited to announce that I'm running for a position on the ASI Board of Directors, as well as a Senator for Student Government. Currently, I am a 3rd year junior majoring in Sociology with a minor in Communication and Chicano Studies. In my time here at CI, I have been involved in many things like TRiO Student Support Services, Orientation, Back to Basic, Student Government and ASI. While serving on Student Government as the Social Justice Senator, one of my main focuses was to ensure that all students at CI had a positive educational experience. I wish to continue doing with whatever constituency is assigned to me. I hope that I can continue to serve CI and to represent students as a member of the ASI Board and Student Government.

Thank You,

Alex I. Yepez

Platform

Serve as Liaison between student/clubs/orgs and staff/administration

- Foster collaboration between students and staff
- Seek out involvement and assistance from staff and their departments (mainly student life departments)
- Point students to resources that can help them for activities and events

Keep student interests in mind

- Put students first
- Consider how a decision can affect students as a population

Encourage students to attend SG and ASI BoD meetings

- Inform students on important topics being discussed in meetings
- Encourage students to speak out in meetings concerning campus issues

Ensure that all students have a positive educational experience

- Make myself available to students through office and mobile office hours
- Reach out to students about possible issues with their experience

Leadership Experience

SSS Student Assistant

- Ensure SSS Center is welcoming and presentable at all times
- Collaborate with staff to create events for students
- Provide mentorship for SSS students (new and continuing)

Orientation Leader

- Collaborate with other OL's and staff to run 5 successful orientations through the summer
- Assist in the development of the IVO Spanish Track for Spanish speaking parents
- Mentor incoming freshmen and transfer students throughout the academic year

Student Government Social Justice Senator

- Meet with Vice President on a bi-weekly basis to go over projects and concerns
- Collaborate with Director of Events and other members to run campus events
- Attended CSSA
- Provide weekly updates on issues concerning my constituencies

MSFT Committee Chair

- Collaborate with student, staff and faculty to ensure student fees are used properly and to the benefit of the students
- Review budget requests
- Allocate budget.