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Position Nominating for: Brennan Program Director and Diversity Director

With the year that we have endured, it is easy to feel disillusioned with social justice; how can any effort we make actually contribute to real change? With a global pandemic, economic recession, the Black Lives Matter movement, many students find it easier to turn away

from social justice. However, now more than ever, law students need to engage with social justice, and capitalise on their potential to make real change. I am passionate about the role the Brennan Program can play in fostering this engagement. This passion is why I am running to be the LSS' Brennan Program Director and Diversity Director for 2021.

What experiences will help me as Brennan/Diversity Director? I am a member of the Justice Action Committee, and have been actively involved in planning many of the 2020 SJ initiatives, including hosting the discussion group for the SJ Watch Party. Outside of uni, I teach debating and public speaking, which will help me in communicating effectively in the role. I have always been extremely passionate about social justice, participating in debating, Model UN, and public speaking, as well as having a "political" story highlight on my Instagram... (subtle plug).

How will I improve the Brennan Program if elected?

ACCESSIBILITY →

Introduction of a monthly Brennan Newsletter, which will email through links to articles, videos, and volunteering opportunities to all Brennanites

Updated LTS and ROJ guides to include practical suggestions on how to gain hours and points, including direct links to articles for reflection, and specific volunteering opportunities

ENGAGEMENT →

First year specific Brennan events to promote grassroots engagement

Continuation of online Justice Talks, as well as F2F SJ panels on current events

COLLABORATION →

Increased collaboration with other LSS portfolios → Brennan x Activities, Brennan x Careers, Brennan x Comps

Promoting the "Brennan community" through prioritising student voices on the Brennan Collective

I am a passionate, organised and dedicated team member. I will bring to Council an excited, fresh perspective, and be someone who is looking to make 2021 an engaging year for Brennanites, and all LSS members. I would love to represent the UTS Law cohort as your Brennan or Diversity Director.

For more information on my campaign, visit the [Vote \[1\] Georgina Hedge page on Facebook!](#)