

PAMELA LINHARES

Hello!

My name is Pamela Linhares. I am currently on my final year of Business Management at the Guildhall Faculty of Business and Law.

I have a keen interest in the position as a Sabbatical Officer. Here is why:

Throughout my three years of university life I have been involved in many events, workshops, seminars, conferences led by the student movement. I have also worked closely with the Students Union which gave me an insight on how things work and what can be improved. In the past year I have been a StAR, President of the Green Society, Success Coach as a part of the Pass Scheme, as well being part of world wide body with the society called Students Organising for Sustainability (SOS).

My objectives are:

Serving as a link between the management team and the needs and demands of the students

- *One campus - One community:* Now that this is a done deal, the management team has to deliver its promise and make this a positive change, I will make sure that they have student's expectations and demands as a top priority to make out of this year a smooth transition to our new home in Holloway.

Create a student community NOW:

- *More funding and publicity for societies and sports:* Facilitating access to funding and publicity will improve participation and create a sense of belonging in the university and will enhance your University experience.
- *More communal spaces for students in Moorgate:* We are still one whole academic year away from moving to our new campus, in the meanwhile the university should deliver the same experience to the students in all campuses. Moorgate communal facilities are poor and your vote could change this!
- *Power to the Students Union:* in many universities the SU runs cafés, bookshops, and even a small market, all led by students and for students, which makes it much more affordable than having a big franchise. Cheap coffee is a must for every student, so I believe that this is the year to get a vibrant project started!

- *DIY:* Now that we have microwaves is time to take it to the next level. “If the day is a sentence, tea for me is the punctuation.” Andy Callaghan. Vote for me and I promise to buy kettles so you can avoid overpriced hot water for your own tea bag.

To promote the interests of students

- *Increase quality of academic support:* expanding mentoring schemes led by students, more one-to-one sessions available with your tutors, more publicity to study skills workshops.
- *Increase employability support:* We need an updated website to the employability services and to make the opportunities offered more visible to students.
- *Further education guidance:* Workshops on what LondonMet has to offer after your Undergraduate studies will help you decide your career path.
- *Participate actively with National Union of Students* and contribute to a bigger and inclusive student’s movement.

I will take the waiting out of the wanting.

Vote for Pam, there’s more in LondonMet than just exams.