Introductions

Hello! My name is Cole and I’m running for my first ever position in student government. Here are some things to get to know me:

- I am majoring in Theatre with an IDM in Arts Management
- I live in Burlington, VT with my dad, my brother, and our beautiful chocolate lab Addison
- I received the EH Henry Leadership Award from my high school, Burr and Burton Academy
- I’m an Officer in Training for the University Players, and an active member of the board
- My hobbies include collecting and listening to vinyl records, watching movies, and walking Addie around Red Rocks Park

My Platform

- It has become clear that the current structure of SGA has some problems. Which is why I am for the creation of a student union that will give all students and clubs an equal footing and equal chances to have their voices heard.

- I saw firsthand the stress that COVID-19 placed on my club’s fundraising requirements, so I’m seeking to extend forgiveness policies towards clubs that fail to meet their fundraising goals so that one bad year doesn’t threaten their legitimacy in the eyes of SGA and the University.

- It took over 3,300 people to convince the Administration to allow students the option of Pass/Fail, that’s unacceptable. Not listening to over 7,600 students asking for tuition reimbursement and only offering $1,000 in “credit” out of the $13,000 housing and meal fees? Unacceptable. The Administration must be challenged and convinced to take us more seriously, and I will make it my mission to fight for that.

- The University is taking many moves towards becoming a greener institution, but I believe there is still more work to be done, and I will do my very best to continue us on the path to a greener future. I am a huge supporter of the Divest Movement, and will seek to support not only their fight, but any movement that simply wants a better future for us instead of just “kicking the can down the road”.

These are just my 4 major points, and I’d love to discuss any of them in more detail, as well as my other points I couldn’t fit neatly onto this page. I greatly appreciate your vote, and look forward to hearing from you.

Contact Me

Questions? Concerns? Compliments?
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