



MONSU Peninsula
2020 ANNUAL ELECTIONS
Monday 5 October – Friday 9 October 2020

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The MONSU Peninsula (**MONSU**) 2020 Annual Elections will be held from Monday 5 October to Friday 9 October 2020 for the following positions:

- President – Chair & Spokesperson
- Vice President – General Secretary
- Education Officer
- Welfare Officer
- Volunteer Officer
- Social Officer
- International Student Officer
- Gender & Sexuality Officer
- General (Social) Officer
- General (Welfare) Officer
- General (International) Officer

Nominations

Nominations will open at 9am Monday 7 September and close at 12 midday on Friday 18 September.

All Monash Peninsula students may stand for each position, provided that they are not employed by MONSU Peninsula or Monash University.

Nomination Forms will be available on the MONSU Peninsula website (www.monsupeninsula.org.au) or by contacting the Returning Officer.

Candidates should use a separate nomination form for each position they are contesting. Candidates who are nominating for multiple positions must lodge a list showing the order of priority in which they wish to hold them in the event that they are elected to more than one.

Voting

If required, polling will be conducted online on the MONSU Peninsula website between 9am on Monday 5 October and 12midday Friday 9 October.

Further details of polling will be made available following the close of nominations, should the number of nominations exceed the number of positions available.

Tickets

Following the close of nominations, any group of students may register a ticket to support a complete list of candidates in the election by filling in the appropriate form. Group names shall be no longer than three words, must not include the word “independent” or similar, and must not be misleading, deceptive, offensive, libellous or slanderous.

Tickets must include the signatures of all candidates endorsed by the group, and for multi-member positions must include the order in which candidates are to be ranked. Partial tickets that do not run candidates for all contested positions are permitted.

Completed Ticket Registration Forms must be received by the Returning Officer no later than 3pm Monday 21 September.

Candidate Statements

Candidates and tickets may also submit written statements in support of their candidacy for publication on the Election Website. Statements must not exceed 200 words and may include a photograph of the candidate. **Statements and photographs must be submitted to the Returning Officer at monsu.returningofficer@gmail.com and must be received by 3pm Monday 21 September.**

Contact details

The contact details for the Returning Officer are:

Email: monsu.returningofficer@gmail.com

Telephone: 0448 813 547

All forms must be submitted by email to monsu.returningofficer@gmail.com.

Copies of the MONSU Peninsula Constitution and Election by-laws governing this election are available from the MONSU Peninsula website at (www.monsupeninsula.org.au). The Returning Officer strongly encourage all those interested in taking part in these elections to make themselves familiar with these important documents as they govern how these elections are run.

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31 August 2020