

VOTE STELLA

FOR NUS DELEGATE #1 - [VOTE.CUSU.CAM.AC.UK](https://vote.cusu.cam.ac.uk) - 18TH TO 21ST

...for a commitment to joined-up approaches to the systemic issues affecting students, from the climate crisis to how we counter cultures of sexual violence in our universities.

WHO IS SHE?

As the **current Welfare and Rights Officer for CUSU and the GU** I've got a good idea of the main issues affecting students' welfare at Cambridge, as well as experience campaigning for positive change on these at a university level, running training sessions for students and staff, and platforming student organising in my full time job as a sabbatical officer.

I also **campaigning as a student** on issues from cutting the rent to strike solidarity to opposing Prevent. I've worked on linking up our campaigning with local groups, as well as Anglia Ruskin and national campaigns, because I know that we are most effective when we work together for change.

At National Conference I'll be voting for motions and candidates who reflect a commitment to NUS support and action on the following areas...

WELFARE IS POLITICAL

- **Opposing the racist Prevent duty**
- Linking up with the NUS Women's Campaign's work on **supporting survivors**
- Centring **support for student sex workers**
- Continuing support for **cut the rent** campaigns

DIVEST / DISARM / DEMOCRATISE

- Universities should not be funding, or funded by, industries that cause global destruction either through their fossil fuel extraction or their support of the global arms trade.

FREE EDUCATION

- **Against Marketisation**, continuing opposing harmful metrics like the NSS
- **Decolonisation** - linking up with our Decolonisation Network to make sure students can feed into national policy.
- Making sure **post-graduate voices** are heard at a national level.

UNION SUPPORT

- With the UCU strikes approaching, it's clearly very important that **students' unions are closely linked with other workers' unions**
- I'll work to make sure that campaigns for the unionisation of cleaning staff are supported by the NUS, and that we are actively seeking links with other trade unions.