



JUDICIAL COUNCIL  
*University of Notre Dame*

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Members of the Student Senate,

It is with great pleasure that I present to you my nominee, Koryn Isa, for the position of Judicial Council Vice-President of Elections for the 2021-2022 term.

According to Article XII, Section 3(b)(3) of the Constitution of the Undergraduate Student Body, “The Judicial Council Vice-President of Elections shall [A] coordinate the duties of the Hall Election Coordinators, Election Committee, and the elections in accordance with the election stipulations in Article XV of this Constitution,” and “[B] sit on the Election Committee of the Judicial Council and serve as its chairperson.” The Vice-President of Elections works closely with the Judicial Council President in coordinating and planning for elections, all while making crucial decisions under high stress and short timeframes about whether to hear allegations, thereby authoring precedent-setting opinions on behalf of the Judicial Council.

I am confident that Koryn Isa would make a fantastic Vice-President of Elections. Already, she has experienced the unique environment of a Judicial Council hearing in no fewer than four instances while serving on the Student Union Ethics Commission this year. This knowledge will serve her well in chairing the Election Committee in a similar setting and provides her with a complete context of constitutional interpretation. Additionally, Koryn, unlike many incoming Vice-Presidents of Elections, has actually ran for office herself multiple times, leading her to serve as First-Year Class Council Vice-President this term. Her unique blend of experience in high-pressure hearings, on the campaign trail, and in a leadership role qualify her as an outstanding candidate for Vice-President of Elections. Koryn’s perspective has led her to propose several great ways to boost turnout in next term’s elections, and I’ve been especially impressed by her writing abilities and clarity of constitutional thinking.

I have no doubt that Koryn Isa will be a phenomenal Judicial Council Vice-President of Elections, and I fully endorse her for this position.

Respectfully submitted,

David Haungs  
*Judicial Council President*