

# **Rep Journal 2024-25**

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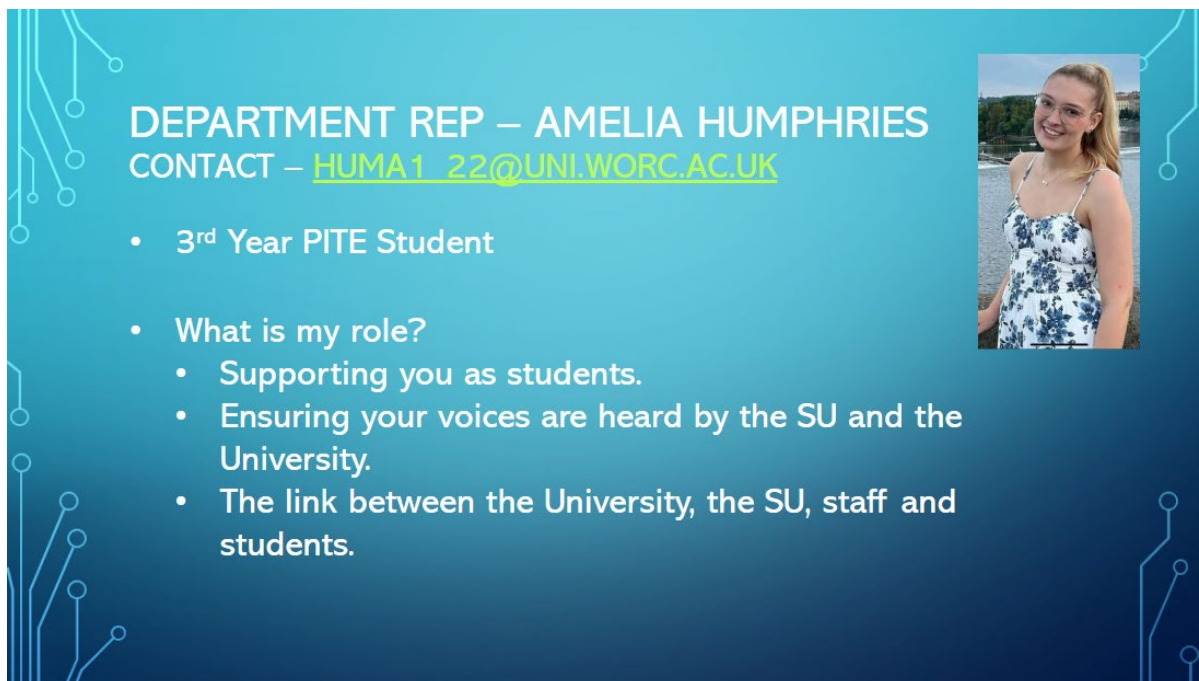
Hi! I am Department Rep for Primary Education in the Institute of Education. I attended my department rep training on St Johns Campus.

I have attended the following meetings in my role as department rep:

- Rep Forum 1


### **Personal Rep Journal Entry**

I have been liaising with course staff to introduce myself and have arranged times to meet with the Level 4, 5 and 6 cohorts on my course during each year's induction sessions to ensure I have made a first impression with every member of my course. I hope this will make people feel able to come and chat with me to discuss any issues or feedback they may have and I'm really looking forward to meeting everyone.



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- 3<sup>rd</sup> Year PITE Student
- What is my role?
  - Supporting you as students.
  - Ensuring your voices are heard by the SU and the University.
  - The link between the University, the SU, staff and students.



## COURSE REPS

- Each group will have an elected course representative.
- You will meet with your cohort leader and/or myself at regular points throughout the year.
- You will be responsible for collecting feedback (the good and the bad!) from your peers, presenting it in small meetings and feeding back to your group.
- You will also get the opportunity to speak at SSLCs (Student Staff Liaison Committees), which is an amazing experience for public speaking, and it looks great on CVS!

## WHY BE A COURSE REP?

- Networking
- Professional Relationships
- Public Speaking
- Transferable Skills (Communication, Collaboration, Empathy)
- Links to working in school! I feel much more confident presenting in staff meetings and conferences as a result of being a course rep.

### What makes a good course rep?

- Proactive
- Accountable
- Responsible
- Assertive
- But it's also a great confidence builder!