

At the close of nominations at **17:00 on Wednesday 9th of March 2022**, two (2) eligible nominations for the position of WASM Postgraduate Officer were received by the Returning Officer.

I declare that a ballot will be held for the eligible candidates:

- **Chris Li**
- **Mia Pinem**

Candidates will have the right to make a speech for up to two minutes prior to voting commencing.

Candidate Statements

Chris Li

I am Xiaofei Li and I just started doing my first year of Master degree of Professional Engineering (Metallurgy) in WASM. I would like to apply for WASM Student Guild Postgraduate Officer as I want to join in the family of student guild and contribute my effort to guild's work. Additionally I would like to help other students like me in the future. I would appreciate if I get nominated for this role. Thank you.

Mia Pinem

Hi! My name is Mia. I have just completed my Grad Dip last year in WASM and currently pursuing my Master's. My experience with WASM in the previous semester has allowed me to experience opportunities from industry exposures to campus events that I am excited to share with my postgrad fellows. Now with the borders open, we will be having many new Postgrad students coming who may feel a bit lost on how to start getting involved with the campus and community here. As I am a Curtin Volunteers! Leader for Kalgoorlie, I believe having the opportunity to such activities could help grow a great bond and teamwork that will also be beneficial for in-class applications. If I become the Postgrad Rep for WASM, I aim to help my fellow postgrads getting adapted to the campus, assist any admin/unit inquiries, create an inclusive and close relationship that supports one another, and overall provide a fun and memorable experience while pursuing their degree.

Election Date

The date of polling is to be held on the 16th of March 2022:

In person - 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Online – 12.30pm – 5pm

Only students at Curtin University's Kalgoorlie campus are eligible to vote in this election.

Counting shall occur for in-person ballots from 1.30pm and online ballots in Bentley (livestreamed if requested) from 5pm. Candidates may appoint a scrutineer by written notice to the Returning Officer (Guild Secretary).

Any queries can be directed to Dylan Botica at secretary@guild.curtin.edu.au

Regards,

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