

I'm Hannah Rose, a 4th year at Bristol, ex-Vice President of my J-Soc and co-founder of Bristol Israel-Palestine Discussion Group. Now, I'm running to be your UJS President.

Being a Jewish student isn't always easy. Whether it's the difficulty of accessing your J-Soc or the level of antisemitism on our campuses, it's never been more important to have a strong national Jewish student union standing with you as we tackle these challenges together. But for too long UJS has simply been a registration form at a Freshers Fair or a headline in the newspaper.

Our movement is at its best when we are winning for **all** Jewish students. As your UJS President, I'll lead UJS into its 100<sup>th</sup> year, shouting, leading and winning with you.

UJS, it's time to get Ready for Rose.

### Enhancing your student experience

You said:

- **Mental health** campaigning is a priority, and needs year-round attention

Together we will:

- Deliver mental health first aid training for J-Soc committees
- Work with Student Unions and JAMI to ensure mental health services understand the needs of Jewish students

You said:

- **Student Unions** aren't always aware of the needs of Jewish students

Together we will:

- Ensure the Jewish calendar is on every University's timetable to avoid clashes with Chagim
- Work with NUS to include kosher food suppliers on the NUS discount card

You said:

- Jewish students on their **year abroad** struggle to connect with local communities

Together we will:

- Bring together pre/post-year abroad students to connect Jewish students to opportunities abroad

### Jewish Students; Jewish Issues

You said:

- UJS' **cross-communalism** often doesn't translate into J-Socs

Together we will:

- Create a taskforce to listen to all Jewish students to implement tangible change, and deliver research on how J-Socs can be more inclusive

- Engage with youth groups, having regular roundtables with a diversity of students

You said:

- Being **Zionist** on campus can be difficult when our identity is being defined for us

Together we will:

- Open conversations on a wide range of identities within Zionism, reducing the 'us vs them' narrative and enabling us to work together for peace
- Support peer-led grassroots activism and build on the successful Bridges not Boycotts campaign to bring students together

You said:

- **Antisemitism** is prevalent on campuses

Together we will:

- Produce guidance and training for universities and SUs on tackling antisemitism
- Continue supporting Jewish students to fight antisemitism without fear or hesitation

## An accessible union

You said:

- J-Soc can be too **expensive and inaccessible**

Together we will:

- Re-haul the £2 per person FND bursary, ensuring small J-Socs' events are affordable

You said:

- Not enough students can see the **value of UJS**

Together we will:

- Ensure that UJS is consistently on campus, offering a wider variety of events and speaker tours and engaging students all year round

You said:

- **Liberation** must be a fully-fledged commitment to Jewish students, not just one conference

Together we will:

- Deliver thriving, empowering and peer-led networks, standing up for students from marginalised groups
- Facilitate and fund J-Soc and liberation joint events