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ASI 2021-2022 - General Application <no-reply@asicalstatela.org>

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Application Type	ASI Student Government
Position Applying For	Diversity and Inclusion Officer
Name	Deepanker Seth
Class Level	Undergrad

Are you considered in good standing with the university?

Be considered in GOOD STANDING with the University-must not be on academic, disciplinary or administrative probation. Yes

Undergrad: Do you have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA during the last 12 months? Yes

Eligibility

DIRECTIONS: For each question, please select YES or NO.

Note: If you answer "NO" to any of the questions below, you may not be eligible. For more information, please contact the ASI Administrative Office, 323-343-4778

General Eligibility Verification

Have you been enrolled at Cal State L.A. for one (1) semester prior to application? Yes

Are you available for scheduled meetings as specified in the application packet? Yes

Do you agree to serve a minimum of two (2) hours per week physically in the ASI Offices? (Note: Board applicants agree to be available for a minimum number of service hours per week in addition to office hours as outlined in the Board of Directors Code of Procedures Policy 002) Yes

If you are a Board of Director College Representative applicant, have you declared a major for the College position you are applying for and enrolled in at least one (1) course within the College? (Note: If you are a Charter College of Education Representative, have you declared a major in that College?) No

Undergraduate Applicants

Have you earned at least six (6)-semester units of academic credit per semester at Cal State LA during the past 12 months prior to application (not including remedial courses)? Yes

Will you be enrolled in at least six (6)-semester units of academic credit during the semester you are applying. Yes

Are you aware that you must be enrolled in a minimum of six (6) units per semester while in office? Yes

Are you aware that you must maintain a 2.5 GPA each semester while in office? Yes

Have you earned less than (150)-semester units? Yes

What previous experience have you had in the area in which you are applying for?

I have always been fascinated with and interested in the law, policies, and policymaking procedure. I love the concept of democratic representation where students can represent their interests and be a part of bringing change for the good. I was not able to get a chance to represent in High School due to the lack of such a body. I hope to help make the CSULA a better and more inclusive place for students where they feel secure and taken care of, by my knowledge and understanding of issues/requirements.

State briefly why are you applying and/or are interested in this position

I am deeply passionate about bringing positive change through legislation, represent and be a part of something meaningful. ASI is the voice of students and I have gone through diverse experiences being a CSULA Student so I am positive that I will be a good addition to the Student Government. If I get the position of Diversity and Inclusion Officer, I pledge that I will do everything in my capacity to help with the smooth functioning of the University and keep bringing to light the issues facing students while having the most ethical and transparent code of conduct.

What do you feel are some of the major problems facing the students of Cal State LA?

Even though financial help is provided to students but still there are certain cases in which students who are in desperate need are not able to get any of it.

The involvement and accountability of University Employees (including professors) in Students' life is more absent/unavailable than it may look and it's more exposed after going virtual than ever.

Even though the Campus Police budget is the highest, it still isn't able to provide necessary help in times of need (from numerous personal & fellow students' experiences).

Lack of - good care/availability of basic resources like clean drinking water, Healthy Food options from Pantry, and affordable/subsidized necessary products that could help students excel.

Unavailability of Academic Counseling when needed and underfunding of CAPS. At any given time, a high number of students are going through serious mental health issues that need to be addressed ASAP.

List activities and/or organizations that you have been involved with (on or off campus)

ACM (Association for Computing Machinery)

Been part of ACM since Fall 2020. Participated in creating/learning a software project each semester. Also participated in the Mentorship program that taught- connections, interviews, financial education, and soft skills.

HU (Hermanos Unidos)

Joined Fall 2021. The aim is to help excel in academics, do community service, help with social fear & anxiety and make helpful & meaningful connections. It is an open and inclusive environment that welcomes all.

what activities, work, or clubs/organizations do you PLAN to be a part of this coming year? List any leadership roles you will hold.

I am working to jump up the ladder to get a leadership role in the organizations I am currently a part of (ACM & HU).

And I sincerely hope to be a part of the Student Government as helping with making policies and addressing existing issues by legislative change is something I am deeply passionate about.

Contact

In order to process your application, please fill out the following sections COMPLETELY. If appointed, you are responsible for updating the Executive Director in the ASI Administrative Office of any changes in your contact information. Please be advised that all information in this section will be kept confidential.

Major	Computer Science
Campus Identification Number (CIN)	[REDACTED]
Cal State LA E-mail Address	dseth@calstatela.edu
Personal E-Mail Address	[REDACTED]
Address	[REDACTED]
Phone	[REDACTED]
T-Shirt Size	Medium

Time Commitment

As you plan to apply for a position in Student Government, please note the required meetings for the position you are applying. You must attend all meetings that entail your position and not take a class during that timeframe. As a student representative, you are also required to Serve a minimum of two (2) hours per week physically in the ASI Office. (Note: ASI Board of Directors applicants agree to be available for a minimum number of service hours per week in addition to office hours as outlined in the ASI Board of Directors Code of Procedure)

Do you agree with the time commitment?	Yes
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Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974

Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, and the State of Student Rights and Responsibilities of California State University, Los Angeles, I give permission to the Registrar's Office at California State University, Los Angeles to release the academic information listed on this application to the A.S.I. Administrative Office and President. I hereby acknowledge that in order to be a candidate/nominee/appointee, or to hold any position within any Cal State L.A. auxiliary organization, I must undergo compliance and eligibility checks pursuant to the corporation Bylaws, Codes of Procedures, laws and policies of Cal State L.A. and the State of California. By checking below I give permission to release academic information to Associated Students, Inc. regarding my G.P.A. and status as a "currently enrolled & continuing student" at Cal State L.A. I also understand that I will be compensated via a Grant-In-Aid Stipend (GIA Stipend). I agree that if, for any reason, I become ineligible to service in office, all work performed will be considered voluntary.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 Consent	- I Accept
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Draw your signature into the box below.

