

CAMPUS ELECTION CAMPAIGN PLANS OF THE CAMPUS ELECTION COORDINATING TEAMS

NWU VANDERBIJLPARK CAMPUS

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1 Purpose

- 1.1 The Campus Election Campaigning Plans for candidates eligible for election, registered student support groups and students is provided for in paragraph 10 of the [Institutional Rules on Student Governance \(2025\)](#) (IRSG).
- 1.2 The purpose of this Campus Election Campaign Plan is to ensure compliance with the relevant provisions contemplated as part of paragraph 10 of the IRSG.

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3 Schedule of Election Campaigning Engagements

Table 1: Election Campaigning Engagements in terms of Paragraph 10.7 of the IRSG

	Reference Para. 10.7	Description	Date(s)	Time(s)	Venue(s)/Platform	Stakeholder(s)	Supporting Documentation
1.	<i>Para. 10.7.1.1 Public Gathering / Meeting / Rally</i>	Campaigning launch induction <i>SCC candidates and Student support groups will be inducted based on rules of campaigning, do's and don'ts.</i>	08 August 2025	18:00–20:00	Building A24, Room G02	CECT Eligible candidates Student Support Groups Student Supporters	-
2.	<i>Para. 10.7.1.5 Facilitated Question and Answer Session</i>	Residence Res tours <i>Candidates will be traveling across the school residences for introduction and a brief summary of the portfolio they are contesting for. Starting at Faranani and ending on Campus.</i>	09 August 2025	10:00–16:30	Faranani (Faranani Hall) Longfellow and Ebukhosini (Ebukhosini Parking lot) Bohlale and Moahi (Moahi Soccer field) Kumba, Thuthuka, Jaysm and Vergelegen (On campus, Kumba Hall)	CECT Eligible candidates Student supporters in those residences.	Annexure 2
3.	<i>Para. 10.7.1.5 Facilitated Question and Answer Sessions</i>	Interviews <i>Candidates will be engaged with questions related to their portfolio and functions, to ensure that candidates understand in depth the portfolio they are contesting for.</i>	11 August 2025	10:00–16:00	Tsebonokeng Hall [E2] SCC Instagram RIVER FM	CECT River Fm Eligible candidates Student support group Student supporters	Annexure 1
4.	<i>Para. 10.7.1.4 Stalls and stands erected on designated areas identified identified by the CECT for the purpose of engaging with eligible student voters.</i>	Elections campaign Rally <i>Stalls per portfolio will be provided then students will be engaging with the candidates.</i>	12 -14 August 2025	08:00–13:00	Outside student Centre (11 th – 12 August 2025) Outside Building E2 (13 August 2025)	CECT Eligible candidates Student supporters	-
5.	<i>Para. 10.7.1.1 Public Gathering / Meeting / Rally</i>	Manifestos <i>Candidates will be stating their election campaigning manifesto, stating their vision, mission and objectives for their term. Broadcasted on River FM</i>	14 August 2025	13:00–18:00	Tsebonokeng Hall [E2] SCC Instagram (Publication of pre-recorded manifestos) RIVER FM	CECT River Fm Eligible candidates Student support group Student supporters	Annexure 3

4 Standardised Guide of Questions

4.1 Facilitators

4.1.1 The following facilitators will oversee the proceedings of the indicated Question and Answer sessions, further assisting the CECT in ensuring compliance to paragraph 10 of the IRSG:

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4.2.2 The following CECT member(s) will act as the convenor(s) for all facilitator(s):

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4.2 Standardised guide of questions per portfolio

4.2.1 SCC: Chairperson

Portfolio:	SCC: Chairperson
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.1
1.	How will you ensure that there is a safeguarding and responsible use of the assets allocated to the SCC by the University?
2.	How will you ensure that all the SCC members execute and get support of their events according to their year plan?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
3.	What is your vision for your term as SCC Chairperson?
4.	What mission will guide your leadership in fulfilling this role?
5.	What key objectives do you aim to accomplish during your term?
6.	What measures do you have in place to ensure that the work of the SCC is aligned with the NWU strategy and values?
7.	How do you plan to ensure effective communication and collaboration between you and the Deputy Chairperson?

4.2.2 SCC: Deputy-Chairperson

Portfolio:	SCC: Deputy-Chairperson
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.2
1.	How will you ensure that there is an adherence to rules of the SRC and SCC by the SCC and Portfolio Committees of the SCC including the procedures on the day-to-day functioning of the SCC?
2.	What measures do you have in place to ensure that the Registrations and Orientations in your campus are a success?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
3.	What do you want to achieve in your term?
4.	Which measures do you have in place to ensure that there is discipline and order within the SCC and Substructures of the SCC?
5.	How are you planning to ensure that there is an effective communication between you and the chairperson?

4.2.3 SCC: Secretary

Portfolio:	SCC: Secretary
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.3
1.	How will you coordinate and arrange all internal social engagements of the SCC?
2.	How will you ensure that all leadership subordinate structures of the SCC have operational uniform?
3.	What ways will you use to ensure that SCC and Subordinate leadership structures adheres to the deadline of reports?
4.	How will you ensure that the SCC and subordinate structures adheres to the rules of the meetings?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
5.	What is your personal vision for the SCC Secretary portfolio, and how does it align with the broader vision of the SRC?
6.	How will your mission as Secretary contribute to effective communication and accountability within the SCC and its subordinate structures?
7.	What key objectives will guide your term in office, and how will you measure your success in fulfilling them?

4.2.4 SCC: Transformation and Diversity Officer, with Current Affairs

Portfolio:	SCC: Transformation and Diversity Officer, with Current Affairs
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.4
1.	How will you promote awareness and encourage student engagement on matters related to transformation, diversity, and inclusion at campus level?
2.	How are you planning to tackle the challenges of Spiritual Gifted students at your campus?
3.	What solutions do you have to ensure that the system used by campus clinic is smooth and fair for all the students?
4.	What measures do you have to ensure that the students in your campus are safe?
5.	Which challenges and inequalities related to the socio-economic and social welfare challenges experienced by the relevant student community that you have identified? and how are you planning to solve them?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
6.	What is your vision for a transformed, inclusive, and socially just student community on campus?
7.	How are you planning to ensure that there is no GBV/F, Substance abuse, Bullying and Mental health issues across the student community?

4.2.5 SCC: Academic Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Academic Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.5
1.	How are you planning to ensure that the students are informed about academic matters at all times?
2.	What contributions do you have in place to ensure that the challenges of registrations are minimised?
3.	What plans do you have in ensuring that Postgraduate students are advocated for on matters pertaining academics?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for academic success and support across all levels of study on campus?
5.	How will you promote responsible use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) tools among students while ensuring academic integrity is upheld?
6.	What are your key objectives for this term, and how will you ensure they address both undergraduate and postgraduate academic needs?

4.2.6 SCC: Arts and Culture Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Arts and Culture Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.6
1.	How are you planning to ensure that this portfolio promotes the values of the NWU in the field of arts and culture?
2.	What measures do you have in place to ensure that there is enough participation in Arts related events?
3.	Which measures do you in place to ensure that there is fairness within the Arts and Culture competitions?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for the development and recognition of arts and culture on campus?
5.	How will your mission as Arts and Culture Officer promote inclusivity, creativity, and student talent in alignment with NWU values?
6.	What key objectives will you implement to ensure that arts and culture play a meaningful role in student development and campus life?

4.2.7 SCC: Community and Stakeholder Engagement Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Community and Stakeholder Engagement Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.7
1.	How are you planning to establish partnerships and functional relationships with external organisations that act to the benefit of both the University and the local campus community?
2.	How are you planning to assist Fundraising and Rag in ensuring that there is a smooth progressive on fundraising events?
3.	Which outreach programmes are you planning to do?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for community engagement and external stakeholder collaboration during your term?
5.	How will your mission as Community and Stakeholder Engagement Officer strengthen the university's role in societal impact and development?
6.	What key objectives do you aim to achieve through outreach and partnership initiatives, and how will you ensure sustainability and inclusivity in these efforts?

4.2.8 SCC: Fundraising and RAG Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Fundraising and RAG Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.8
1.	Which fundraising programmes do you have in mind?
2.	How are you planning to ensure that there is an adherence to rules of fundraising by the subordinate leadership structures?
3.	How will you ensure that there is an effective communication between your portfolio and SCC Treasurer?
4.	How are you planning to enable and develops the entrepreneurial skills of the student community?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for advancing innovative and impactful fundraising initiatives that benefit both students and the broader community?
5.	How will your mission as Fundraising and RAG Officer align with building a culture of giving, entrepreneurship, and civic responsibility on campus?
6.	What specific objectives will guide your term, and how will you measure the success of your fundraising and student development activities?

4.2.9 SCC: Legal Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Legal Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.9
1.	How are you planning to assist the Deputy Chairperson in ensuring that there is an adherence of the SCC and SCC subordinate leadership structures to the rules of the SRC and the SCC?
2.	Which ways will you use to advises the SCC on the applicable rules and procedures of the SRC, SCC and the University?
3.	How are you planning to promote and creates awareness of the rights and duties of student leadership structures of your campus?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for promoting a culture of legal compliance, accountability, and student rights within leadership structures?
5.	How will your mission as Legal Officer contribute to upholding the SCC constitutional values in all student governance activities?
6.	What objectives will you pursue to ensure student leaders are empowered with knowledge of their legal responsibilities and the institutional framework?

4.2.10 SCC: Marketing and Public Relations Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Marketing and Public Relations Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.10
1.	How are you planning to promote SCC initiatives to student community?
2.	How are you planning to ensure that you promote the image and values of the NWU, as it relates to the SCC and the subordinate student leadership structures.
3.	Which contributions do you have to ensure that there is a smooth and a well-coordinated open day?
4.	Which channels of communication will you use to publish the SCC communications to the student community?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
5.	What is your vision for enhancing the visibility and impact of SCC activities across the student community?
6.	How will your mission as Marketing and PR Officer support effective student engagement, transparency, and brand alignment with NWU values?
7.	What key objectives will you focus on to ensure consistent, creative, and inclusive communication during your term?

4.2.11 SCC: Residence Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Residence Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.11
1.	How are you planning to assist the House Committees on matters relevant to their functioning, as required by the relevant House Committees?
2.	How are you planning to advocate for the interest of students forming part of University Residences and Day Houses with the relevant campus stakeholders?
3.	How are you planning to ensure that the issues of students from both NWU owned residences and private accredited residences are heard and attended to as quick as possible?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for enhancing the living and learning experience of students in both NWU-owned and private accredited residences?
5.	How will your mission as Residence Officer ensure effective support and advocacy for House Committees and residence-based student structures?
6.	What objectives will you prioritise to promote inclusivity, safety, and student well-being across all residence environments?

4.2.12 SCC: Students' Interest and Development Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Students' Interest and Development Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.12
1.	How are you planning to assist and contribute towards the leadership development and training initiatives for student leaders, in collaboration with Student Life?
2.	How are you planning to determine and advocate for the interest of non-residence students and ensuring their increased access to activities coordinated by the SCC?
3.	What measures will you put in place in ensuring that the interests of Students Living with Disabilities are advocated for?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
4.	What is your vision for ensuring inclusive student development that reaches both residence and non-residence students?
5.	How will your mission as Students' Interest and Development Officer empower diverse student groups and promote leadership growth?
6.	What objectives will guide your efforts to address the interests of underrepresented groups?

4.2.13 SCC: Sport Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Sport Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.13
1.	How are you planning to create and maintains a conducive recreational and residence sporting environment for the student community of the relevant campus?
2.	Which solutions do you have in ensuring that all students interested in Sports get fair chances of using Sports facilities at campus?
3.	How will you collaborate with relevant stakeholders to promote the development and participation of sporting codes on campus?
4.	What measures will you put in place to ensure that students living with disabilities are catered for in sporting and recreational activities?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
5.	What is your vision for student sport and recreation during your term?
6.	What are your main objectives to enhance sporting participation and excellence on campus?

4.2.14 SCC: Societies and International Students' Liaison Officer

Portfolio:	SCC: Societies and International Students' Liaison Officer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.14
1.	How are you planning to perform a liaison function between the SCC and the affiliated societies?
2.	What ideas do you have in ensuring that international students receive effective Orientation?
3.	How will you ensure transparency and fairness in the society affiliation process?
4.	What steps will you take to encourage uniformity and standardisation among affiliated societies?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
5.	What is your vision for strengthening the role of societies and supporting the integration of international students within the NWU community?
6.	How will your mission as Liaison Officer promote inclusivity, cultural exchange, and active student participation across all societies?
7.	What are your key objectives for this term in ensuring smooth affiliation processes, effective orientation programmes, and strengthened relationships with international students?

4.2.15 SCC: Treasurer

Portfolio:	SCC: Treasurer
Topic:	Functions, roles and duties of the relevant portfolio
SRC Constitution References	Paras. 7.2.1 and 14.15
1.	How will you ensure that SCC are not misusing the funds allocated to them as per portfolio?
2.	How are you planning to liaise with the finance office in ensuring that the needs of the students are attended to?
3.	Which fundraising initiatives do you have to assist the SCC fundraising officer with?
4.	How are you planning to ensure that the Subordinates leadership structures Treasurers are capacitated with updates from the finance department?
5.	How will you ensure that the subordinates' structures are ethical when it comes to their duties of Treasurer?
Topic:	Vision, mission, and objectives as an elected student leader
6.	What is your vision for transparent, ethical, and student-focused financial management within the SCC and its structures?
7.	How will your mission as Treasurer promote accountability and financial literacy among all subordinate leadership structures?
8.	What key objectives will you implement to ensure responsible budgeting, effective financial reporting, and collaborative support for fundraising efforts?

5 Social Media

5.1 Social media pages forming part of the Campus Election Campaign Plan

5.1.1 The following social media pages of the SCC concerned will be used as part of the Campus Election Campaign Plan:

	Social Media Platform	Link	Responsible Administrator
1.	INSTAGRAM (NWUVPCSCC)	https://www.instagram.com/nwuvpcsc?igsh=MWlvczAxMzI5cnV0Mw==	SIMPHIWE DAZA

5.2 Schedule of social media posts forming part of the Campus Election Campaign Plan

5.2.1 The following schedule will guide the posts on social media made by the CECT concerned:

	Description	Date(s)	Time(s)	Social Media Platform	Stakeholder(s)
1.	Campaign launch induction	08 August 2025	18:00 to 20:00	MS Teams Meeting	CECT MEMBERS ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES
2.	Instagram Video recorded will be posted: INTERVIEWS	09 August 2025	09:00 – 17:00	SCC INSTAGRAM PAGE	CECT MEMBERS ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES STUDENT SUPPORTERS
3.	Instagram Posts: Residence tours	10 August 2025	10:00-16:30	SCC INSTAGRAM PAGE	CECT MEMBERS ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES
4.	River FM Live session: Manifestos	14 August 2025	09:00 – 16:00	RIVER FM	CECT MEMBERS ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES STUDENT SUPPORTERS