Full Name*  Benjamen David Mansell
Preferred Name*  Ben Mansell

MANIFESTO*
I have decided to stand for election as I believe that my experience over the last 3 years as a student within FBL has given me the knowledge and understanding of the issues experienced by students at all levels of study. Having acted as a student peer mentor twice I have developed good relationships with a large number of students over a variety of platforms and have proven capability in engaging with staff and students to encourage greater involvement with fellow students and the OU. It is very important to me that students should feel involved in the OU community and benefit from the wide range of opportunities and benefits that this brings to academic achievement, well-being and future career prospects.

If elected, I would ensure that support services offered by OU are continually improved and that appropriate platforms and opportunities for peer support are developed and communicated effectively to as wide an audience as possible. I would do this by fully engaging with the student body and taking advantage of all opportunities to feedback student suggestions and concerns to faculty staff, working in every capacity possible to develop solutions and monitor outcomes. I would be a strong voice for students at all levels of study and have the ability and experience to make the most of this role for the benefit of the overall student experience at FBL.

PLEDGES*
Engage widely with students to understand their needs and concerns and encourage greater involvement with OU support and peer support programs and other opportunities. Ensure that OU continues to develop the student experience and acts on student feedback by monitoring and reporting on outcomes.

Roles*
Faculty Association Representative Business & Law (FBL)