

My motivation in seeking to join the Independent Body of UCMSA Universalis stems from my deep academic and personal interest in international law, economics, and international relations. I am particularly fascinated by the logic behind institutional policies; why they are created, how they function in practice, and how established systems can be used to improve the societies they govern. Policy, governance, and accountability form a central part of my studies, and I find this a great opportunity to apply this knowledge through UCMSA Universalis.

Democracy is at the forefront of my academic focus, and one of its defining principles is the idea that every branch of governance must be held accountable. This principle, which is essential in international institutions as well as domestic governments, is reflected within UCMSA Universalis through the role of the Independent Body. Ensuring other boards operate in accordance with the association's manual. This is in many ways, a micro-level example of the democratic checks and balances I constantly see and discuss in my course here at UCM.

I aspire to be involved in government or public service in the future, and I believe that gaining experience within this oversight and compliance role would be very valuable. Working for the Independent Body would give me the opportunity to observe how democratic mechanisms function on a smaller scale while contributing to a fair, transparent, and well-structured association. I see it as an exciting chance to apply my academic background, develop my skills, and meaningfully support a community that I am a part of.