

2022-2023 Candidates for YCSGA Executive Team

President Candidates

Clay Christensen



As someone who has always tried to serve the communities I've been a part of, the YCSGA Presidency is the perfect position for me. I've lived in the Verde Valley my whole life, and I graduated from Mingus Union High School. I'm a traditional student; however, college is my full-time job, and I am fully committed to assisting the student body and helping solve issues wherever they might appear. I think a lot of good could be done by the YCSGA, primarily if student input is heard and taken into account. The YCSGA is very new and eager to assist everyone in any way it can, and I want to help with that mission. As the student issues directly affect those within it and the students the YCSGA represents, I think it's in a unique position to make some real change. I also believe that the student body should be made aware of just how much their voice carries weight; without a student population, there is no college. Everyone within the college, student representatives, faculty, staff, professors, etc., wants to see you succeed. I'm here for every individual student, and I want to help take your voice and make it a reality because the future of change starts with you and everyone wants to help you. Thank you for reading, and I appreciate your effort and passion in understanding the people wishing to represent you. Remember CC for YC.

Jamie Oltersdorf



Hello, I'm Jamie Oltersdorf and I am running for Student Government President. I am a retired Air Force Sgt, a wife and a mother. While in the AF, I was a Law Enforcement officer, where I honed many leadership skills such as communication, problem solving, empathy, decision making, active listening, integrity, accountability, flexibility and much more. My favorite title I hold is mom. With this title I have learned kindness, patience, the unexpected and love. At YC, I became a member of Students of Leadership. It has taught me vulnerability, so I can let others know I am human and I fail sometimes too. As a current member of the SGA, I found a sense of belonging with my fellow students and a purpose. Their mission is to give a voice to the unheard and I want to continue the legacy they started. I want to strive to improve the college experience for all students. Let me be your voice.

Carter Stencil



I am seeking a position on the YCSGA to test my leadership skills. I am a managerial degree-seeking student here at Yavapai, and seeing my current capabilities would better enhance my skills post-graduation. Offering my input here could open new doors as I was born and raised in southern Minnesota.

Vice President Candidates

Laurence Fremy



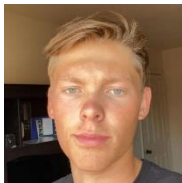
I am interested in being on the YCSGA because I can represent a new demographic of the student body at Yavapai College. I am a woman going back to school after having raised five children and working multiple careers organizing international companies and supporting my family as a single mother.

Madison Mathis



Part of being a YCSGA is having leadership accountabilities and needs to set the example for every student at Yavapai College to follow. I want to empower my fellow students to continue in their studies and provide them with the necessary equipment and information in order to be the best version of themselves they can be.

George Smith



I would love to be a bigger part of YC's community and also the extra funding it would give me would allow me to focus on my studies a lot more. It would allow me to keep my hours low at work and help focus on school.

Secretary Candidates

No Candidate

Treasurer Candidates

Danny Avelar



Hello I am Danny Avelar and am running for YCSGA Treasurer. My goal is to be the voice of YC students and help develop a unified & diverse culture here at Yavapai College.