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To,
The Student Government Selection Committee,
Loyalist College,
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Dear Members of the Student Government Selection Committee,

I hope this message finds you well. I'm Leston Neil Patrao, a proud member of our Loyalist College community, and I'm excited to apply for the role of Student Vice President, Academic.

From my first day at Loyalist, I was struck by the sense of community that defines our campus. It's this spirit of inclusivity and collaboration that has inspired me to give back.

In my professional journey at Tech Mahindra Limited, I've honed my leadership skills and developed a deep sense of responsibility. As a Cluster Manager and Senior Quality Assurance Analyst, I've led teams, fostered communication, and driven success through process improvements. I'm particularly proud of my work with the training team, where I prioritized inclusivity and feedback to ensure everyone felt supported.

During the pandemic, I served on the COVID-19 helpdesk, assisting associates and their families. This experience underscored the importance of empathy and proactive problem-solving.

My volunteer work with Feeding India and Tech Mahindra Foundation has reinforced my commitment to service and advocacy. These experiences have deepened my understanding of community needs and instilled in me a profound sense of responsibility towards creating positive change.

As Student Vice President, Academic, I see a chance to be a voice for my fellow students, ensuring their academic needs are heard and addressed. Whether it's organizing events, advocating for resources, or fostering an inclusive environment, I'm committed to making a meaningful impact.

My involvement in student government aligns with my broader goals of making a meaningful impact and fostering positive social change. By advocating for my peers, I will deepen my understanding of community dynamics and develop a heightened sense of empathy and social responsibility.

In essence, serving in student government will provide me with invaluable opportunities for growth, allowing me to cultivate essential skills, expand my network, and contribute meaningfully to our college community. I am confident that this experience will help me emerge as a more empowered, empathetic, and capable leader.

In closing, I want to express my alignment with the values of Loyalist College, and my eagerness to contribute to our shared goals. Thank you for considering my application. I'm genuinely excited about the opportunity to serve our college community, and I look forward to the possibility of working together towards a brighter future.

Warm regards,
Leston Neil Patrao