

2026-2027 ICC Chair of Programs

Candidate Statements

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Joining ICC as Chair of Programs aligns with my goal to deepen my act of giving back to ICC, an organization that I now consider my second family, and all the clubs here at De Anza. Initially, joining ICC as a general intern in Fall 2025, to me, was a way to step outside of my comfort zone after taking a gap period after high school. Feeling heard and accepted in social settings was one of the myriads of struggles that I've had and still kind of do. At the same time, as time passed and I dedicated time into attending ICC meetings, participating in decision- or task-delegating conversations in ICC Programs committee meetings, volunteering at ICC events (like HOCO, club day, cultural day, etc.), and exchanging small meaningful interactions with clubs, the struggles became more manageable. Because, within these moments of involvement, I've not only strengthened my inner voice and tenacity, but also met amazing people, some of them who I feel excited about being part of their futures with. For that reason, joining ICC is one way I'd like to express my gratitude to them and clubs for allowing me to grow as a community member and person.

Daphne Lwin

I want to be part of ICC because I genuinely enjoy creating opportunities for students to grow and feel more connected on campus. As a current ICC intern, I've already experienced how student-led events like Club Day, Culture day can bring people together and I want to contribute more by taking on a bigger role. I am especially interested in organizing events that support both first-year and senior students. I believe I would be a good fit for this position because I am responsible, collaborative and willing to take initiative. Through my experience, I have learned how to work with others, manage tasks and communicate effectively. I am motivated to listen to students' needs and turn their ideas into meaningful events that benefit the whole community.

Henry Stallard

I will look at events and programs through an engineering perspective, maximizing student satisfaction, attendance and most important of all, fun. I will do this by optimizing different factors of the process, just as I'm trained to as an electrical engineering student.