

ADAM MEEK (HE/HIM) TECH CONVENOR

I'm Adam, a computer science student and outgoing Current Student Representative who aspires to be one of the QMU tech convenors of all time. In the past, I've introduced some stellar concepts to QMU events such as projecting images of quiz hosts behind them while they aren't looking, and writing "PEE PEE POO POO" in big, scrolling text. I'm a big fan of this place (except the exceedingly long XLR cables) and would love to serve as tech convenor. I was also on the Glasgow Subway Instagram story by accident, so I'd like to see anyone else beat that.

Manifesto

As tech convenor, I would continue to grow the tech team both in terms of size and ability. To do this, I would like to create a frontfacing Instagram account for the tech committee. This would be used for publicising upcoming training, meetings, and event shadowing opportunities. Currently, I find that the operation of the tech team happens mostly behind closed doors, which I think may negatively contribute to its approachability for potential new members. I believe something like this could help alleviate that. I would also create reference documents to aid consistency within the tech team and help new techs feel more confident taking on bigger shifts. I would do this by taking note of frequently asked questions such as "Where is this kept?", "Which breakers do I turn on in Venue?", or "Why are our XLR cables so ****ing long?!" and creating a simple resource that people can access for these gueries in the future. Hopefully over time, this will grow to be useful for both new techs and existing ones. Living in Ayr, I'm limited in regards the number of events I can attend every week. Nonetheless, I will make my best effort to manage the tech team well despite the imperfect circumstances. Hopefully the efforts outlined above will strengthen the tech team further, meaning this would be less of a concern. As part of my duties, I would also like to make the incoming President fix the "Contact Us" section of the QMU website's homepage. This page currently contains four (4) social media links which take you to the social media accounts of the website builder used to make the site. I don't care that this isn't the President's fault, or even necessarily their responsibility, but they need to fix it. When writing this manifesto, I was wondering how best to end it.