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Hello all.

My name is Aine and I am a 19 year old PhysNatSci at Fitzwilliam College taking both Physics and Chemistry. Although I am still a 1A student, I hope you'll consider me for your School of Physical Sciences representative – I believe that bringing a broad perspective and fresh eyes to this role will help to ensure that all physical sciences departments and levels of undergraduate study are fairly represented.

Before coming to Cambridge, I spent 12 months working in product development research as a gap year student at consumer goods giant Procter & Gamble. Thanks to this experience, I am practiced holding my own in large meetings and have an insider perspective on the internal workings and budgets of a large research company – experience that I hope to reapply in this role. I also volunteered for school outreach during my time at P&G and believe passionately in improving the standard of education and outreach in the field of physical sciences.

Ultimately physical sciences is a broad field, but I hope that I can tackle the challenge of providing fair and equal representation to all the undergraduates of the School, making Cambridge a better place for all to study and research in. I would greatly appreciate the opportunity to become your student representative for the next year.