

Graduate Student Representative of the Council of the School of Technology (2019)
Candidate Manifesto: Nathaniel Chandra Harjanto

Dear Graduates,

Greetings, my name is Nathan, a current MBA student at Judge Business School and part of Wolfson College. It is a privilege to be nominated as a potential candidate for Graduate Representative of the Council of the School of Technology and I wish to serve you to the best of my capability should I get elected.



I have had the opportunity to undergo both academic and professional experiences on complementary elements within the School of Technology – engineering / technology as well as business / management – which provides me with the understanding on the importance on promoting improvements on each sides of the spectrum in order to deliver tangible impacts to the society, one that I believe should be the focus points of the school, reflecting the underlying value of University of Cambridge overall.

Starting as a graduate of Engineering Physics major, specializing in instrumentation and control, I have been exposed to opportunities within the wonderful scientific and engineering sectors such as internship within the renowned Large Hadron Collider at CERN (The European Organization of Nuclear Research). Through a series of events, I managed to land another internship role at an entirely different sector, management consulting, at Boston Consulting Group, which in turn enabled me to pursue professional career at McKinsey & Company, where I have been for the last 3 years before coming to Cambridge.

Leveraging on these experiences, I wish to contribute in maximizing the impact the School of Technology can generate to the larger society through the following approaches:

- **Charting strategic plan** for the School which enables accelerated growth of each departments
- **Optimize resource allocation** between technology / engineering and business / management elements of the School and **address underserved ones to improve the School standings** overall
 - e.g. improving Judge Business School's position in terms of industrial exposure and capability, world-class research activities and publications, as well as cross-collaboration with technology and engineering departments to generate disruptive innovation and enterprises, which can put it at par with the business school of other *superbrand* universities such as Harvard Business School and Stanford Graduate School of Business
- **Drive more academic rigor** to produce world-class research results
- **Actively solicit inputs** from the overall School bodies and adapt it to the governance policies dynamically

I sincerely hope that this manifesto would provide a clearer view on my commitment and qualifications which will be leveraged to the fullest in order to serve as your representative for 2019 period.

Thank you for kindly considering my candidacy.

Kind regards,
Nathaniel Chandra Harjanto (nch36)