

Jenny Coady

I am standing for election to Senate because I firmly believe that each employee within the University has an important role to play in ensuring that fair, transparent and sensible decisions are made at the top level for the benefit of the whole institution. Having had a number of different titles throughout my almost 13 years here from temporary staff member, Teaching Fellow, Assistant Professor to Associate Professor I feel I have gained valuable insight into the matters of concern at most levels.

Throughout these titles I have had active input into aspects of undergraduate and postgraduate study including programme directorship, student skills development, disseminating employability opportunities and engagement with external examiners. As Head of Personal Tutoring within CS this has also included providing advice on additional assessment opportunities, mitigating circumstances, emergency case conferences, suspension of studies, discipline action or appeals. As such I have developed a good understanding of both the student needs and University operational requirements with respect to ensuring maintenance of quality standards.

Most recently in my role as Director of International I am ensuring that input from all of the departments of MACS are heard at senior strategic levels and represented on the International front. I believe I have the required knowledge, skills and experience to have a strong and effective role in influencing decision-making at HWU and fully representing MACS at Senate.

If I am elected to the University Senate, I will work on enhancing the work environment, transparency and communication among our different campuses around the world.