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## Senate Candidate Statement

Position: University Senate – CAS-Social Sciences: Term 2023-2025

**Statement:** I am running to represent the College of Arts and Sciences – Social Science constituency in the University of Oregon Senate from 2023 to 2025. I have three main objectives in serving as a CAS-Social Science senator. First, I seek to stay attuned to and convey the social science faculty's concerns and preferences in Senate deliberations over university proposals, policies, and recommendations. Second, I will strive to maintain clear communication with the social science faculty and consistently update them on the status of my advocacy on their behalf. Third, in working collaboratively with other senators to advance the university's mission, I aim to identify areas of consensus that can lead to reasonable, equitable, and inclusive proposals, policies, and recommendations for the university and various Senate constituencies.