



UPLOADING YOUR MANIFESTO

A manifesto is a document to tell the voters what you would do if you were elected. A manifesto usually contains pledges (plans of action) on important issues. All candidates should submit a manifesto before the deadline to explain to students why they think they are the best person to be elected.

Your manifesto needs to be approved by the deputy returning officer before publication on our web page. It also needs to be in Word format including text and images. Deadline is 14:00 Friday 1 March.

ANY QUESTIONS?

Contact the deputy returning officer Lisa Burton:
l.burton@mmu.ac.uk

Manifestos will be live on The Union website from 10:00 Monday 4 March.

Uploading your own manifesto

You have the option to upload your own manifesto and lay it out in your own way. You can use the manifesto editor on our website to do this or you can upload your manifesto as an image, so you can make it look exactly how you want using a design programme like Photoshop (you can also use Paint and PowerPoint to design your manifesto and save it as an image to upload). Look at our step by step guide to help you upload your own manifesto.

TEMPLATE

If you wish to use the template manifesto, just provide content for each of the areas within the template, send

it to l.burton@mmu.ac.uk before 14:00 Friday 1 March in order to be approved and uploaded to go live on the website from 10:00 on Monday 4 March.

Support

To support you with submitting a manifesto, we'll be providing useful briefings and through our training events so make sure you come along for some great tips and advice. To see when and where these sessions are taking place, check the key dates on the elections homepage. We can help you with any technical support and give you information on the hot topics in higher education. For a political opinion on your manifesto, you can ask one of your current student officers for advice on what to include.