



LaGuardia Community College

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Dear Student,

I am writing to urge you to become a candidate in this year's Student Elections. There are twelve (12) positions for governor and six student representatives to the Student Faculty Review Board (SFRB). To begin the process, simply complete the application on the reverse side of this letter and bring it to the Office of Student Life, room M-115. Applications will be accepted now through **Thursday, April 8, 2010 at 7:00 pm.**

You may run for one of the 12 Student Government Association (SGA) governors or one of the 6 student judiciary members to the Student Faculty Review Board (SFRB). As an elected student leader you will have the opportunity to have a positive impact on the quality of the academic and social life for students at LaGuardia Community College. For example, you will be able to:

- *Participate in the decision process on the allocation/distribution of funds for activities, services and programs on campus.*
- *Advocate on behalf of students to faculty, staff, administrators, civic and community leaders and other students.*
- *Gain personal and professional experience that will advance your career in organizational leadership, team building, decision making, negotiation, and budget management.*
- *Student Faculty Review Board members have the opportunity to work with faculty by engaging in critical decision making related to student discipline cases.*
- *Opportunity to become a certified student leader at a National Conference.*
- *Earn a monthly stipend and have access to an office in the Student Government complex (SGA governors only).*

This year's Student Elections will take place on May 17 – 20, 2010 but you must apply now.

In order to answer any questions you might have about the process, the Office of Student Life has scheduled ongoing **candidate information sessions** every Wednesday from 1:00 - 2:00 pm and every Thursday from 5:30 - 6:30 pm beginning on March 8, 2010. If these times do not work for you, please visit us in Room M-115 or call 718-482-5190 so that we may schedule an individual session for you. We will explain the candidacy process, campaign assistance, and overview of the positions available. There will also be an orientation for those who qualify as candidates that will provide greater detail on the election procedures.

Apply now. You can make a difference!

Sincerely,

Brian Goldstein
Senior Director of Student Life

