

# COUNCIL MEMBER UNIVERSITY STUDENT COUNCIL (USR)

<b>Type of work:</b>	Participation
<b>Hours per week:</b>	>16 hours
<b>Duration:</b>	1 year
<b>Starting date:</b>	01-09-2023
<b>End date:</b>	31-08-2024
<b>Remuneration:</b>	4000-7800 Euros Profiling Fund Scheme (Profiling Fund) Certificate with activities of Rector magnificus; a valuable addition to CV
<b>VU Component:</b>	Student Council

## Description from department or organization

The University Student Council (USR) consists of eleven students who commit themselves for a year to let the students' opinion be heard in the policies that are implemented at the VU. For example, you have a say in the annual budget of the VU, the educational vision, regulations that affect students and you can also contribute ideas to make the VU even better. By working together with the various departments, the Works Council and the Executive Board, you can make the voices of 32,000 students heard and help steer a major educational institution. Besides being able to change policy at the VU, the USR is also a good opportunity to develop yourself and your skills.

Would you like to think along with the plans of the VU? Do you think good education is very important and are you looking for a challenge for the coming academic year? Then the University Student Council (USR) is looking for you!

You will consult with student associations, faculty student councils, the Works Council and the Executive Board. The USR concentrates primarily on issues that are of direct importance to VU students, but also participates intensively in discussions about the course that the VU is taking. This academic year, for example, the USR is working on online examinations and the establishment of a Student Wellbeing Panel and Desk, as well as issues such as internationalization, study places and the design of new buildings.

The USR includes students with diverse backgrounds from different faculties, who are committed to the interests of all students and want to develop themselves in the challenging environment of the university.

Why elect through the SRVU?

The SRVU Student Union (SRVU) has been the student union of the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (VU) since 1947. As the advocate for students at VU, the SRVU is there for all students by standing up for their interests. In addition, providing services, ensuring the development of the VU and self-development of students are very important missions for the SRVU. Therefore, the SRVU stands for more than just studying.

Unlike the other parties, we are active throughout the year and not only during the elections. The SRVU has good cooperation with the USR and a large platform to actually implement the initiatives.

Want to know more?

Does this seem interesting to you or would you like to know more? Then send an email to [socosrvu@gmail.com](mailto:socosrvu@gmail.com), walk along for a day with one of the current council members or check out the Instagram page of the SRVU: [@srvubond](https://www.instagram.com/srvubond)

Apply

Send your CV and short motivation to [socosrvu@gmail.com](mailto:socosrvu@gmail.com) before February 26nd 2023 at 12:00. We would like to invite you for a cup of coffee, after which we will schedule an official interview with you.