

Attila Szabó for Access Officer

I am Attila, a second year physicist in Trinity. I was involved in the Hungarian Society committee for the past year as General Member. During that year, I got involved mainly with access, that's why I'm standing this year for the position of Access Officer.

As Access Officer, I would

- Continue organising access talks, getting them along into more schools across Hungary than now.
- Elaborate on the access section of the Hungarian Society website, including more personal statements (and collecting them actively) and information on the application process.
- Through these means, show prospective students a wide variety of courses and colleges and connecting them with students of similar courses who can give them advice and help with their applications.
- Help applicants with their personal statements (either myself or, when more useful, asking others to read and correct them).
- Look after applicants during interview week: helping them with finding colleges, showing them around the city, organising socials for those who are finished, and providing extra accommodation for those who need it.
- Support offer holders with information on Cambridge life, preferably in Hungarian; finish the freshers' booklet started last year and make it available publicly.
- Take active part in organising the freshers' meeting on Margitsziget and the freshers' camp.
- Try to find means of effective and fruitful (for the Hungarian Society) cooperation with Hungarian organisations preparing secondary school students for application to British universities, provided they are interested in such cooperation.

Also, as a member of the committee, I would help busier members with organising events and other matters. In particular, I wish to continue organising Hungarian Society film nights.

I believe I have the sufficient experience to be a good Access Officer:

- I have been the admin of the Hungarian applicant Facebook groups for the past two years and I was active in addressing applicants' concerns both there and privately.
- During the last two years, I have corrected countless personal statements, so I have developed the notion of a "good" PS.
- Last year, I have coordinated the applicants' extra accommodations and programme in Cambridge.
- I have been to the freshers' meeting and camp last year where I answered questions and concerns of freshers on various aspects of student life.
- I have written a large chunk of a planned Hungarian Society freshers' booklet that would contain all important information a fresher would need before coming up to Cambridge.
- I organise various events (both access-related and not) with the help of the Hungarian Society committee.