## STUDENT PRESIDENT



## **AJ Turner**





Who is AJ Turner?

- -He/Him
- -Leeds Local
- -Level 6 Fine Art
- -Fine art Film Maker and poet
- -A Leader of Horror Society
- -Extended Diploma Alumni
- -Vegan!
- -Film Lover and Pop Culture Stan

Aim One: Performative Events

Although the union hosts a lot of amazing visual based exhibitions, I can't help but desire more performance nights. With 'Tuesday Live' (a fine art open mic night) being a key part of my student experience, I would love to open this event university wide. I feel there needs to be a better space for them to share the talents of our student body and for the entire student body to engage with this beautiful form of art.

## Aim Two: Stronger Societies

Since being a Society Leader since 2022, I am an advocate for the importance of societies. I would love for there to be more opportunities for society leaders to get to know each other and open conversations for collaborations. I also want every society leader to know the union staff better and vice versa. Having regular society leader meetings would allow a space for the broader community of the union to integrate. On top of this since the university is physically expanding, the union should expand too! I want better outreach with the Leeds area. Whether this is through collaborative events with organisations or venues around the city. It can be very daunting as a society leader to reach out to external venues, so adopting connections will introduce students (new and old) to beautiful and interesting venues in and around the city.

Sounds good? Vote for AJ Turner for Student President!