

Being an international transfer student, I have just started my college career in Eastern Illinois University. I have been trying to find activities which can help me relate to a part of who I was back in Pakistan. For the longest time I have been affiliated with being a part of the student council as a head girl, where multiple things were expected of me. I used to sit in the administrative meetings, to take the minutes of the meeting, followed by notifying students of the upcoming activities in my high school along with several other responsibilities. Being the head girl taught me multiple different skills, few of which were mentioned under the headings of the title I am applying for. The reason I chose these are to feel like that part of me is still alive which enjoys duties like coordinating and overseeing things. I believe I can handle these responsibilities for several reasons. One of them being, as I mentioned that I already have experience. Furthermore, I take joy in such responsibilities and lastly, over the years I have found a balance between my studies and extra curriculars therefore I think I will be able to handle it all to the best of abilities.

I can contribute to the roles I have chosen by being active on social media and making sure I am never late in informing students of the upcoming events. Moreover, over the years, taking several notes has enhanced my typing and writing speed, therefore minutes of the meetings will not be an issue for me, so no information will be left unwritten. Lastly, as I mentioned being an international student myself, I can connect with other international students better and relate to the uncertainty they face. Motivating them to attend events where they can connect with other students so they can feel less alienated and more at home.