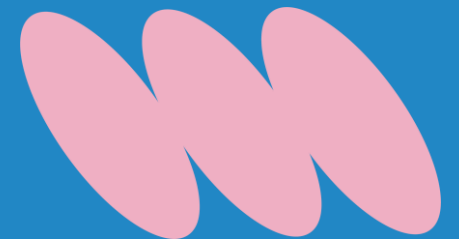




# HRISHIKESH PATIL

I am Hrishi, pursuing a master's degree in the School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering. I am currently the Secretary of the Postgraduate Society of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering and understand what it takes to be in a student representative body. During my Bachelor's in India, I was the Joint General Secretary of the AISSMS Art Circle.

I always strive to work for the betterment of my fellow students and working at Arc as a student director would be a perfect opportunity for me to do so. We have experienced the difficult times during this pandemic, and we need to rise back this year. My focus will be on providing support to PGC, SRC and all the Arc clubs for their further development.





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# Q&A



# WHAT IS YOUR VISION FOR ARC?

I would like to stick with Arc's vision of creating a bigger and better Arc for the best student experience. I know that financially the current market is suffering due to covid-19 but it should not hamper the life of students in the UNSW community. I want to explore ways wherein Arc would function in a sustainable way.





## WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO BE A STUDENT LEADER, AND WHAT DO YOU HOPE TO ACHIEVE BY BEING ON THE ARC BOARD?

Student leaders are the most important persons in a student organisation as they act as a voice for other fellow students. They know the current trend and can better understand the daily requirements of a student. The student leader should be a trustworthy person as he is the one chosen to make a difference. I want to maintain the values set by Arc and achieve the targets that are set for the coming years. I want to be part of a team that would be working resiliently to create a better student experience. I want a newly enrolled student to experience the same life at uni as I did or even better.





# WHY IS ARC IMPORTANT TO YOU?

Arc is the basic go-to for a student in UNSW covering a heap of events, jobs and extracurricular activities. Arc has helped the UNSW community to be creative, energetic, supportive and together even in difficult times. Being an international student Arc has provided me with ample opportunities, made me experience the uni life like never before. It has just been a year at UNSW yet Arc has connected me with people from my own as well as other different cultural backgrounds.

