

# JOSHUA GRAY

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## PROFILE

*I am a hard-working and dedicated individual currently studying for a Masters in Security at Loughborough University, after graduating with a First in Politics. I believe that I am a diligent and organised team player who is equally comfortable and motivated working individually.*

## EXPERIENCE

### PARLIAMENTARY RESEARCH AND COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT

*The House of Lords / 2018 - 2019*

Produced both written and oral questions aimed at HMG, planned and composed material for oral debates in House of Lords, and organised meetings and leased with guests. Project coordinator on 'Parliament Revealed' & worked on SupplyFinder.com.

Specialised in **parliamentary education** (through Parliament Revealed), **national security & hybrid threats** (through debates, questions, and interest groups) and **international relations** (especially Brexit & Russia).

### STATION MANAGER & TECHNICAL OFFICER

*Loughborough Students' Union Media / 2017 - Present*

**LSU Media Technical Officer and former LSUTV Station Manager**, producing and presenting award-winning sports, news and elections content for Loughborough University's Student TV Station. Producer of LSU and General Election Coverage, as well as lead presenter for NaSTA shortlisted programmes. Winner of 'Best Sports Coverage' and Highly Commended for Best Student TV Station at the 2020 NaSTA Awards.

Previously the **LSU Media Head of Training**, organising and facilitating training and development for the Media department, and on the **Loughborough Campus Radio Committee**, helping to organise programming, licencing and more for the Student Radio Station.

### HELPDESK & ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

*Loughborough Students' Union / 2019 - Present*

**Helpdesk Assistant** at Loughborough Students' Union with additional **responsibilities in Finance and Governance departments**. Responsibilities include manning the Reception area responding to students' queries and concerns, replying to emails, and ensuring that visitors and key stakeholders are greeted with a friendly face as they arrive.

Additional responsibilities involve **management of staff employment records**, updating phone logs and other records, and assisting the Union Governance team.

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## EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

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### DEMOCRACY AND REPRESENTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR

*Loughborough Students' Union / 2018 - Present*

**Chair of the Democracy and Representation Committee** at Loughborough Students' Union, which amends and develops the Union's Constitution and holds the Sabbatical Officers to account, also **sitting on the Board of Trustees**. Directly responsible for Executive Performance Review, Student Discipline and Elections. Separately, I am also the **School President of Social Sciences and Humanities**, and previously the three-time elected **Programme Representative for the BA Politics course**, representing students' views to staff.

### MEMBER OF YOUTH PARLIAMENT & PROCEDURES GROUP

*United Kingdom Youth Parliament / 2016 - 2018*

Worked at the UK Youth Parliament as an **elected Member for Maidstone**, representing Kent on a national stage at conferences and in the Houses of Parliament.

Later elected to the **UKYP Procedures Group**, which steers the direction of the organisation and has direct responsibility for a regional group of Members, improving my leadership and management skills, knowledge of the working of parliament and experience of being a representative. Formerly Cabinet Member for Education & Chair of multiple committees for **Kent Youth County Council**.

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## SKILLS

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### PUBLIC SPEAKING

Experienced public speaker through UK Youth Parliament.

Presented multiple industry-standard TV Shows with LSUTV and LSU Media.

Won 'Outstanding Delegate' at the Harvard University Model United Nations.

### ORGANISATION

Diligant and organised member of staff in every workplace.

Able to consistently and reliably handle multiple tasks, and complete them to a high standard.

Helpdesk & Administrative Assistant at Loughborough Students' Union, responsible for administration.

### PROFESSIONALISM

Professional and courteous member of any team.

Worked with high-level individuals and groups through Parliament.

Conduct myself professionally on-screen and in the workplace.

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## EDUCATION

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### LOUGHBOROUGH UNIVERSITY

*MA Security / 2020 - 2021*

*BA Politics (First Class Honours) / 2017 - 2020*

### MAIDSTONE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

*A-Levels / Gov't & Politics (A), Classical Civilisation (B), History (B) & Economics (C) / 2015 - 2017*

*School Vice-Captain / 2016 - 2017*