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QUALIFICATIONS

Applicants for the President's Crew must be able to demonstrate in the application cover letter that they can meet 7 out of the 9 qualifications listed below. Please bold the qualification that you referring to in your cover letter. For example "I showed the **ability to inspire** during my last work placement by". *Please only respond to 7; if additional qualifications are listed only the first 7 will be reviewed.*

- 1** Demonstrated **passion** (and involvement) in an organization or event, unrelated to school or work, dedicated to the betterment of a community.
- 2** Demonstrated **initiative** in school-related extra-curricular activities, such as election to class or campus office, chairperson of committees, director of a play, mentorship positions, athletic team/sports participation, etc.
- 3** Demonstrated example(s) of your **ability to inspire** other team members (academic, volunteer, work related, etc.) by utilizing your skills in communication, conflict resolution, problem solving, etc.
- 4** Demonstrate **communication/presentation** skills through verbal and/or written work, demonstrated by at least one of the following:
 - a. Formal presentation at a conference or community event;
 - b. Lead author in a publication written for a journal, newspaper or magazine;
 - c. Completion of an advanced written or verbal communication course or program; and/or
 - d. Any other relevant verbal or written communication experience.
- 5** Demonstrated accomplishments in your academic, work and/or volunteer experience that show **strategic thinking** and/or **visionary** abilities.
- 6** Demonstrated **resilience** at a time when you were disappointed in the results of your academic, work, volunteer experience, etc.
- 7** Demonstrated **people skills** by defusing a high-tension situation through at least one of the following:
 - a. Regular employment, co-ops or internships;
 - b. Volunteer activities; and/or
 - c. Academic group.
- 8** Demonstrated **decisiveness** through at least one of the following:
 - a. Regular employment, co-ops or internships;
 - b. Volunteer activities; and/or
 - c. Academic group.
- 9** **Creative and/or innovative** competence demonstrated by:
 - a. Experience providing creative or innovative solutions to complex problems; and/or
 - b. Exceptional ability in musical, artistic, or theatrical activities.

Mandatory requirement upon selection for in-person interview: Written sponsorship by somebody who knows you well. Personal sponsorship letters should address your strengths/weaknesses in the following areas: strategic thinking, visionary skills, resilience in the face of challenge and ability to inspire.