

Nevada Senate Seat- Senate District 10 Interest Application

(Note: This document and accompanying materials become public record once it is received by Clark County.)

Residency Requirement:

NRS 218A.260 (2) requires that any applicant must have actually, as opposed to constructively, resided in the district for at least 30 days immediately preceding the date in which this application closes.

You can verify that you live within the boundaries of Senate District 10 by referring to the map on the legislative website: <http://bit.ly/2XxVvRm>. Or, you may do an address/elected official search on the Clark County website: <http://maps.clarkcountynv.gov/ow/?@782884,26762114,6>.

Required Additional Information:

You are required to submit a resume and a statement of interest. At a minimum, your resume and statement of interest should contain political activities, community work, and memberships, in various organizations.

General Information:

Full Name (First, Middle, Last): Sergio, Andres, Bustos

Home Street Address: 935 Cottage Grove Ave Apt. 36

Home Address City/State/Zip Code: Las Vegas, NV 89119

Mailing Address: 935 Cottage Grove Ave Apt. 36

Mailing Address City/State/Zip Code: Las Vegas, Nevada, 89119

Employer: University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Occupation: Graduate Student

Best Daytime Contact Phone: [REDACTED]

Email Address: [REDACTED]

Declaration of Eligibility:

For the purpose of applying to fill the vacancy in the office of a Legislator in the following legislative district, Senate District 10, I, the undersigned Sergio Bustos, do swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I actually, as opposed to constructively, reside at 935 Cottage Grove Ave. Apt 36, in the City of

Las Vegas, County of Clark, State of Nevada; that, as required by NRS 218A.260, my actual, as opposed to constructive, residence in that legislative district began on a date at least 30 days immediately preceding the date established pursuant to NRS 218A.262 for the close of filing of applications to fill the vacancy; that I am registered as a member of the Democratic Party; that I am a qualified elector pursuant to Section 1 of Article 2 of the Constitution of the State of Nevada; that if I have ever been convicted of treason or a felony, my civil rights have been restored; that I will otherwise qualify for the office if appointed thereto, including, but not limited to, complying with any limitation prescribed by the Constitution of this State concerning the number of years or terms for which a person may hold the office; that I understand that knowingly and willfully filing a declaration of eligibility which contains a false statement is a crime punishable as a gross misdemeanor; and that, as required by NRS 218A.200, I will have been an actual, as opposed to constructive, citizen resident of this State for 1 year immediately preceding the date of my appointment and that, during such period, I will have resided at the following residence or residences:

<u>935 cottage Grove Ave Apt 30</u> Street Address Street Address
<u>Las Vegas</u> City or Town City or Town
<u>NV</u> State State
From <u>2/1/2019</u> To <u>present</u> Dates of Residency	From..... To..... Dates of Residency

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..... State State
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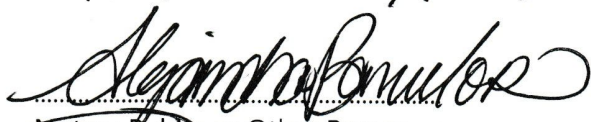
(Attach additional sheet or sheets of residences as necessary.)

Sergio Bustos
Name of Applicant


Signature of Applicant

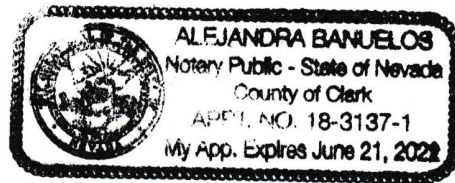
Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 19th day of the month of January of the year 2021



Notary Public or Other Person
Authorized to Administer an Oath

State of Nevada
County of Clark



Certification:

I verify by my signature below that all statements made on this application, as well as any information attached hereto, are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that an electronic signature has the same weight and effect as a handwritten signature. Furthermore, I understand that an incomplete application and any modifications to this application will not be considered.



Signature

1/19/2021

Date

Submitting Application:

Your signed application and supporting documents must be received no later than **NOON, January 19, 2021**. You may email your completed application packet to Katie Walpole, Kathleen.Walpole@ClarkCountyNV.gov, or deliver the same in-person to the County Manager's Office, 6th Floor, Clark County Government Center, 500 South Grand Central Parkway, Las Vegas.

Sergio Bustos

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EDUCATION

University of Nevada, Las Vegas, School of Public Policy and Leadership Las Vegas, NV
Master of Public Administration In Progress

University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Lee Business School Las Vegas, NV
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Information Management Graduated Cum Laude Dec. 2020
GPA 3.8

WORK & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

University of Nevada, Las Vegas Las Vegas, NV
Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN) July 2020 – Dec. 2020
Chief of Staff

- Interface between the CSUN President and University and Nevada state officials
- Assist in the management of a \$1.2 million annual budget
- Create and implement student focused initiatives
- Coordinate between the Executive Branch and all other branches of CSUN

University of Nevada, Las Vegas Las Vegas, NV
Lee Business School International Ambassador Jan. 2020 – Dec. 2020

- Travel to London to take courses (cancelled due to COVID-19)
- Represent UNLV's Lee Business School to University and community members

University of Nevada, Las Vegas Las Vegas, NV
University of Nevada, Las Vegas Historical Society (UNHS) Nov. 2018 – Dec. 2020
President, Founding Member

- Liaison between organization members and university administration
- Coordinate organization meetings and trips
- Manage outreach and recruitment for new members
- Develop and present funding proposals
- Manage organizational funds

University of Nevada, Las Vegas Las Vegas, NV
Student Involvement and Activities Program Assistant Feb. 2018 – Dec. 2020

- Present and provide information on-campus organizations, activities, and events
- Act as a liaison for the Director of Student Involvement and Activities managing special projects
- Assist students in the creation and management of registered student organizations
- Represent the department at outreach events including involvement presentations and tabling
- Assist in the development and updating of the SIA website
- Participated in department diversity, equity and inclusion training and workshops

University of Nevada, Las Vegas Las Vegas, NV
Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN) July 2019 – May 2020
Director of Operations and Elections

- Oversee elections for a student body of over 27,000 students
- Create new initiatives to increase voter turnout
- Interface with university officials to achieve department goals
- Coordinate Operations and Elections department, comprised of two associate directors and three assistant

directors

- Manage a \$20,000 annual budget

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN)

Las Vegas, NV

Aug. 2018 – May 2019

Assistant Director of Elections

- Ensure the smooth and equitable outcome of student government elections, including record high turnout
- Chair Elections Commission meetings and complaint hearings to ensure the fair resolution of disputes among candidates
- Interface with independent CSUN bodies to achieve common goals
- Work with senators to develop legislative programs

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Associate Vice President of Financial Aid and Scholarships Search Committee

Las Vegas, NV

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Oct. 2020

- Represented the student body as a member of the search committee for Associate Vice President of Financial Aid and Scholarships
- Interviewed 6 finalist candidates and participated in the selection of a candidate

University of Nevada, Las Vegas CSUN \$5K Initiative

Las Vegas, NV

Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN)

Aug. 2018 – Present

- Created \$5K Initiative to increase voter turnout and provide a greater voice for students advocating change on campus
- Successfully oversaw implementation of the Initiative as a continuing component of CSUN elections
- Worked with university officials to implement physical changes to the UNLV campus
- Established matching funding from multiple campus departments for the inaugural initiative, increasing the budget from \$5,000 to \$20,000

University of Nevada, Las Vegas CSUN Lobbying Project

Las Vegas, NV

Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN)

Mar. 2019

- Traveled to Carson City to meet with lawmakers on behalf of the University's funding priorities for the legislative session

University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Lee Business School Community Outreach

Las Vegas, NV

ENG 407A Report on the recommendations for the prevention of the takeover of

Jan. 2018 – May 2018

the Desert National Wildlife Refuge prepared for the Friends of Nevada Wilderness

- Established ties with a local organization to provide insights on a current issue through research
- Collaborated with a team of researchers to prepare a professional report addressing a multi-million-dollar issue
- Applied problem-solving skills to approach and suggest resolutions from multiple angles

SKILLS

- **Certifications:** American Red Cross Adult First Aid/CPR/AED
- **Operating Systems:** Mac OS X, Linux distributions, Windows systems, Android, and iOS
- **Software:** Microsoft Office Suite; Workday; Adobe Dreamweaver, Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere, and Photoshop
- **Languages:** HTML, C#

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Central Committee Member

Las Vegas, NV

Nevada State Democratic Party

Feb. 2020

- Support Democratic candidates and vote on party platform

Volunteer/Canvasser

Las Vegas, NV

Bernie Sanders Presidential Campaign

May 2019 – Apr. 2020

- Participated in get-out-the-vote campaign through door-to-door canvassing and membership in UNLV Rebels for Bernie student organization

HONORS

- UNLV Dean's List; UNLV Rebel Award Hall of Fame Inductee; multi-year participation in the Augusta University Honors Program; winner of the Young Georgia Authors Writing Competition, Richmond County; honor graduate at Westside High School; awarded for highest ACT score of the graduating class

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Clark County Commissioners:
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James Gibson
Michael Naft
Ross Miller
William McCurdy
Tick Segerblom
Justin Jones

My name is Sergio Bustos and I am more than excited to volunteer to fill the Senate seat left vacant by Senator Cancela. I have been a long-time member of the Democratic party, working as a volunteer and member of the Nevada State Democratic Central Committee. I have worked directly with the Nevada State Senate and Assembly in my roles as a student at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Having since graduated Cum Laude with my undergraduate degree, and currently pursuing my Master of Public Administration, I feel that I am similarly qualified to Senator Cancela who pursued her graduate degree at UNLV while serving as a Nevada State Senator.

In my many roles as an undergraduate student at UNLV I participated actively as a member of the Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas undergraduate student government, as Chief of Staff where I was able to travel to Carson City to work with state assemblymen and women as well as state senators, including Senator Cancela herself, on multiple occasions. I have also actively participated in the Democratic party in the run up to the 2020 presidential election, volunteering in a number of ways, including canvassing door to door to get out the vote.

I am a passionate Democrat with a full knowledge of the Nevada State Legislature and the commitment required of its members. I have a strong agenda similar to that of Senator Cancela's and would fight for every single constituent in District 10. Additionally I think that for this district it is of immense importance to appoint an individual with a thorough knowledge and dedication to higher education, as well as to the University of Nevada, Las Vegas itself I plan to make the intersection of higher education and governance my life's work and I would be more than honored to be considered for the position left by Senator Cancela.

Thank you for your consideration,
Sergio Bustos