

**AUD Students' Union Election, 2018**  
**Election Release I: Election Process**

**26<sup>th</sup> September 2018**

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**Posts and Constituency**

As per the Ambedkar University Delhi Constitution of the Students' Union, elections are being scheduled for two posts: Class Representative and Councillors.

**Class Representatives (CR)** are elected representatives at the class level of a given programme of a School. For example, B.A. History 1<sup>st</sup> Year represents one class, therefore 3 CRs will be elected from B.A. History from each year. Similarly, MPhil History 2017 batch represents one class, therefore each batch will elect one CR.

If the strength of any class exceeds 50 students, the class will elect 2 CRs. At no point can a class elect more than 2 CRs.

**Constituency:** Full time students enrolled in one programme offered by a School form one constituency. For example, students of M.A. Environment and Development form one constituency. Similarly, students of PhD in Human Ecology form another constituency.

**Councillors** are elected representatives at programme level of a School. For example, M.A. Environment and Development represents one programme, therefore, 1 councillor will be elected from M.A. Environment and Development programme.

**Procedure for filing Nomination**

Interested students, who meet the eligibility criteria, can apply for the above two posts, by duly filling respective nomination forms, which will be uploaded on the website, as per the Election Schedule. The forms have to be deposited along with supporting documents, in Student Services.

**Eligibility and Documents Required**

**Eligibility Criteria for Candidates**

- **Under graduate students** between the ages of **17 and 22** may contest elections.
- **Post Graduate Students** the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be **24 – 25 years**.
- For **Research Students** the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be **28 years**.
- The candidate should in no event have any academic arrears in the year of contesting the election.
- The candidate shall not have a previous criminal record, that is to say they should not have been tried and/or convicted of any criminal offence or misdemeanor. The candidate shall also not have been subject to any disciplinary action by the University authorities.

Students also have to furnish the following documents in support of their candidacy:

**For the post of CR**

1. Notarised affidavit declaring no criminal complaint/proceeding; no disciplinary action from university authorities; no academic arrears; duly attested by oath commissioner.
2. Photocopy of University ID card (both sides)
3. Passport Photograph.

**For the post of Councillor**

1. Notarised affidavit declaring no criminal complaint/proceeding; no disciplinary action from university authorities; no academic arrears; duly attested by oath commissioner.
2. Photocopy of University ID card (both sides)
3. Passport Photograph
4. Proposer for Councillor Form
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