

*Candidate – Emylya Vacca for Student President (RUFA)*



Hello everyone,

My name is Emylya Vacca, and I'm a second-year Cinema student here at RUFA. I truly love this school — the teachers, the creativity, and the opportunities we have to grow as artists. But there's one thing that I, and many others, feel is missing: a real sense of community.

In the art industry, we grow not only through our skills, but through networking and collaboration. We learn from one another, share ideas, and support each other's journeys. Yet, here at RUFA, many students barely get the chance to connect outside their small circle or class. We talk to our classmates — maybe 10 or 12 people — but we rarely meet students from other courses, even though we're all sharing this incredible creative space.

I believe this is not because students don't want to connect, but because we lack the right spaces and events to do so. That's why, if elected, I want to focus on building a stronger, more connected RUFA community.

Here's my plan:

1. Monthly RUFA Art & Film Showcase

Once a month, we'll organize a big campus event open to all students. Each participant contributes 2.50€, and together we create a showcase: short films projected in the courtyard, artworks displayed around campus, fashion students showing their designs — even live performances! It's a day to celebrate our talents, meet people from other departments, and share our creative passions.

This event would take place on the last Friday of every month, making it a regular opportunity for connection and collaboration.

2. Better Social Spaces

At the Via Libetta campus, I want to make our daily spaces more inviting and comfortable:

- Add more chairs and tables in the bar area.

- Install heaters so students can enjoy meals outside even in winter.
  - Improve the relax room by adding more sofas and encouraging students to bring small board games or card games (everyone can contribute 1€ to help).
- These simple changes can make a huge difference — turning RUFA into a place where students stay, talk, and create together.

Of course, beyond organizing fun events and helping the RUFA community unite, I will also be there for every student. If anyone is facing problems — academic, social, or personal — I want to be someone who listens, communicates, and helps find solutions. My goal is to make every student feel heard and supported.

Hopefully, I get elected, because I see a big future and a real opportunity for change — if someone is willing to take the first step. I want to be that person who starts it, for all of us.

Thank you, and I hope you'll support me, Emylya Vacca, for Student President. Let's make RUFA a more connected, creative, and inspiring place for everyone.