

Dia dhaoibh, **Dean Kenny** is ainm dom agus is mise Uachtarán Chomhaltas na Mac Léinn. I was honoured this year to be elected as President of the University of Galway Student's Union by my peers, and to bring my experience to the role. A proud Mayo man, I have been involved in many different campaigns and voluntary organisations over the years, and I have a passion for representation.

The mission of the Union is to represent its members and promote, defend, and vindicate the rights of its members at all levels of society, and as the spokesperson for the Union, it is my responsibility to ensure that the Union does that.

I represent the Union on various different committees and regularly meet with University Management to ensure that student's issues are listened to and acted upon. I am answerable to the Student's Union Executive Committee and Student's Union Council and give a report of work at all meetings of those