My name is Allen Ford and I'm running for the role of Student Advocate because I understand what it means to feel unseen. As a student who fully supports myself financially, I know firsthand how hard it can be to navigate college life while working, paying expenses, and attending to every other responsibility outside of the classroom. Living this experience fuels my commitment to advocating for all SBCC students—especially those who are often left out of the conversation. My goal is to represent the entire student body. On a deeper level, I have a strong desire to focus on bringing forward the voices of unrepresented students. I want to create a community of inclusion. In said community, students will feel heard, seen, valued.

I will create an easily accessible digital platform where students can anonymously submit their concerns, feedback, and any ideas for improvement. This will ensure that every student has a direct line to the ASG, even if they are unavailable to attend meetings due to their schedules. I will challenge policies or procedures that create unnecessary barriers to student success. I'll advocate for student-focused solutions and ensure that every decision made by ASG or administration reflects the actual needs of the students

I'm running because I know what it's like to feel unrepresented and dismissed. I want to use my perspective to uplift others who feel the same.

If elected, I'll make sure ASG becomes more focused on the entirety of SBCC's student body. We deserve a student government that truly reflects us