

Hi, my name is Zoe von Transehe-Roseneck (she/her), and I'm a first-year Business Administration student at Santa Barbara City College. This past year, I had the privilege of serving as your Vice President of External Affairs, and I'm running again to continue advocating for our students.

While SBCC offers many great resources, I've seen firsthand that many students quietly face housing insecurity, homelessness, and lack access to basic needs. I plan to continue hosting Town Hall events where students can share concerns and connect with support.

I also want to advocate for broader access to academic resources like writing tutors and math labs, encouraging their implementation across other California Community Colleges so all students have the tools to succeed.

This year, I brought student concerns to both regional and statewide levels and recently attended General Assembly, where we voted on 90 resolutions ranging from veteran support to curriculum changes.

One issue I'm passionate about is opposing Assembly Bill 1705, which removes prerequisite math courses from community college curricula. Students should be able to take math classes that match their current level, rather than being pushed into college-level courses without the preparation they need.

Working with Region Six and events like March in March, I will continue advocating for real, student-centered change. I'm committed to ensuring every SBCC student feels heard, represented, and empowered.