Hello All! I am Zwetlana (she/her), entering my second year at the University of Toronto. I am both grateful and thrilled to be running to be one your next Ontario Regional Directors!

My candidacy is built on a foundation of unique perspectives and diverse experiences in advocacy and leadership. From my service in the Canadian Armed Forces to conducting hours of consultations and needs assessments to develop a rural youth engagement strategy in Renfrew County, and overseeing planning and communications as the International Development Week Director at Queen's University, I have honed my skills in communication and direct engagement to advocate for others' interests.

Understanding the vital role ORDs play in collaborating with Ontario Medical Societies, OMSA, and directly with Ontario medical students, I am confident that the skills and toolset I have developed over the years are well suited for the ORD role.

Most importantly, I am running to the next ORD with a strong sense of commitment to effectively represent the interests and values of Ontario medical students. If elected, I will carry this commitment every single day of my term as an ORD. Thank you for considering me to be one of your ORDs!