



QUFA Executive Election 2021

CANDIDATES' STATEMENT

Nominee for Term Adjunct Representative

Ayca Tomac

Term Adjunct

Global Development Studies & Cultural Studies

I am writing to express my interest in serving on the QUFA Executive Council as the Term Adjunct Representative. I have been working first as a Teaching Fellow, then as a Term Adjunct at Global Development Studies and Cultural Studies since 2015. My research and teaching focus on social movements, solidarity building and cultures of resistance and dissidence. I served at the QUFA Council this year as one of the representatives for Cultural Studies and Global Development Studies. This enriching experience on the Council which provided me with a strong sense of community and solidarity is the main drive leading me to self-nominate for this position. I am interested in being the Term Adjunct representative at the QUFA Executive to continue the hard work on bringing forward the issues that specifically affect Term Adjuncts. As a member of one of the most precarious worker groups on our campus, I aim to work with the Executive towards strengthening the networks not only among Term Adjuncts but also between Term Adjuncts and QUFA.