



NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 13, 2021

Dear Lumberjacks,

It is with great pride that I share the news that Arizona Governor Doug Ducey has appointed Northern Arizona University student Rachel Kanyur as the newest student member of the Arizona Board of Regents.

Rachel has a strong background of academic achievement as an exercise science major and a deep commitment to service. She serves as a Supplemental Instruction leader and as a volunteer with the Student Health Advocacy Committee at NAU. She also serves as a traveling intern with TeenPact Leadership Schools, where she educates students about the political and legislative processes.

I recently had the opportunity to speak with Rachel and offer my congratulations on her appointment to this important position. I share her vision of supporting students at Arizona's public universities and ensuring clear and transparent communications between the state, our universities, and our students. I look forward to working side-by-side with her and other Regents to advance NAU's mission and increase college access and attendance throughout Arizona.

My thanks and congratulations to all of the dedicated and talented students who applied for the NAU student regent position, as well as to the students, faculty, and staff who helped lead this process and ensure we put forward exceptional candidates for the governor's consideration.

On behalf of the entire Lumberjack community—congratulations, Rachel!
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "José Luis Cruz".

**José Luis Cruz
Rivera**
President