

# JEREMY ZHANG

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Hey MASC! My name is Jeremy Zhang, and I am running to be your 2025-2026 MASC 2nd Vice President. I've been involved with student leadership since 5th grade, and I currently serve as the Elected Treasurer of the Montgomery County Junior Council. I am also a Chief of Staff deputy in Eco MoCo, a national environmental nonprofit. In my school, I serve as the schoolwide SGA Vice President. I've presented as a MASC Certified Workshop Presenter at multiple MASC events. My strong experiences make me the best candidate for MASC 2nd Vice President. The first MASC event I attended was the 2024 Advance, where I fell in love with the MASC environment. Everyone was so supportive, and I loved being able to learn leadership skills, which I use every day. However, I saw a lack of representation from middle schoolers there. I am lucky to have a big sister involved in leadership who exposed me to student advocacy. However, many of my peers don't even know what MASC is. In fact, there is only one middle schooler on the MASC Appointed Staff. That's why I want to run for 2nd Vice President. I want to increase middle school representation, not just for those at Eastern Middle School or in the Montgomery County Junior Council, but for middle schoolers across the state.

I am running to be your MASC 2nd Vice President to change this. If elected as 2nd Vice President, I would increase middle school involvement through my HI-FIVE platform.

## Help

- Help middle schoolers get involved in advocacy by sending opportunity newsletters to regional and school SGAs and creating a high school mentor program.

## Increase

- Increase opportunities for middle schoolers by expanding the Executive Board by creating new middle school positions and increasing involvement in the Action in Middle School (AIMS) program.

## Foster

- Foster communication between middle school SGA's through hosting regular 2nd Vice President meetings.

## Improve

- Improve student experiences at MASC events through bonding and networking activities.

## Value

- Value students' opinions through AIMS and suggestion forms for students.

## Educate

- Educate middle schoolers in leadership skills through Intro to Leadership Webinars.

Vote Jeremy Zhang for MASC 2nd Vice President!





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CANDIDATE FOR 2ND VICE PRESIDENT

## EDUCATION

Eastern Middle School  
Humanities Magnet Program  
Grade Point Average: 3.86

## SKILLS

- Project Management
- Time Management
- Public Speaking
- Communication
- Fundraising
- Collaboration

## EXTRACURRICULARS

- Piano (7 years)
- Viola (4 years)
- Singing (3 years)
- Martial Arts (2 years)
- Drawing (7 years)
- Swimming (7 years)

## AWARDS

- Tacy Foundation Distinguished Leader Award (2025)
- Presidential Wushu Cup Gold Medalist (2024)
- National Youth Foundation Student Book Scholars Winner (2022)
- Charleston International Music Competition Duet 1st Prize (2022)
- Montgomery Regional SGA Enviro-thon Judge's Pick Award (2021)
- HHS Earth Day Poster Contest Winner (2020)

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY JUNIOR COUNCIL 2023-PRESENT

Elected Treasurer (2024-2025)

- Plan and host executive board meetings and general assemblies
- Lead Finance department in creating fundraisers
- Tabled for MCJC at Next Generation Leadership Day and Back to School Fair
- Manage funds at general assemblies

Environmental Affairs Deputy (2023-2024)

- Hosted environmental art contest

### EASTERN MIDDLE SCHOOL SGA 2023-PRESENT

Elected Vice President (2024-2025)

- Lead committees in event planning
- Advocated for MASC involvement and membership
- Testified to Montgomery County Board of Education for a new school building

School Store Facilitator (2023-2024)

- Led a committee that worked on a school store for students to buy snacks and school supplies

### ECO MOCO - national environmental non-profit 2022-PRESENT

Chief of Staff Deputy (2024-2025)

- Oversee and support the Environmental Education department
- Manage attendance and activity
- Presented to elementary schoolers and preschoolers about environmental awareness at libraries
- Presented environmental workshops
- Volunteered at trash pick-ups and contributed to Green Eats cookbook
- Tabled for Eco MoCo at events like Back to School Fair

Environmental Education Deputy (2023-2024)

- Hosted an environmental art contest
- Presented workshop at Youth Climate Summit
- Tabled at Back to School Fair and other events

Elected Elementary Committee Chair (2022-2023)

- Led elementary schoolers in an environmental social media campaign
- Led meetings and taught elementary schoolers about the environment

### MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT COUNCILS 2024-PRESENT

Certified Workshop Presenter

- Certified at 2024 Advance
- Presented workshops at Fall Leadership Conference and Winter Leadership Conference

### TACY FOUNDATION 2017-PRESENT

Volunteer (2017-2025)

- Perform piano and viola at senior centers and hospitals