



# Kome Obrutu

*Undergraduate Student  
Representative*

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My name is Kome (she/her) and I am a fourth-year Public Health student at the University of Lethbridge. As an international student from Nigeria, I bring a unique perspective to my role as an undergraduate student representative on the EDI Council. My commitment to equity, diversity, and inclusion is rooted in my belief that everyone deserves fair access to resources and opportunities.

My journey as a public health student has deepened my understanding of how social determinants affect health outcomes and how systemic inequalities can perpetuate disparities. I am particularly passionate about exploring how public health strategies can be designed to be more inclusive and effective, especially for marginalized communities. In my role on the EDI Council, I am focused on advocating for policies and programs that dismantle systemic barriers and foster a more inclusive campus culture while ensuring that our initiatives are responsive to the needs of our diverse student body. I am also committed to learning and growing within this role, gaining a deeper understanding of EDI issues and the strategies needed to address them effectively. I am excited to collaborate with my peers and faculty to implement strategies that foster a campus environment where every student feels valued and supported.