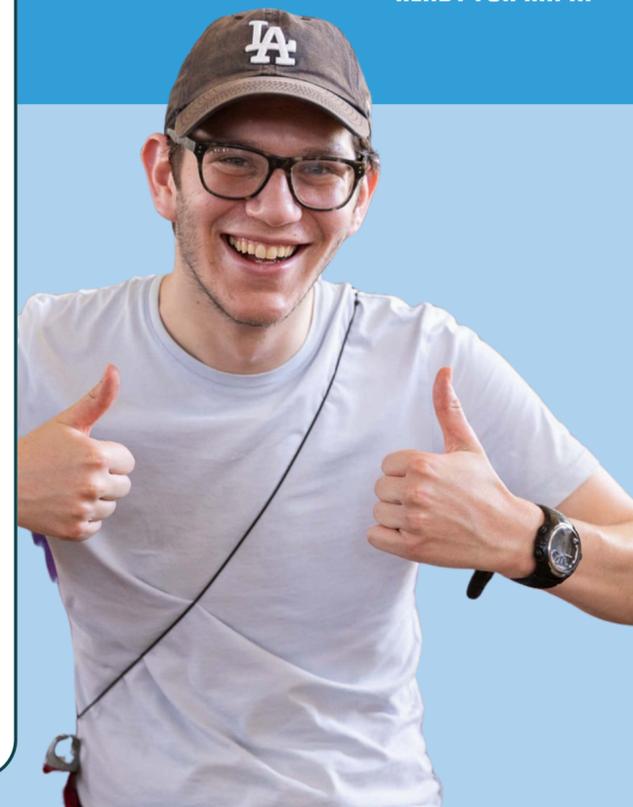


Hi! I'm Raphi Leon – President of Warwick JSoc, UJS National Council and an International UJS Delegate. **My time at university has been defined by one goal – to build thriving Jewish student communities.** Passionate, committed and open-minded, I'm ready to continue this vital work as your next UJS President.

I transformed Warwick JSoc from unknown to JSoc of the Year, channelling the pride I find in my Jewish identity into building a welcoming, homely community for members of all backgrounds. I advised UJS Trustees on organisational strategy, represented UK and Irish students to the European Union of Jewish Students, and stood up for you on national TV.

A proven, dedicated and forward-thinking leader, I'm ready to ensure UJS, JSocs of all sizes, and Jewish student life across the country continues to flourish.



## Ready to Build JSoc Communities

- How to Grow Your JSoc Handbook that empowers you to take responsibility for your campus Jewish life.
- Career Development Programme that meets the ambitions of Jewish students across sectors & in partnership with UJS alumni.
- Diversified sports calendar to include individual sporting opportunities to increase accessibility.
- Year Abroad Scheme that keeps home students connected whilst abroad & welcomes international students to UJS.
- An incentive for registering with UJS, making UJS membership meaningful year-round.

## Ready to Own your Jewish Identity

- 'How To Answer the Question' – a programme that gives you the confidence to share your Jewish/Israeli identity with pride.
- A celebration of Sephardi/Mizrahi culture through educational events, broader tune choices and easy-to-make cookbooks.
- A Hebrew Speaking Skills Programme that connects Israeli students with those keen to improve their Ivrit.
- A resource pack for JSocs to create accessible opportunities for participation in student-led services.
- A commitment to better understand each other's connection to Israel through honest, non-judgemental and confidential dialogue sessions.

## Ready to Engage with the World

- JSocs integrated into their respective communities – create volunteering opportunities to support local charities.
- Proactive plan to tackle antisemitism centred on ensuring JSocs maintain strong, year-round relationships with key University and SU leaders.
- 'Shalom Schools!' – connect JSocs to local primary/secondary schools to deliver assemblies on Jewish identity.
- University Interfaith Network that helps JSocs build friendships with Christian, Hindu and other student faith societies.