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Dear ISA Board and RSU Community,

I am writing this letter to express my interest in the position of Vice President of the International Student Association (ISA). As a dedicated 6th semester medical student with leadership, organizational, and intercultural experience, I am eager to contribute to ISA's mission by supporting the President, ensuring smooth coordination across the board, and strengthening the voice of international students at RSU.

My journey with ISA began in 2024 as a Public Relations Officer, where I gained a deep understanding of the association's structure and values. In this role, I was responsible for managing social media, designing event communication, and liaising with students and other associations. Beyond these practical responsibilities, I learned the importance of accountability, teamwork, and adaptability in a multicultural environment. These experiences prepared me for the broader leadership and coordination demands of the Vice President role.

Throughout my academic and extracurricular path, I have consistently sought out leadership roles.

I served as Vice President of my high school student association, where I oversaw projects, supported the President, and ensured board initiatives were carried out effectively, I was also part of Trimed (Student Association of the Third University of Medicine, Prague) and part of Portuguese society in RSU as event planner.

As Vice President of ISA, I envision my role as:

- Supporting the President in strategic planning and decision-making, ensuring ISA's goals are met effectively.
- Facilitating collaboration between board members, guaranteeing smooth communication across departments.
- Strengthening ISA's presence within RSU by encouraging engagement, inclusivity, and participation among all international students.

I believe that ISA thrives when its leadership creates a sense of unity and purpose. With my background in event planning, PR, and team management, combined with my dedication to fostering intercultural understanding, I am confident I can contribute to building a stronger, more connected ISA community.

Thank you for considering my application. I would be honored to continue serving ISA and contribute to its ongoing success.

Best regards, Ana Rita Policarpo