

**Name:** Marina dos Santos Candeia

**Born and lived:** I was born and raised in Brazil. I moved to Canada in 2015 for an exchange program at the University of Regina, and have been here ever since!

**Professional career and activities:** I am currently on the final year of an undergraduate degree in Human Justice at the University of Regina. I hold a position as a Research and Administrative Assistant at SLA, where I am fortunate to work with an amazing team! I am also an Assistant Manager at the shoe store Naturalizer, a Teaching Assistant at the University of Regina and a Book Club Coordinator at UR Pride.



**In my spare time:** I am a piano and guitar player and although I do not have much spare time, I love playing and listening to music.

**Family:** My family lives in Brazil, but I plan on bringing them to Canada in the future. I am a pet parent to a lovely 2-year-old dog.

**Favorite books:** The entire Harry Potter series. It played a great role in my childhood and I still read the books every once in a while.

**I'm currently reading:** I've Got a Time Bomb, by Sybil Lamb.

**Philosophy:** I am passionate about social justice and doing everything I can to make the world around me a better place.