

**UUSU Student Executive**

**Date:** 8/10/2020

**Time:** 12:30pm

**Location:** MS Teams

**AGENDA**

Present: All officers
In attendance: M Mulholland and E Doyle

1. **Minutes**

Members approved the minutes of the meeting held on 11.9.2020

1. **Matters Arising**
2. **Chair’s Communications**

Meeting with the NI Assembly Economy Committee and other Student leaders regarding all issues. UUSU will support NUS-USI Students Deserve Better campaign. Covid-19 workstreams and teaching workstream has moved to fortnightly. Some other workstream groups have paused or ended.

Shauna: Before Christmas BAME and disabled students will have been addressed by specific campaigns.

Ryan: Webinars engaged 600 students for welcome week. Hobby Lobby is ongoing. Local restrictions in place for Magee and accommodation contracts are posing problems and are liaising with VP Magee.

Grace: Working with marketing regarding welcome packs and calendars for members

Conor: Working with societies who are seeking constituting and he is guiding them through the process. Running a part-time student webinar with Danielle next week.

Nicole: Equality session with NUS-USI. Ryan also attended with learning and teaching workstream. Unitu weekly meetings are ongoing, 14 schools have confirmed a course to go forward for the soft launch.

Chris: Engaging with timetabling regarding Wednesday afternoons free which will now be implemented in the next academic year and the set lunchtime policy is also being investigated for applicability due to a new timetabling system. Working on wellbeing piece for BLM campaign. Now have 20+ wellbeing officers across sports and societies. Podcast listeners rising and working on plans for new content.

All seats for the campus structures in new sports processes have been elected.

1. **Campaigns – change/awareness**

Campaign update:

Nicole & Shauna: EDI campaign plan has been put together with staff and engagement with external partners are underway. BLM predominantly online in conjunction with societies across all 4 campuses.

Grace: Promoting the GBD development and public transport. SDG campaign from Ryan: Working on scope and budget. Campus garden project is ongoing.

Conor and Chris: MLA letter delayed until next week. MH charter progressing for research.

1. **Policy implementation**

Policy tracker overview

1. **Gender Neutral Bathroom paper – Shauna**

Shauna briefed members on the contents of the paper

1. **Any other business**

All-Party Group overview from Collette.

1. **Date of next meeting**

**NOTE: Any papers to be presented by members must be submitted to the Policy Co-Ordinator no later than five working days prior to the meeting. Not all requests to the chair to present an item at ‘AOB’ will be approved.**