

Faculty Voice Committee (FVC) and Liberation, Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Committee (LEDIC)

Minutes 28/07/17 11:00-15:00

Item				Action
No 1	Walsoma analogies	and absonces		
1	Welcome, apologies and absences 1.1 Present			
	Joy Awoh	LAIBS Faculty Rep (Chelmsford)	FVC	
	Laura Douds	Vice President (Science and Technology)	FVC/LEDIC	
	Imogen Davnall	LGBT+ Students' Rep (Chelmsford)	LEDIC	
	Michael Graham	LAIBS Faculty Rep (Cambridge)	FVC	
	Bobby Hughes	FST Faculty Rep (Chelmsford)	FVC	
	Gill Jacob	Disabled Students' Rep (Chelmsford)	LEDIC	
	Kirran Khan	Vice President (Business)	FVC/LEDIC	
	Johanna Korhonen	Vice President (Arts, Law and Social Sciences)	FVC/LEDIC	
	Benjamin Morris	FMS Faculty Rep (Chelmsford)	FVC	
	Margarita Raleva	ALSS Faculty Rep (Cambridge)	FVC	
	Leigh Rooney	FHSCE Faculty Rep (Chelmsford)	FVC	
	Jamie Smith	President	FVC/LEDIC	
	Kyia Thompson	Women's Rep (Cambridge)	LEDIC	
	Eliza Torres	Vice President (Health, Social Care, Education and Medical Science)	FVC/LEDIC	
	Joel Tyson	ALSS Faculty Rep (Chelmsford)	FVC	
	Stewart Watson	FST Faculty Rep (Cambridge)	FVC	
	In attendance			
	Bethan Dudas	Advocacy and Engagement Director		
	Daniel Login	Engagement and Volunteer Centre Manager		
	Kayleigh Tonkins	Student Engagement Administrator		
	1.2 Apologies			
	Kathryn Dunnill	FMS Faculty Rep (Cambridge)	FVC	
	Eve Hawes	LGBT+ Students' Rep (Cambridge)	LEDIC	
	Giovanna Mead	FHSCE Faculty Rep (Cambridge)	FVC	
	Grant Rose	Disabled Students' Rep (Cambridge)	LEDIC	
	Michael Turner	Trans* Students' Rep (Cambridge)	LEDIC	
	1.3 Absent			

	Christiane Kouassi	Black and Minority Ethnic Students' Rep (Chelmsford)	LEDIC	
	Harsha Revanna	International Rep (Cambridge)	LEDIC	
2	Minutes of the last meeting 2.1 Actions and matters arising from last meeting Update			
	39.2 LR & GA to contact local teachers unions. To be handed over to incoming officers.		In progress	JS
	39.2/41.1 An impact of the Lets' Be Hones	report video to be created to celebrate the successent campaign.	In progress	JS
	39.2 Frame the KWAI	pledge to be displayed on both campuses.	In progress	JS
	dashboard suggested suggested were blank	cussion on names for the student engagement by the university. It was agreed that the names k. It was agreed that the names to Tlagest to Julie Walkling.	Completed	LR
3	Terms of reference See https://www.angliastudent.com/pageassets/represent/execcommittee/july17/0417- Terms-of-reference.pdf			
4	Executive Officer work plans 4.1 President See https://www.angliastudent.com/pageassets/represent/execcommittee/july17/0517 President-work-plan.pdf PROJECT NAME: Student Retention PROJECT MANAGER: Jamie-Louise Smith			
	The data protection laws are changing so university does not have to share its data with us, however the University still seem happy to share their student retention data. Timeframe: JS is looking at Teeside University to see what they do, so we can mirror them with our own plan.			
	SPACE UPDATE FROM JS- Everything is running as usual, making sure that the space is accessible. Making sure all societies are included in room bookings etc.			
		t (Arts, Law and Social Sciences) liastudent.com/pageassets/represent/execcommitte odf	ee/july17/0617-	
	PROJECT NAME: Imperproject MANAGER:			

Communication and project brief: Making sure that the students and the students' union are better linked; for example if there is an event student's need to be sure where it is taking place and who from. More coherent, making sure the information is clearly signposted. Mapping the social media accounts of the University and the SU (Carrying out the research and see how they are linked).

Also to make sure that the students know how to contact officers through social media. JK is meaning with FC on Tuesday 1st August then is going to circulate the plans for exec committee. JK is also going to look into to consistency of the food.

ID: suggested that the chips could be swapped with a healthier option instead of always having chips.

Free Printing Project Plan:

This is so enable students to be able to use printing for free or with their books plus account. JK is also trying to make more submissions online and making sure that compulsory printing costs are covered by the university, this was started by GA and has been taken over by JK.

JS is speaking to Manchester Metropolitan as they use the same service, she has emailed and is waiting for a response.

4.3 Vice President (Business)

See https://www.angliastudent.com/pageassets/represent/execcommittee/july17/0717-VP-B-work-plan1.pdf

PROJECT NAME: A More Personal, Tutoring System

PROJECT MANAGER: Kirran Khan

KK is going to overhaul the PT system.

Personal Tutoring: Can there be more suitable timings for personal tutoring, so commuting students aren't waiting for such a long amount of time.

Training for the personal tutors, there is a document with a guideline for personal tutors but it is not well known about. There needs to be a clear set of guidelines for what they do.

LD is also going to take this discussion through to FST. FST have two hour long sessions per semesters.

As a bare minimum please make sure that student's personal tutors are on the same campus.

PROJECT NAME: LikeBike

PROJECT MANAGER: Kirran Khan

SW: John Smiths always run out of bike locks and lights, make sure the SU stock has ample stock. Speak to local supplier.

Think about the name LikeBike as it may confuse international students. Also can we stock high visbility clothing, perhaps SU logo.

4.4 Vice President (Health, Social Care, Education and Medical Science)

See https://www.angliastudent.com/pageassets/represent/execcommittee/july17/0817-VP-HSCEMS-work-plan-v2.pdf

PROJECT NAME: Cultural G.I.A.G PROJECT MANAGER: Eliza Torres

Cultural GIAG: Idea of passports for students who can go round and go to events and you can get a stamp from going to a Nigerian GIAG, Asia, France etc. So at the end of it you have a fully stamped pass and then you can go and celebrate with other students at the end of the week.

Monthly distress events: de-stress fest and the relaxation tent worked really well so we need it more. MG to speak to ET regarding

FHCSE & FMS are vastly different so ET wants to have 1 hour in the morning and 1 hour in the evening for students to drop in and see her.

Family Day: Wants to have a time where students can come and bring in their families, have fun and show off the reason why our students came to University, as it is mainly to help their families (particularly mature students). This would have games and wellbeing, another time to be supported by both the university and the Students' union. This would also help with student intake because it would show that we care about how people deal with time inside and outside of university.

4.4 Vice President (Science and Technology)

See https://www.angliastudent.com/pageassets/represent/execcommittee/july17/0917-VP-ST-work-plan1.pdf

PROJECT NAME: Diversity Projects (to be renamed)
PROJECT MANAGER: Laura Douds

To run events for LGBTQ+, OCD, in particular 'less spoken about' conditions in order to make the awareness count.

PROJECT NAME: Clubs and societies count PROJECT MANAGER: Laura Douds

Try to get more students actively involved in clubs and socs and course based societies.

PROJECT NAME: Assessment Offences

PROJECT MANAGER: Laura Douds

LD is trying to find where the statistics come from. When it comes to academic regulations, what is the problem? We must get to the bottom of it. If someone's English is not good enough and they do not understand the regulations we need to make the university aware of this. LD spoke to GA regarding this a lot when GA was in post.

JT mentioned that there are not enough things for men. No mens rep, womens only hour in the gym, it can be intimidating for men too. A meeting for this has been actioned.

5 Appointments

5.1 Deputy President

Johanna Korhonen

See https://www.angliastudent.com/elections/manifesto/7312/

Kirran Khan

See https://www.angliastudent.com/elections/manifesto/7313/

5.2 Vice Chair of the FVC

Benjamin Morris

See https://www.angliastudent.com/elections/manifesto/7315/

Stewart Watson

See https://www.angliastudent.com/elections/manifesto/7314/

5.3 Chair of the LEDIC

Imogen Davnall

See https://www.angliastudent.com/elections/manifesto/7316/

5.4 Vice Chair of the LEDIC

None received

6 Policies

6.1 Against cuts to education

Lead: Kirran Khan and Eliza Torres to co-lead

Support: Leigh Rooney

6.2 Against NHS cuts

Lead: Eliza Torres

Support: Joy Awoh, Imogen Davnall, Benjamin Morris, Gill Jacob

6.3 Gender neutral toilets

Lead: Michael Graham

Support: Imogen Davnall, Laura Douds, Kathryn Dunnill

6.4 Increased equality for vegan students

Lead: Johanna Korhonen Support: Imogen Davnall

6.5 KWAF

Lead: Stewart Watson Support: Jamie Smith

6.6 Liberating the curriculum

Lead: Imogen Davnall

Support: Laura Douds, Bobby Hughes, Michael Graham, Leigh Rooney, Benjamin Morris

6.7 Save our space

Lead: Stewart Watson

Support: Jamie Smith, Leigh Rooney, Michael Graham, Gill Jacob, Laura Douds, Bobby

Hughes, Joel Tyson

6.8 TEF

Lead: Laura Douds and Kirran Khan

Support: Eliza Torres, Imogen Davnall, Michael Graham

6.9 Trans not trans*

Lead: Michael Graham Support: Laura Douds

6.10 Up your grants

Lead: Laura Douds

Support: Kirran Khan, Jamie Smith, Benjamin Morris

7 Ideas

7.1 SU Permanent Bar

Lead: Jamie Smith and Kirran Khan to co-lead Support: Michael Graham, Stewart Watson

7.2 Books Plus

Lead: Johanna Korhonen and Maggie Raleva to co-lead

Support: Kirran Khan, Jamie Smith

7.3 Graduation Ceremonies in Summer and October

Lead: Jamie Smith

7.4 Hot Water

Lead: Jamie Smith

Support: Kirran Khan, Stewart Watson, Johanna Korhonen

7.5 Therapy Dogs

Completed

7.6 Accessible Microwave

Completed

7.7 Graduation Fee

Lead: Eliza Torres

Support: Johanna Korhonen, Laura Douds, Leigh Rooney

7.8 Halal Food and Prayer Room

Lead: Eliza Torres

Support: Johanna Korhonen

7.9 Free Parking*

Lead: Kirran Khan

Support: Joel Tyson, Jamie-Louise Smith

* Unfortunately this is out of the universities control, there is information in the student charter that says on the Cambridge campus student's agree to not bring their car to campus so it is negligent.

7.10 Jacket Potatoes to be available all day

Lead: Johanna Korhonen Support: Laura Douds

7.11 Make Cheerleading an Active Anglia sport

Lead: Jamie-Louise

Support: Benjamin Morris, Leigh Rooney, Laura Douds

7.12 Allowing Food in the Library

Completed-Library said no

7.13 Wash Your Lab Coats

Completed

7.14 Money, Money, Money - FMS Students Travel Costs

Lead: Imogen Davnall

Support: Benjamin Morris, Eliza Torres, Gill Jacob, Laura Douds

8 AOB

None received

9 Date of next meeting(s)

TBC