Monday 22nd February 2021



FULL TIME OFFICER GROUP MINUTES

12:00 – 13:30 Online Meeting (via Zoom)

<u>Present</u>

Tobiloba Adeyemi, President (President) Rob Hegarty, Sports Officer (SO) Amie Raphael, Activities and Employability Officer (AEO) Charlotte Minter, Welfare & Community Officer (WCO) (Chair) Rebecca Cutler, Postgraduate Officer (PGO)

Also in Attendance

Jo Thomas, CEO (JT)

Apologies

Wei-Lun Chen, International Officer **(IO)** Jules Singh, Education Officer **(EO)**

The Chair opened the meeting at 12:00

No	ITEM FOR DISCUSSION	Notes	ACTION
1	Minutes from 15.02.21	The minutes from Monday 15 th February 2021 were approved as an accurate record of the meeting.	Approved
		The Officer team discussed several items from the minutes. SJ to update the previous minutes and circulate.	LS
2	University Mental Health Day	The WCO noted that on 4 th March the University were looking to hold a campus-wide Mental Health Day, with events and information to support student's mental health during the COVID-19 national lockdown.	Noted
		The Officer team discussed possible events for the Mental Health Day. The SO noted plans for events related to mental health in sport. The President suggested a coordinated social media campaign from all Guild Officers and a video signposting student to support services.	Noted
3	Birmingham Students for Life	The Officer Team discussed recent developments related to Birmingham Students for Life society.	Noted
4	Diaries	 The Officer team discussed their key meetings for the week ahead: WCO – Rent Right Q&A meeting, Activities & Events meeting, Elections Q&A's, COSS meeting, GEMT meeting, UoBE Festival Operations Group meeting, PAUSE training meeting, Student Services Catch-up, Elections results night. EO – n/a. 	Noted Noted

		 AEO – Good Campus relations, Instagram live elections Q&A, AEO candidates Q&A, C&M Officers/Voice catch-up, MDX, Elections results night. IO – n/a. SO – Sustainability Catch-up, DoE catch-up, Club Development meeting, UB Sport Senior Managers meeting, Officers/C&M/Voice catch-up, Elections results night, Sports committee handover meeting, Green Impact submission meeting. 	Noted Noted Noted
		 PGO – CEO 1:1, PG candidates Q&A, DoSR 1:1, Elections results night. President – Elections Catch-Up, CEO 1:1, Elections meetings, President's candidates Q&A's, Good Campus relations, Dubai campus meeting, WCO 1:1, MMT meetings, GEMT, Global Challenges working group, Elections results night, campus trade unions meeting. 	Noted Noted
5	Priority Campaigns/	AEO – Old Joe Lego models delivered.	Noted
	Officer Wins	WCO- Local MP's meeting.	Noted
		EO – n/a.	Noted
		10 - n/a.	Noted
		PGO – Learning & Teaching survey high response rate.	Noted
		President - Guild elections voting open.	Noted
		SO- n/a.	Noted
6	Guild Communications/ Social Media	 The Officer Team noted the following items for promotion via Guild communications: Guild Autumn Elections Voting. Elections Candidate Q&A sessions. 	Noted
7	Schools/Colleges/ Dubai Update	No Items noted.	Noted
8	Part Time Officers	The PGO noted discussions between the DSO and the Medical School on the use of ableist language in learning materials on medical courses. The SO noted ongoing work with the WO on inclusivity training for sports teams and society committees and the Not On campaign.	Noted Noted
9	AOB	The WCO noted a positive discussion with local Birmingham MP's, where the Guild fed back on a number of issues faced by	

students including rent rebates, distance learning and the closure of campuses nationally.	Noted
The WCO noted that the WO was planning events for International Women's Day on the 8 th March.	Noted
The Officer team discussed items to raise at the upcoming University Executive Board (UEB) meeting:	
 Study Space Availability – EO International Student Hotel quarantine costs – IO Guild Autumn Elections – President 	
PGR Specific Support - PGO	Noted

The meeting closed at 13:10.

Signed

Date