



## UCCSU Executive Meeting Minutes

Date: 29/03/22

Time: 18:30

Location: North Wing Conference Room & Zoom

<p>Present:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Asha Woodhouse: President</li> <li>- Sinéad Roche: Deputy &amp; Education</li> <li>- Caoimhe Walsh: Welfare</li> <li>- Maeve Richardson: Comms &amp; Engagement</li> <li>- Stephen O’Riordan: Council Chair</li> <li>- Amanda Landzaad: Mature Student Rep</li> <li>- Darragh O’Keeffe: Gaeilge</li> <li>- Alex England: SEFS Rep</li> <li>- Alicia O’Sullivan: Environmental Rep</li> <li>- Niamh Kiely: CACSSS Rep</li> <li>- Mary O’Donnell: Societies President</li> <li>- Srujani Dash: Postgrad Rep</li> <li>- Meadhbh Kehoe: B &amp; L Rep</li> </ul>	
Welcome	Asha
<p>Apologies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Luke Mulcahy: Entertainments Officer</li> <li>- Siobhán Murphy: Commercial &amp; Fundraising</li> <li>- Rodah Mutinda: International Rep</li> <li>- Daniel Byrne: Equality Rep</li> </ul>	Asha
Matters Arising	All
Action Points from previous meeting	
<p>Student Engagement Project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Catherine O’Mahoney &amp; co working on this project, met with Sinéad. Project/survey around why students are not engaged. However date proposed for launch clashes with exams. Looking for opinion of exec on this.</li> <li>- Exec agree timing of this is wrong with exams and then students will be on summer.</li> <li>- Also a lecture recording policy is coming through in the coming</li> </ul>	

<p>months.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Need to get creative and innovative to get students onto campus.</li> <li>- Amanda: Issues for students who are commuters; still a fear for some re covid - these are the main reasons many mature students don't want to return to campus.</li> </ul>	
<p>SU Reps &amp; Media</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Comms &amp; Eng: If doing a media interview, talk to Maeve first to run through it to ensure views of the SU are represented when your speaking etc. This includes interviews with student media.</li> <li>- With twitter and insta accounts linked to the SU, be mindful of who you follow and what you like</li> <li>- Mature: Was personally attached on twitter recently</li> <li>- President: Many of us have experienced similar, it's important to try not to engage as often nothing comes from conversations online as they are so watered down</li> </ul>	
<p>Climate Assembly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Enviro: Need a notetaker from 10-1pm if anyone available. Please come along!</li> <li>- College Reps to send out info to class reps</li> </ul>	
<p>Not Here Not Anywhere</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- President: Email from Green Campus Staff Member re supporting Not Here Not Anywhere legislative campaign to ban LNG terminals. Are SU happy to support and then bring to UMT seeking support of University?</li> <li>- Agreed unanimously to support</li> </ul>	
<p>USI Congress</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- SU Delegation filled</li> <li>- Meeting for delegates taking place next Wednesday</li> </ul>	
<p>Capital Equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- CommsEng: SU borrows a lot of equipment from other departments etc, need to get our own</li> <li>- President: We need a system for booking stuff out like Socs Office otherwise stuff just goes missing</li> <li>- Tangent from President: Exploring allocating a budget to PTOs next year. What do you think?</li> <li>- Gaeilge: Great idea!</li> <li>- President: Can you all have a think about what kind of budget would suit your role and let me know? Plan next year is to also model relationship between CommEng and Campaign Reps similar to that of Education and College Reps for better support to Campaign Reps</li> </ul>	

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