Executive Committee Notes

Friday 4th November 2022

Present

Radhika Thiagarajan, Vice President Communities (RT) Muneer Hussain, Vice President Science & Engineering (MH) Jojo Croft, Vice President Welfare (JH) Saynab Shariff, Vice President Humanities & Social Sciences (SS) Charlie Sellar, Vice President Barts and The London (CS)

In attendance:

Alvin Ramsamy, Deputy Chief Executive Officer (AR) Charlotte Kendrick, Deputy Managing Director (CK)

Apologies

Adi Sawalha, President (AS)

Notes of the meeting

	Notes	Actions
	Charlie	
1	Malta - Over the weekend and into this week visited the Malta Medical School campus, and met with the relatively new BLSA Malta Board, to discuss representation and student activities. Also set up a meeting between the Malta board and the University of Malta MSA, to begin plans for joint events, raising concerns on joint placements, and even began discussing a Joint Varsity between the two universities. Garrod Move - Last night held a formal workshop between the various faith societies within BL and project management for the Garrod building project, to fully ascertain the requirements for the Multi-Faith Centre, as well as address concerns about overflow space and facilities during Friday prayer and larger events. Barts900 - Last night also attended a meeting with the newly formed Barts900 main committee, where they discussed funding, plans for next year, and how we as a student body aim to interact with other stakeholders (Barts Trust, Barts Heritage, BATLAA, the Medical School, St Barts MCT, etc)	
2	Jojo Wellbeing Stalls - 2 days of a Wellbeing Stall (one on Whitechapel campus and one on Mile End campus). Collected information about what is currently causing students stress in exchange for some freebies and to provide information and awareness about the services provided by the Advice and Counselling Service. Started analysing the data collected from the Wellbeing Stalls into groups to determine what the current wellbeing priorities are for students that she can focus on moving forward with this project. Interview Panel - sat on the interview panel for the Welfare Advise Manager. Exec on Tour - collected feedback about the student experience so far.	
3	Rad Exec on tour - spoke to students at BLSA about the various issues concerning students and how the Students' Union can support them. Race Equality Network - attended with the EDI team at QMUL to celebrate the end of Black History Month. LGBTQ - First organising committee for planning LGBTQ history month has begun this week. Dutch Ministry - Presented to the Dutch ministry of education the work we do at QMSU for student well-being and EDI.	



	Graduate Attributes - attended steering group to discuss how the Graduate attributes are being embedded in different schools and to understand how processes can be improved.
	Muneer
4	Exec on Tour - got feedback from students around university experience, feelings towards strikes, cost of living and other topical issues. SMS - Liased with Maths part-time officer around concerns in regards to assessments being on campus. Aiming to raise again with the university next week. Friday Prayer - Helped with organising the Open Friday Prayer that's taking place later today, student engagement team were able to get the university to approve higher capacity for the event.
5	Saynab Sustainability - Met with careers to discuss a panel event on sustainability and get different organisations and alumni to speak to students about possible paths into sustainability Exec on Tour – also went out to speak to students Projects - Worked on project to put together a stall for DAF and collating information from a Part-time officer focus group that would be helpful for students to know more about DDS and improve the services

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