Executive Committee Notes

Friday 7th of October

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) Adi Sawalha, President (AS)

In attendance:

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

Apologies

Notes of the meeting

	Notes	Actions
	Charlie	
1	BLSA Board - Chaired the first meeting last night, with the highest attendance at a BLSA Board in some time. Garrod Students' Union Space - Made arrangements for the Garrod Reveal day, set to occur this	
	afternoon in the Old Library United Hospitals - Attended and Hosted his first United Hospitals Presidents meeting - a London wide group consisting of all 5 Medical Association Presidents from BL, UCL, Kings College, Imperial College, and St Georges.	
	Jojo	
2	Attended PHASE: Preventing and addressing Harassment and Sexual misconduct Working Group. We discussed the increased number of new students completing the Consent Matters module and steps towards signing the Can't Buy My Silence NDA pledge. QMUL Recruitment - Took part in the student stakeholder group for Director of Student Experience. Wellbeing – Began discussing with Advisers if a student support group for students with mental health struggles could be set up to discuss how they balance this with their studies. This was	
	suggest by a student and they are involved in the conversation. Radhika	
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	ARCS - Met with the team to identify better ways of running disciplinary panels and potential	
3	training for panel members Postgraduate Research - Met with PGR rep and UCU to identify ways to support PGR should there be a future strike action and if PGR stipend is affected	
	GEAG – Attended Gender Equality Action Group to look at the Gender Impact Plan at the University and identify how it could help students	
	Saynab	
4	EQSB - first meeting of the term and an update from the faculty VPs on projects Westfield Fund 2022 Panel – was part of this panel, most Students' Union bids were supported QMUL recruitment - Attended Stakeholder Focus Group for the Director of Student Experience	

	Disability Awareness Fortnight Organising Committee - first OC looking at what events to do for the fortnight with part-time officers HSS Board - first board for this year for part-time officers to give updates on their projects and any feedback they have from their schools that I can support them with	
5	Muneer EQSB - Attended with Saynab and Charlie where changes to the pass criteria of some engineering degrees were discussed in order for them to remain accredited. Westfield Panel - Faculty VPs sat on the Westfield Panel where the final decisions were made regarding applications. S&E Board - Chaired first Science and Engineering board of the year with good attendance from Part Time Officers. Got updates from each of the PTOs around their priorities.	
6	Space Survey - I have had a few meetings with regards to re-running our space survey from last year, to gather students feedback on what they look for in our spaces. We are looking at how to increase engagement this year, and hoping to launch the survey in early November Director of Student Experience - took part in the interviews for the Director of Student Experience, which is a vital role that has a large impact on our students Cost of Living - Chaired the second iteration of a group bringing together different departments, to focus on the work being done to support students and staff. A lot of movement is happening in area and we need to be ready to help our students through this tough period University Council - attended the University Council, and presented a report on what the Students' Union has been working on.	

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