

# Executive Committee Notes

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2021

## Present

Shamima Akter, President (SA)  
Mat Robathan, Vice President Barts and The London (MR)  
Tiana Dinard-Samuel, Vice President Communities (TDS)  
Jack Juckes, Vice President Welfare (JJ)  
Cameron Storey, Vice President Humanities & Social Sciences (CS)

## In attendance:

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

## Apologies

Aphrodite Liddington, Vice President Science & Engineering (AL)

## Notes of the meeting

	Notes	Actions
1	<b>Rent</b> Shamima attended the digital NUS National Conference this week. The QM student campaign spoke at a rally on one of the days, talking about evictions and stating they are being evicted for protesting and calling for solidarity. Tiana has reached out to the student campaign to find out more, Shamima will contact the University to discuss. NUS have not spoken to QMSU about this, Shamima and Alvin will contact NUS.	<i>Initials</i>
2	<b>External Speakers</b> Following rejecting a speaker, the society have escalated their disagreement with the decision. Shamima and Mike have sent this on for the University to consider, the Chief Governance Officer has responded with some questions on the process, which Alvin is responding to. The Exec stand by their decision to reject the speaker due to the risk of the impact of this person presence on our student communities being higher than the risk to obligations under freedom of speech/expression.	
3	<b>Policy Pages</b> Individual pdfs with the Student Council policies have been lost during the transition to the new website. Currently when needing to see an older policy the staff team must lift these from old student council minutes and are doing so as and when needed. The policy pages on the website will be reviewed and updated in the summer.	

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