

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY LAW SOCIETY INC. ABN 49 844 560 526

Minutes of Executive Meeting held on 21/3/2022

Chair: Ariana Haghighi

Minute taker: Eden McSheffrey

Meeting opened: 9:06pm

Present:

Ben Hines President

Irene Ma Vice President (Education)

Thrishank Chintamaneni Vice President (Careers)

Naz Sharifi Vice President (Social Justice)

Julia Tran Treasurer Eden McSheffrey Secretary

Kelly Ma Sponsorship Director
Harriet Walker Competitions Director
Maja Vasic Competitions Director

Grace Wong Socials Director
Vivienne Davies Socials Director
Onor Nottle Campus Director
Adam Schaffer Sports Director

Ariana Haghighi Publications Director

Michelle Chim International Student Officer

Yijun Cui Equity Officer
Grace Wallman Disabilities Officer
Elizabeth Nutting Women's Officer
Edward Ford Queer Officer

Nishta Gupta Ethnocultural Officer
Julia Lim Marketing Director
Justine Hu Design Director

Absent: Apologies: Ben McGrory

Late: Early Departures: Yijun Cui (9:28pm)



MINUTES

1 Welcome, Apologies, Conflicts

The Chair welcomed attendees to the meeting and delivered an Acknowledgement of Country. An apology was received from Ben McGrory.

Motion: that Ben McGrory's apology be accepted.

Moved: Thrishank Chintamaneni

Seconded: Ben Hines

The motion was carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

No conflicts were declared.

2 Procedural matters

Motion: That the minutes from the Executive Meeting held 14 March 2022 be approved as a correct and accurate record of the meeting.

Moved: Ben Hines Seconded: Naz Sharifi

The motion was carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

3 Last week updates/shoutouts

- Ben H shouted out Elizabeth for emceeing the Alumni Speaker Series event.
- Harriet shouted out Maja for competitions work with Singapore.

4 What's on this week

- a. **Mon:** Preliminary Round 1 Comps, Queer coffee Catchup.
- b. Tues: Law School Basics, A & O Practice Group Presentation: Commercial Awareness
- c. Wed: Interfaculty Sport Netball, Education Guide Celebration Drinks, HSF Messina cart
- d. Thurs:
- e. Fri:
- f. Mon:

5 SULS Online Trivia Night

Nishta discussed a SULS Online Trivia event that the autonomous portfolios are collaborating on. She sought the Executive's opinions on when and how it should be run and noted that they wanted to run the event in more of a speed-friending style.

6 SULS AGM 2022

Eden discussed the SULS Annual General Meeting and proposed the date for it to be held as the 20th of April 2022. Some timing conflicts were raised however the executive settled on this date.



Eden and Ben H also noted that this is the opportunity for the Executive to draft any proposed changes to the Constitution they would like to make.

7 JD 1 cohort rep constitutional issue

Onor noted that the SULS Constitution requires one female-identifying cohort representative, and that the JD1 cohort group has not had any female-identifying students apply as of yet. Eden noted that the applications would have to be kept open until that constitutional requirement is met. Ben H said that it was constitutionally possible to appoint two male-identifying applicants so long as a third female-identifying applicant was also appointed.

8 Marketing updates

Julia L gave an update on the marketing portfolio in relation to website updates, photography requests and a JD programs officer promotion.

9 Socials

Vivienne noted that dates for Law Camp were being reallocated to semester two and discussed the appropriateness of dates with the executive. Vivienne and Grace Wo. also explained the proposal for Law Ball and discussed venues. There was also discussion about the law cruise date.

10 Meeting Date

Eden asked the Executive on their flexibility in relation to alternative meeting dates and a majority preferred to keep the meeting on Mondays.

11 Ikigai Network

Thrishank noted that a content network had reached out to SULS about potential collaboration and wanted the Executive's thoughts. There was broad agreement amongst the Executive that it was not necessary to proceed with a partnership.

12 Exec Training

Ben H reminded the executive of two pressing USU training opportunities coming up, including the mandatory sexual assault response training which Eden noted was due by the end of the month.

13 Committee Training Day

Ben H raised the need to finalise a date for our Committee Training Day.

14 SSCF Agenda

Ben H noted the upcoming Student-Staff Consultative Forum and asked if the Executive had any suggestions on items to raise.

15 Exam Working Party

Ben H discussed the need to consult members in relation to in-person exams for semester two.



16 Bar Tech Internal Comp with Carolyn McKay

Ariana flagged that she was going to run the Bar Tech event this year with Carolyn McKay and had plans to expand the event.

17 Sponsorship Discussion (In Camera)

Motion: that Ariana Haghighi vacate the Chair and Ben Hines proceeds as Chair of the meeting.

Moved: Naz Sharifi Seconded: Julia Lim

The motion was carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

Motion: that the meeting move in camera.

Moved: Thrishank Chintamaneni Seconded: Ariana Haghighi

The motion was carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

(In camera discussion)

Motion: that the meeting move out of camera.

Moved: Thrishank Chintamaneni

Seconded: Onor Nottle

The motion was carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

Meeting closed: 10:15pm