Agenda for November 11 SRC Meeting

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# 1. Welcome, Introduction, and Apologies

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| **Attendees:** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | Expected members | Attendance (YES/NO) | | 1. Rameez |  | | 1. Sanjay |  | | 1. Cameron |  | | 1. Sabrina |  | | 1. Jasmine |  | | 1. Romonda |  | | 1. Razin |  | | 1. Julian |  | | 1. Robert |  | | 1. Crystal |  | | 1. Tiffany |  | | 1. Aakanksha |  | | 1. Jordan |  | | 1. Emilee |  | |
| **Apologies:** |  |
| **Student Observers:** |  |
| **Staff:** | 1. **Natalie Bradbury** 2. **Joanne Witt** |

*President to call for apologies to be noted.*

# 2. Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians of the Land

*First Nations Representative (Chair in absence) to give the acknowledgement of Country.*

# 3. Declarations of Interest

*President to call for Declaration of conflicts of Interest.*

# 4. Starring of Items

*President to call for the starring of items in Section 11. Any motion is considered passed unanimously.*

# 5. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

*President to ask if last minutes have been received.*

**Motion:** That the minutes of the last SRC meeting be considered received.  
Mover: Secretary

Seconder:  
Status: Passed/ Not Passed

*President to ask if last minutes were accurate.*

**Motion:** That the minutes of the last SRC meeting in Business Paper A be considered a true record of the last meeting.  
Mover: Secretary

Seconder:  
Status: Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

# 6. Confirmation of Member Reports

*President to ask if Member Reports are accurate.*

**Motion:** That the Member’s Reports in Business Paper B be received and accepted.  
Mover: Secretary

Seconder:  
Status: Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

# 7. Action Sheet

*President to go through Action Items in Business Paper C.*

# 8. President’s Report

*President to address the SRC.*

# 9. Report from Student Community

## Motion 9.1:

That the SRC:

1. Receive the report from Student Community in **Attachment F**
2. Accept the report from Student Community in **Attachment F**

**Standing Agenda Item**

**Status:** Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

## Motion 9.2 (Guest speaker: Natalie Bradbury)

Following a recent Student Disciplinary Panel investigation into a complaint against a member of the SRC, the panel wishes to impress upon all SRC members the responsibility that comes with being the custodians of student funds.

The panel recommends that the SRC consider and approve amendments to the Student Representation Procedures to give effect to some additional protections as follows:

* Expenditure over $500 by SRC members should be explicitly approved by the SRC before any budget request is made; evidence of the resolution approving the specific expenditure or event budget approval must be appended to the request;
* SRC events should not be capped or limited unless there is a valid reason to do so and this must be expressly approved by the SRC; this is to ensure that events are as accessible and inclusive as possible;
* Cash donations at SRC events should not be allowed.

**Moved:** President:

**Seconded:** Secretary

**Status:** Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed / to be adjourned to next meeting

## Motion 9.3 (Guest speaker: Joanne Witt)

# 10. Committee Reports

*President to open discussion on Business Paper G.*

## Motion 10.1: Committee reports

That the SRC:

1. Receive the Committee Reports in Business Paper G
   1. 1. SRC Committee for an Independent Student Union pg.3
   2. 2. Cross-Campus Facilities and Services Network pg.4
2. Accept the Committee Reports in Business Paper G be accepted as a true record.
3. Refers any Committee that has failed to meet its requirements under the Procedures to the Executive for investigation.

**Moved:** President:

**Seconded:** Secretary

**Status:** Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

# 11. Business of the Council

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| *Voting template* | | | | |
| *Members present* | *In favor (Yes)* | *Against (No)* | *Abstain (non-vote)* | *Result* |
| *Xx* | *Xx* | *Xx* | *Xx* | *Motion passed/denied* |

## Motion 11.1: Optus Breach

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| **Issue** | Students should be aware of personal information leaks |
| **Date** | 27/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Students who have been affected by the Optus data leaks should be aware how they are affected

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students with data with Optus

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC acknowledge the effects of the Optus leaks

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will inform students how the Optus leaks will affect them

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledges the effects of the Optus Leaks
2. The SRC condemns Optus for their inaction to provide secure services that protect personal data
3. The SRC supports the Minister for Home Affairs; Cybersecurity’s position that Optus is to blame for the leaks

The SRC commits to supporting students who have been impacted by the Optus Leaks

## Motion 11.2: Commending W’SUP

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| **Issue** | The SRC congratulates W’SUP for their recent publications |
| **Date** | 25/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should be supporting W’SUP as they work to improve scrutiny of the university and the SRC, as well as informing students of the issues that affect them

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC commend the work of W’SUP, particularly their work on their latest publication

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will encourage W’SUP to continue providing a voice to students on the issue that they face

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC congratulates W’SUP and the entire Student Publication team for their recent publication ‘Resilience’

2. The SRC notes the importance of student media for the democracy and advocacy of students

3. The SRC commits to unequivocally protecting the interests of W’SUP

4. The SRC invites W’SUP to our meetings to report on the business of the SRC objectively and with the appropriate scrutiny that students expect from their Student Representative Team

5. The SRC encourages W’SUP to hold the SRC and its members to account, and to ensure that students are aware of the actions that the SRC and its members take that may affect them such as

* 1. lack of transparency
  2. current and previous disciplinary action taken against members
  3. personal and financial misconduct and
  4. other actions that would bring the SRC into disrepute

## Motion 11.3: Condemnation for NSW Minister for Health

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| **Issue** | The SRC condemns the NSW Minister for Health |
| **Date** | 13/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should be proactive in supporting students relying on the NSW public health system, and under the NSW Minister for Health’s watch, NSW’s health system budget is failing

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC condemn the NSW Health Minister’s failure to provide support to students requiring public health assistance

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will call on the Minister’s inaction and promote quality health systems within NSW

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC condemns the NSW Minister for Health, The Hon. Brad Hazzard MP for his failure to provide effective health services, particularly for the students of Western Sydney U, and calls for his immediate resignation from the Perrottet cabinet
2. The SRC call on the NSW Shadow Minister for Health; Mental Health, Ryan Park MP to continue holding the tired NSW Liberal Government to account, and to commit to continuing to advocate for improved health services within NSW; particularly for students at Western Sydney U

## Motion 11.4: Support for Federal Minister for Education

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| **Issue** | 20,000 new university places to target skill shortages |
| **Date** | 18/08/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

The Federal Minister for Education has announced that the Government will fund 20,000 additional university places to tackle skills shortages and give more students from underrepresented backgrounds the chance to go to university.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC support the Federal Government in their policy of 20,000 new places across Australian Universities

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will support the Government as they work to improve the education sector

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC thank the Albanese Labor Government, Minister for Education The Hon. Jason Clare, and the Treasurer The Hon Dr Jim Chalmers MP for their commitment to 20,000 new university places across Australia for under-represented groups such as low-socio economic backgrounds, rural and remote areas, First Nations people, first in family and people with disability
2. The SRC acknowledge the importance of government support for the Higher-Education sector, and call on the Government to continue supporting the students of Western Sydney U

## Motion 11.5: Condemnation of Human Rights Violations in the Torres Strait

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| **Issue** | The United Nations have recently found that the previous Liberal Government has violated the human rights of Torres Strait Islander people |
| **Date** | 28/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

A recent finding made by the United Nations has highlighted the failure of the Australian federal government to adequately protect the human rights of Torres Strait Islander people. Unfortunately, the group were responsible for initially lodged the complaint three years ago (known as the ‘Torres Strait Eight’) assert that the negative impacts of the current climate crisis have greatly restricted their right to practice their culture safely and appropriately.

These claims were specifically in relation to the failure of the Morrison government to upgrade seawalls in the region, increasing risks for flooding, land degradation and supply chain issues including food production.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

First Nations Students, particularly from the Torres Strait

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for the rights of the University’s students, and First Nation’s students are at the forefront. Promoting action to improve the situation for these students is essential.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all First Nations students of Western Sydney University and promote improvement of these issues.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC condemns the previous Abbot/Turnbull/Morrison Liberal governments for allowing breaches of human rights under their governments, and calls for The Hon. Scott Morrison MP’s resignation from parliament immediately
2. The Western SRC supports the Labor Attorney-General The Hon. Mark Dreyfus KC MP’s stance on human rights, and Labor’s commitment to continue working with Torres Strait Islanders on climate change.
3. The Western SRC calls on the University to continue promoting climate action in the face of the previous Liberal Government’s human rights breaches

*Please note:* This motion has been developed in consultation, drafted, reviewed, and approved by First Nations student/s of Western Sydney University.

## Motion 11.6: Condolences for Uncle Jack

***WARNING: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People are advised that the following contains the name of a person who has passed away, and that the family of the deceased have publicly granted permission to use their name in efforts to continue their legacy***

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| **Issue** | The recent passing of one of Australia’s most iconic Aboriginal Elders, Uncle Jack Charles, is being mourned by First Nations’ communities across the country. |
| **Date** | 14/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

First Nations’ communities across Australia are currently mourning the passing of Elder Uncle Jack Charles (name used with permission of his family), actor, musician, and activist. A proud Boon Wurrung, Dja Dja Wurrung, Woiwurrung and Yorta Yorta man, Uncle Jack’s work to ensure that the truth is told about Australian history has left its mark.

The first witness to tell his story in the Indigenous truth-telling commission in Victoria, who also blazed the trail for Aboriginal actors, Uncle Jack has made great strides for our community. His ongoing advocacy alongside Uncle Archie Roach for the rights of young Indigenous men in custody was also outstanding.

This time may be extremely impactful for many First Nation’s students at Western Sydney U.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

First Nation’s Students

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must support students during times of hardship such as these.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all First Nations students at Western Sydney University.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC expresses its’ condolences to the family and those close to Uncle Jack Charles, and extend this to all First Nation’s students of the University.
2. The Western SRC commends Uncle Jack Charles’ commitment and work for his community, and calls on Western Sydney University to do the same

*Please note:* This motion has been developed in consultation, drafted, reviewed, and approved by First Nations student/s of Western Sydney University

## Motion 11.7: Voice to Parliament

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| **Issue** | The upcoming proposed referendum by the Australian Federal Government to establish an Indigenous Voice to Parliament |
| **Date** | 17.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The Albanese Labor Government has recently proposed a referendum to establish an Indigenous Voice to Parliament, in line with the Uluru Statement from the Heart, with the current timeframe for ballots to open within the 2023-2024 Financial Year.

A Voice to Parliament, enshrined in the Constitution, would enable Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to give advice to the Federal Parliament about laws and policies that impact them through a simplified policy making process and structural change.

This means that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders are included in the law-making process, rather than having bureaucrats and politicians deciding what is best for them.

A Voice to Parliament, enshrined in the Australian Constitution, will deliver real and practical advice to Parliament and the Government on how laws and policies can best improve the lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

First Nation’s Students / All domestic students on the Electoral Roll will be required to vote in the referendum

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for the rights of the University’s students, and First Nation’s students are at the forefront.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all First Nations students at Western Sydney University and promote improvement of these issues.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC expresses wholehearted support for the Albanese Labor Government’s proposal to establish an Indigenous Voice to Parliament.
2. The Western SRC commits to raising awareness about this important initiative.

*Please note:* This motion has been developed in consultation and reviewed by First Nations student/s of Western Sydney University.

## Motion 11.8: Support for the Member for Londonderry

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| **Issue** | The Member for Londonderry has recently recovered from cancer |
| **Date** | 30/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The Member for Londonderry has recently had surgery on a tumor on her kidney

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC wish the Member for Londonderry well in their ongoing cancer treatment

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will promote cancer awareness within Western Sydney U

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledges the impacts of cancer on students and their families, and commits to raising awareness for cancer and cancer research particularly where students are affected
2. The SRC considers future events or engagements where awareness for cancer and cancer research can be made
3. The SRC wishes the Member for Londonderry Prue Car MP well in her recovery from cancer, and commits to engaging with students with direct or indirect experience with cancer to raise awareness about cancer’s impact

## Motion 11.9: NSW Climate Change

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| **Issue** | Ongoing flooding and unmanaged weather conditions throughout NSW |
| **Date** | 28.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

The ongoing impacts of climate change have resulted in an increase in extreme weather disasters, including flooding in the Penrith-Hawkesbury areas and across the state. Most recently, a significant hailstorm hit the Blue Mountains, Hawkesbury, Wollondilly, Wingecarribee, Greater Wollongong and Sydney areas on 28.09.2022, resulting in flash flooding and severe damage to properties. Since 22 Feburary 2022, NSW has seen seven major events of flooding which has had significant impact across the state, particularly within Western Sydney.

The New South Wales government’s previous proposal to raise the wall of the Warragamba Dam could result in complete inundation of some cultural sites of the Darug and Gundungarra people in the area and is at odds with Australia’s obligations under the world heritage convention. According to present forecasts, the number of people living and working in the valley will rise from 150,000 now to 257,000 by 2041.

This has impacted the university, with multiple campus closures as a result, and students who have experienced the impact of the floods.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students.

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must encourage action against the growing issues that are being presented by climate change.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all affected by the floods, and to call on further action to be taken

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC condemns the Perrottet Liberal Government for its poor response to these catastrophic weather events, and its failure to commit to basic housing safety for Western Sydney U Students
2. The Western SRC condemns the Perrottet Liberal Government for failing to improve its planning and responses for any following events.
3. The Western SRC commits to raising awareness about this important initiative.
4. The Western SRC calls on the University to provide additional support to students in these affected areas.

## Motion 11.10: Teachers Shortages

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| **Issue** | One-fifth of last year’s Education graduates are not registered as teachers. |
| **Date** | 30.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

According to state government data, more than 7,000 people received Bachelor of Education and diplomas in education qualifications last year, but 1,418 were not registered as teachers with the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA).

The figures, released in response to a question on notice, showed almost 4,000 graduates across the state were working at government schools and 1,783 at non-government schools. The government did not know what happened to the remaining graduates.

The current shortage of teaching staff in schools is indicative of ongoing poor working conditions, including pay, proposals of unfair payment incentive programs by the NSW Government, and better conditions in managerial positions.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students in education disciplines.

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for better working conditions for teachers and better career pathways for these graduates.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for education students.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

1. The Western SRC condemns the Perrottet Liberal Government for its poor response to the clear issues with working conditions for teachers, and calls for the State Minister for Education and Early Learning The Hon. Sarah Mitchell MLC to resign from the Perrottet Liberal Cabinet immediately
2. The Western SRC calls on the Perrottet Liberal Government to develop retention strategies and career pathways for teaching graduates that are realistic, researched, and effective.
3. The Western SRC calls on the University to develop better career pathways for students in education disciplines.

## Motion 11.11: Report from the Disciplinary Panel

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| **Issue** | Report from the Disciplinary Panel |
| **Date** | 20/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Rameez |
| **Seconder** | Sabrina |

The panel recommends that the SRC consider and approve amendments to the Student Representation Procedures to give effect to some additional protections as follows:

* Expenditure over $500 by SRC members should be explicitly approved by the SRC before any budget request is made; evidence of the resolution approving the specific expenditure or event budget approval must be appended to the request;
* SRC events should not be capped or limited unless there is a valid reason to do so and this must be expressly approved by the SRC; this is to ensure that events are as accessible and inclusive as possible;
* Cash donations at SRC events should not be allowed.

## Motion 11.12: Transport between campuses

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| **Issue** | Shuttle Bus services have great potential, however the university is yet to take initiative |
| **Date** | 13/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Shuttle buses have shown that they improve student life greatly, however the university have not engaged student feedback

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC call on the university to commit to utilizing SSAF to create inter-campus shuttle bus routes

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will hold the university to account and engage the university in constructive discussion

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC call on Western Sydney U to commit to utilizing SSAF to create inter-campus shuttle buses at cost.
2. The SRC call on Western Sydney U to increase frequency of shuttle buses, as well as adopt a timetable system in lieu of a continuous flow system

## Motion 11.13: Supporting Australian Manufacturing

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| **Issue** | The SRC should work to support Australian businesses and Australian labour |
| **Date** | 13/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should in all instances where feasible ensure that all goods and services acquired through budget expenditure support Australian owned businesses and businesses that support Australian manufacturing

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

None

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC consider future procedural change that would support Australian Manufacturing

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will ensure that future SRC’s may be in a position to adopt procedural changes that would benefit Australian jobs, some of who may be students at Western Sydney U

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC support in principle changes to procedures or policy that would require the SRC to utilize Australian business, services, and manufacturing where practical and fiscally responsible
2. The SRC acknowledge the impact that local and small business have on the Western Sydney U community, as many businesses that operate on Western Sydney U campuses are family and locally owned

## Motion 11.14: Casualized Workforce at Western Sydney U

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| **Issue** | Under a casual contract, student employees have no security over their income |
| **Date** | 15/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Due to an over-casualization of the workforce at Western Sydney U, student employees have limited job security and limited income security

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All student employees

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC call on the university to convert casual contracts to part time, as well as invite relevant unions to engage with student employees

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will ensure student employees are protected

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC notes its concern for the widespread casualization of student employees
2. The SRC calls on Western Sydney U to convert these positions to part time positions
3. The SRC invites relevant trade unions to engage with student employees
4. The SRC reaffirms that casual staff have still not yet been compensated for their lost income due to the public holiday on the 22nd of September 2022

## Motion 11.15: Concern for on-campus accommodation costs

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| **Issue** | The University and CLV are pricing students out of affordable accommodation |
| **Date** | 16/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Campus Living Villages and the University have allowed students to be completely priced out of student accommodation due to Short Stay Arrangements targeting non-students

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All residential students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC raise concerns with the university and Campus Living Villages that Short Stay Accommodation may be contributing to increased accommodation costs on-campus

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will call on the university and Campus Living Villages inaction to provide affordable accommodation for students

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC expresses its concern with Campus Living Villages and Western Sydney University for allowing Short Stay Accommodation for non-students in rooms that should be designated for students requiring accommodation on-campus
2. The SRC expresses its concern with Campus Living Villages and Western Sydney University for allowing Short Stay Accommodation, and notes the potential that Short Stay accommodation for non-students raises to increase the cost of accommodation to a point where it is unattainable for students
3. The SRC empower the Residential Student Representative to write a letter to the Vice-Chancellor of Western Sydney U Bevil ‘Barney’ Glover and the General Manager of Campus Living Villages WSU highlighting their concerns with the express consent of the President

## Motion 11.16: Support for the RTBU

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| **Issue** | The RTBU are in industrial disputes with the NSW Government over unsafe trains and inadequate pay to assist with cost of living |
| **Date** | 20/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The RTBU (Rail Train and Bus Union) are currently undertaking protected action in an attempt to ensure that NSW has safe transport and trains

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students who utilize public transport and trains

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC acknowledge the hard work of the RTBU and acknowledge that safe trains will create a safe environment for students to travel

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will call on the NSW government to ensure that Western Sydney U students will get to campus and back home safely

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledge and express its support for the RTBU in their ongoing industrial disputes with the NSW Government
2. The SRC commend the RTBU for defending the rights of train operators and passengers to travel on NSW trains safely
3. The SRC acknowledge that without the tireless work of the RTBU, the SRC would not have confidence in the NSW Liberal Government to ensure that travel would be safe on NSW trains
4. The SRC acknowledge that safe trains will result in safe students, and that under the NSW Liberal Government, safe trains have not been prioritized

## Motion 11.17: Congratulating the Boilerhouse

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| **Issue** | The Boilerhouse at Parramatta South Campus have stimulated Student Life |
| **Date** | 23/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Due to the Boilerhouse reopening, student life has drastically improved. With improved food options and a licensed venue on campus, students are now better off

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All Parramatta South students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC congratulate the Boilerhouse for reopening, and encourage students to engage with restaurants on-campus where possible

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will raise awareness for the improvements to student life the Boilerhouse bring to Parramatta South

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC congratulates the Boilerhouse for reopening on Parramatta South Campus and wishes them well in their endeavors
2. The SRC acknowledge the efforts of the President, Vice-President – Activities and the Ethno-Cultural Representative in advocating for improved food services on campus
3. The SRC supports hosting events that utilize on-campus catering, and commits to supporting locally owned and operated businesses

## Motion 11.18 Support for Improved Education Employment Opportunities

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| **Issue** | Both the NSW Labor Party and NSW Liberals have committed to converting 10,000 casual teaching places into permanent positions |
| **Date** | 23/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

There is bipartisan support of the education sector, and graduating educators will have confidence that they will have improved employment opportunities

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All education students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC thank the NSW Labor Party for introducing the policy, and the Liberal Party for committing to the policy after the NSW Labor Party’s introduction

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will ensure that students are aware of how the government’s decisions will affect their future, as well as hold the government to account

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledges and thanks the NSW Labor Party for committing to creating 10,000 new permanent teaching positions, and the NSW Liberals for agreeing to match Labor’s policy
2. The SRC commits to holding the NSW Government to account, regardless of which party forms government in the upcoming State Election

## Motion 11.19: Support of Commitment for Methane Reductions

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| **Issue** | The SRC support the Federal Minister for Climate Change and Energy for committing to reducing methane emissions |
| **Date** | 25/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should be working to hold governments to account, and by recognizing good policy from good governments, this will encourage other governments to follow suit

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students in the agricultural sector such as Hawkesbury students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC support the Federal Minister for Climate Change and Energy in their objective of protecting our earth from further climate impacts

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will promote strong energy and climate policy from a strong government after nearly a decade of inaction from the previous Federal Governments

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC support and congratulate the Federal Minister for Climate Change and Energy The Hon. Chris Bowen MP for committing to cut global methane emissions by 30%
2. The SRC acknowledge that this new policy has arisen from a new Federal Albanese Labor Government being newly elected after nearly a decade of inaction
3. The SRC condemn the Leader of the Opposition the Hon. Peter Dutton MP for falsely claiming that this well-overdue policy change would be a “tax on cattle”
4. The SRC commit to supporting all policies that would save our planet from the disastrous impacts of climate change

## Motion 11.20: Condemnation for NSW Minister for Corrections

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| **Issue** | The SRC condemns the NSW Minister for Corrections for their lack of transparency regarding human rights. |
| **Date** | 25/10/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should be proactive in supporting students and members of the community who are involved in the corrections system, and under the NSW Minister for Correction’s watch, NSW’s is known internationally for failing to be transparent about the treatment of inmates in NSW Corrections Facilities.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students, particularly students who have experiences with the penal system

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC condemn the NSW Corrections Minister’s failure to be transparent about respect of human rights within our corrections systems in NSW.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will call on the Minister’s inaction and promote basic human rights within NSW

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC condemn the NSW Minister for Corrections, The Hon. Dr Geoffrey Lee MP for his failure to disclose the treatment of prisoners within NSW, and calls for his immediate resignation from the Perrottet cabinet
2. The SRC condemn the NSW Minister for Corrections, The Hon. Dr Geoffrey Lee MP for his disturbing comments regarding the safety of prisoners within NSW, and specifically his comments stating that human rights within NSW are “trivial matters”
3. The SRC acknowledge and commit to ensuring that human rights are always upheld within NSW
4. The SRC acknowledge and commit to students who may be affected by the NSW Minister for Corrections’ comments, and stands in solidarity with the families and friends of inmates who may be affected
5. The SRC support and thank the Federal Attorney-General The Hon. Mark Dreyfus KC MP and the Federal Albanese Labor Government’s strong support in protecting human rights within NSW and the rest of Australia

# 12. General Business

# 13. Next Meeting and close

# Agenda Documents

## Business Paper A Previous Meeting Minutes

## Business Paper B Monthly Member Reports

## Business Paper C Action Items

## Business Paper D President’s Report

## Business Paper E Declaration of Member’s Interests

## Business Paper F Report from Student Community

## Business Paper G Committee Reports

### Mandated Standing Committees

#### G.1 SRC Budget Committee

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | SRC Budget Committee |
| **Chair** | General Secretary (Sabrina Young) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.2 Cross-Campus Facilities and Services Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Facilities and Services Network |
| **Chair** | President (Rameez Parkar) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.3 Cross-Campus Education Action Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Education Action Network |
| **Chair** | Vice-Presidents Education (Bakar Mohamad, Sanjay Thapa) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.4 SRC Clubs and Activities Committee

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| **Committee** | SRC Clubs and Activities Committee |
| **Chair** | Vice-President Activities (Cameron Chesters) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.5 Online Students Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Online Students Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Online Students Representative (Caitlin Marlor) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.6 Cross-Campus Women’s Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Women’s Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Women’s Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.7 Cross-Campus Queer Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Queer Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Queer Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.8 First Nations Cross-Campus Equity Network

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| **Committee** | First Nations Cross-Campus Equity Network |
| **Chair** | First Nations Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.9 Cross-Campus Disability Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Disability Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Disability Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.10 Cross-Campus Ethno-cultural Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Ethno-cultural Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Ethnocultural Representative (Crystal Ram) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.11 Cross-Campus Environment Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Environment Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Environment Representative (Danielle Albertine) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.12 Cross-Campus International Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus International Equity Network |
| **Chair** | International Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.13 Bankstown Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Bankstown Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Bankstown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.14 Bankstown Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Bankstown Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Bankstown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.15 Bankstown Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Bankstown Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Bankstown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.16 Campbelltown Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Campbelltown Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Campbelltown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.17 Campbelltown Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Campbelltown Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Campbelltown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.18 Campbelltown Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Campbelltown Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Campbelltown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.19 Hawkesbury Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Hawkesbury Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Hawkesbury Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.20 Hawkesbury Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Hawkesbury Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Hawkesbury Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.21 Hawkesbury Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Hawkesbury Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Hawkesbury Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.22 Liverpool Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Liverpool Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Liverpool Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.23 Liverpool Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Liverpool Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Liverpool Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.24 Liverpool Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Liverpool Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Liverpool Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.25 Parramatta Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.26 Parramatta Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Parramatta Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Parramatta Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.27 Parramatta Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.28 Parramatta City Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta City Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta City Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.29 Parramatta City Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Parramatta City Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Parramatta City Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.30 Parramatta City Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta City Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta City Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.31 Penrith Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Penrith Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Penrith Campus Representative (Julian Gonzales) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.32 Penrith Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Penrith Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Penrith Campus Representative ( Julian Gonzales ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.33 Penrith Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Penrith Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Penrith Campus Representative (Julian Gonzales) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.34 Nirimba Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Nirimba Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Nirimba Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.35 Nirimba Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Nirimba Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Nirimba Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.36 Nirimba Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Nirimba Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Nirimba Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.37 Small and Regional Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Small and Regional Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Small and Regional Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.38 Small and Regional Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Small and Regional Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Small and Regional Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.39 Small and Regional Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Small and Regional Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Small and Regional Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

**Regular Standing Committees**

#### G.40 Cross-campus Inter-Equity Collective Network

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| --- | --- |
| **Committee** | Cross-campus Inter-Equity Collective Network |
| **Chair** | Vicky Reed and Danielle Albertine |
| **Meeting Rule** | No minimum meeting requirements |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report** | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

### Special Committees

## Additional Business Papers as required.