

## Meeting in Hughes 322 Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2022

### 1. Procedural Matters

*Billy Zimmermann opened the meeting at 6:30*

#### 1.1. Acknowledgement of Indigenous Owners

Billy acknowledged the owners of the land we were on as that of the Kaurna people.

#### 1.2. Attendance

Billy Zimmermann, James Wood, Ulian Cox, Georgia Thomas, Mat Monti, Nix Herriot, Ramon O'Donnell, Liam Johns, Eddie Satchell, Henry Southcott, Francesco Ciampa, Chanel Tresize, James Dimas, Marilee Hou, Steph Madigan, Eddie Satchell, Bir Khan (arrived 6:51)

#### 1.3. Apologies

Ana Obradovic, Alicia Turner, Falie Klieve, Jack Crawford

#### 1.4. Absences

Dhuruva Padmanabhan, Wendy Yu

*Billy handed chair to Georgia Thomas at 6:31*

#### 1.5. Adoption of Agenda

##### Procedural Motion:

**Moved:** Billy Zimmermann      **Secoded:** Francesco Ciampa      **Motion carried**

### 2. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

**Recommendation:** That the SRC accept the minutes of the meeting of 12 May 2022 as a true and accurate record (Appendix 1)

**Moved:** Mat Monti      **Secoded:** Billy Zimmermann      **Motion carried**

### 3. Matters Arising from Previous Minutes

<b>ACTION</b>	<b>PERSON</b>	<b>STATUS</b>
That the SRC make a post promoting the ACARF protest on Facebook.	FB Admin	Complete
Accessible event checklist	Falie Klieve	Complete
The SRC will publish a statement to this effect on its Facebook page and tag the peak Sri Lankan	Ramon O'Donnell & FB Admin	

student union body, the Inter University Students' Federation, in it.		
Casual Vacancies admin	Billy Zimmermann	<b>Complete</b>

#### 4. Correspondence

#### 5. New Members

##### Procedural motion:

Move item 9.1 to 5.

**Moved:** Billy Zimmermann

**Seconded:** Eddie Satchell

**Motion Carried**

##### Motion:

- The SRC appoints Michael Petrilli to the role of SRC Social Justice Officer
- The SRC appoints Clare Bensted to the position of SRC Roseworthy Campus Officer
- The SRC appoints Merlin Wang to the position of SRC Waite Campus Officer

**Moved:** Billy Zimmermann

**Seconded:** Mat Monti

**Motion Carried**

Michael Petrilli gave an introduction and his want to tackle inequality faced on Campus

Merlin Wang gave an introduction and his desire to make the voices of Waite campus heard specifically around infrastructure.

#### 6. Motions on Notice

#### 7. Office Bearer Reports

##### 7.1. President

**NOT SUBMITTED**

##### 7.2. Welfare Officer

##### MOTION:

1. That the SRC recognises the detrimental impacts of being homeless within our society and the challenges faced by Non-Governmental Organisations (NGO)'s in tackling homelessness.
2. That the SRC recognises and supports the work of the Hutt Street Centre in delivering services to our most vulnerable.

##### ACTION POINT:

1. If passed, the SRC President, or any relevant authority, uploads a post on the SRC's Facebook Page of the Hutt Street Centre's Walk-A-Mile event.

**Francesco proposed an amendment, add to action point 1:**

And the SRC president and any relevant authority attend the event as a representative.

*Amenable to mover*

**Amended motion put:**

**Moved:** Ulian Cox

**Seconded:** Francesco Ciampa

**Motion Carried**

**7.3. Women's Officer**

*Georgia handed the chair to Billy Zimmermann at 6:46*

*Billy handed the chair to Georgia Thomas at 6:47*

**7.4. Environment Officer**

Motion:

The SRC should call for real climate action by endorsing the demands of these protests, including:

- Real zero emissions by 2035
- No new coal, oil or gas projects
- Tax the billionaires to fund a just transition for workers
- Land rights, not mining rights
- No nuclear submarines, dumps or uranium mines
- Scrap the draconian NSW anti-protest laws

**Moved:** Nix Herriot

**Seconded:** James Wood

**Motion Carried**

**7.5. Ethno-Cultural Officer**

Motion

- The SRC recognises it is completely inappropriate for the Government to control the courses of study undertaken by International students and that there is no justifiable reason to restrict the ability of international students to choose or change their courses of study.
- The SRC demands that the Government immediately remove the conditions 8203 and 8204 from the subclass 500 student visa.

Action:

1. That the SRC Ethno-Cultural Officer writes to the Minister for Home Affairs, the Hon Clare O'Neil MP.

**Moved:** Marilee Hou

**Seconded:** Ulian Cox

**Motion Carried**

Motion

1. The SRC President writes to the relevant officer at the University on the following:
  - The University review its policy for Replacement Examinations and develop a policy specific to those affected by Covid-19 with simpler processes;
  - The University must commit to better and earlier communications with regards to procedures for in-person examinations in the context of Covid-19, including having this information readily accessible on the University website a reasonable amount of time before SwotVac.

**Moved:** Marilee Hou

**Seconded:** Mat Monti

**Motion Carried**

## **7.6. Rural Officer's Report**

### **Motion:**

- The SRC Rural Officer will share this survey and outline its importance via the SRC Facebook page.

**Moved:** Liam Johns

**Seconded:** Michael Petrilli

**Motion Carried**

A small discussion on the new counselling service at Roseworthy was mentioned.

## **7.7. Mature Age Officer's Report**

**NOT SUBMITTED**

## **8. General Business**

### **8.1. Frankie Motion 1**

Due to the difficulties that students battle when attempting to balance their studies, work and lives with their university studies, I would like to propose the following. That the SRC advocate for:

- 1) The removal of attendance marks for workshops and tutorials for all courses.
- 2) Lecturers and tutors are to provide recordings and live streams of all workshops and tutorials.

**Moved:** Francesco Ciampa

**Seconded:** Henry Southcott

**Motion failed**

**Procedural motion to move 8.2 immediately to vote:**

**Moved:** Eddie Satchell

**Seconded:** Billy Zimmermann

**Procedural motion failed**

### **8.2. Frankie Motion 2**

- 1) The SRC condemns the hate crimes committed in the Roe v Wade protests.
- 2) The SRC condemns the Christophobic slurs and actions occurring in the Rode v. Wade protests.

**Moved:** Francesco Ciampa

**Seconded:** Henry Southcott

**Motion failed**

**Procedural motion to move 8.3 immediately to vote:**

**Moved:** Francesco Ciampa

**Seconded:** Henry Southcott

**Procedural Motion failed**

### **8.3. Frankie Motion 3**

- 1) The SRC condemns the Anti-fascist Action group, better known as ANTIFA for placing defamatory stickers about police around the city of Adelaide.

- 2) The SRC appreciates and respects the work conducted by the police to keep our communities safe.

**Moved:** Francesco Ciampa

**Seconded:** Henry Southcott

**Motion failed**

## **9. Emergent business**

### **9.1. Uni Health Clinic**

Motion:

1. The SRC Condemns:
  - a. the University's decision to sell the GP clinic on campus to a private operator;
  - b. the University Health Clinic's decision to introduce gap payments.
2. The SRC insists that a GP clinic located on campus for the purpose of servicing its students must maintain bulk-billing practices.

Action:

1. The SRC Welfare Officer will write to the University demanding that the University intervenes to reverse the decision to introduce gap fees for appointments with the University Health Clinic. If the University cannot influence the decision of the private operator it should either:
  - a. Subsidise the costs (ie, cover the cost of the proposed gap charges so students can still access services free of charge); or
  - b. Replace the current operator with a clinic who commits to bulk-billing practices.
2. The SRC Welfare Officer will write to the federal Minister for Health, Mark Butler MP, outlining the above situation and demanding the government increase Medicare rebates for GPs, noting that bulk-billing clinics are increasingly hard to find.
3. The SRC Welfare Officer will make a post to the SRC Facebook page in relation to the above which includes a list of clinics in South Australia which will bulk-bill.

**Moved:** Marilee Hou

**Seconded:** Billy Zimmermann

**Motion carried**

### **9.2. Waite Facilities**

Motion:

1. The SRC supports urgent review and fixing of amenities on the Waite Campus.
2. The SRC Welfare Officer will write to the University of Adelaide, YouX, and the incoming Waite Officer requesting such review and fixing.

**Moved:** Steph Madigan

**Seconded:** Ulian Cox

**Motion carried**

*Georgia closed the meeting at 8:00*