



## **1.0 WELCOME AND OPENING**

### **1.1 Attendance**

### **1.2 Apologies**

Drishti Kripalani  
Meghana Maganti  
Shiori Tan  
Taniya Shrimali

### **1.3 Proxies**

Seren Moulds (for Aiysha Abdul Raman)

### **1.4 Observers**

### **1.5 Absent**

## **2.0 DECLARATION OF POTENTIAL OR PERCEIVED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

## **3.0 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

### **3.1 February Council Minutes**

### **3.2 Approval of Committee minutes**

- Alumni Engagement (did not meet)
- Audit & Risk
- Catering and Tavern
- Corporate Services (did not meet)
- Election Culture (did not meet)
- Equity & Diversity (did not meet)
- Governance (did not meet)
- Publications
- Strategic Resources
- Student Services (did not meet)
- Volunteering
- Welfare and Advocacy (did not meet quorum)
- Workplace Health & Safety (did not meet)

## **4.0 BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**

## **5.0 BUSINESS COMPLETED VIA CIRCULAR**

5.1 The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council approves the updates and changes to the RSD Regulations which have been applied to improve the functionality and efficiency of the Department, including the addition of 3 OCMs, as recommended by the Governance Committee.

5.2 The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council:

- 5.2.1 Endorses the protests called by the National Union of Students (NUS) Queer/LGBTQIA+ Department against the speaking tour of UK-based anti-transgender activist Kellie-Jay Keen, also known as Posie Parker,
- 5.2.2 Affirms the right of transgender people to be recognised as their identified gender and condemns ongoing attacks against trans people globally by transphobes and the far-right,
- 5.2.3 Calls on students to participate in the national campaign against Keen's speaking tour across Australia by attending the protest in Perth on March 14, 11:30am at Solidarity Park outside Parliament House, and
- 5.2.4 Commits to promote the protest through official Guild channels, such as social media, emails, digital noticeboards, etc.

- 5.3 The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council accepts the resignation of Meghana Maganti from the Young Leaders' Council (YLC) committee.

## **6.0 DIRECTORS REPORTS**

- 6.1 Managing Director
- 6.2 Finance Director
- 6.3 Commercial
- 6.4 Student Services

## **7.0 QUESTIONS TIME – Directors Reports**

## **8.0 STUDENT REPORTS**

- 8.1 President
- 8.2 Vice President
- 8.3 General Secretary
- 8.4 Guild Chair
- 8.5 Education Council President
- 8.6 Societies Council President
- 8.7 Public Affairs Council President
- 8.8 Women's Officer
- 8.9 Welfare Officer
- 8.10 Postgraduates Students' Association President
- 8.11 International Students' Department President
- 8.12 Residential Students' Department President
- 8.13 Environment Officer
- 8.14 Sports Officer
- 8.15 Access Department
- 8.16 Pride Officers
- 8.17 Ethnocultural Department Officers
- 8.18 Volunteering Chair
- 8.19 OGC

## **9.0 QUESTIONS TIME – Student Reports**

## **10.0 BUSINESS FROM THE EXECUTIVE**



## **11.0 ELECTIONS**

## **12.0 MOTIONS ON NOTICE (OPERATIONS)**

- 12.1** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council approves the new Advance Payment Policy for Guild staff, as recommended by the Strategic Resources Committee.

Moved: Lara Dale

Seconded: Geemal Jayawickrama

- 12.2** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council approves the new Tenant Business Case for Tutti Frutti, as recommended by the Strategic Resources Committee.

Moved: Lara Dale

Seconded: Geemal Jayawickrama

- 12.3** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council approves the 2023 Election timetable.

Moved: Robert Whitehurst

Seconded: Geemal Jayawickrama

- 12.4** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council requests the Managing Director write to the WAEC in order to conduct the 2023 Annual General Elections for the UWA Student Guild & NUS.

Moved: Geemal Jayawickrama

Seconded: Robert Whitehurst

## **13.0 MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE (OPERATIONS)**

## **14.0 MOTIONS ON NOTICE (REPRESENTATION)**

- 14.1** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council:

14.1.1 Wishes all Muslim UWA students a Ramadan Kareem, extending our support to those fasting away from their families during their overseas studies,

14.1.2 Encourages UWA students who are away from their families that are fasting to interact with the Muslim Students' Association, the Ethnocultural & International Students' Departments for support during Ramadan, and to reach out to the Guild's support services for extra support,

14.1.3 Directs the University to work with relevant Guild Departments to cater to the needs of the students whose assessments (e.g. quizzes, tests, assessments) coincide with religious celebrations, and

- 14.1.4 Supports the upcoming 'Grand Open Air Community Iftar' hosted by the Ethnocultural Department and the Muslim Students' Association on March 31<sup>st</sup>.

Moved: Alejandro Villa Gomez

Seconded: Alex Knowles

**14.2** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council:

- 14.2.1 Commits to sharing the open letter to drop the charges on the UWA Guild Facebook and Instagram pages:  
<https://www.megaphone.org.au/petitions/drop-the-charges-against-cherish-kuehlmann>,

- 14.2.2 Commits to posting a public statement on its social media platforms demanding that the charges against Cherish be dropped,

- 14.2.3 Urges all office-bearers and members of the 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council to sign the above open letter and share it, and

- 14.2.4 Endorses taking a solidarity photo with Cherish at the end of the current Guild Council meeting.

Moved: Sean Cheung

Seconded: Holly Mellor

**14.3** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council:

- 14.3.1 Recognises that the rental crisis is severely undermining the capacity of students, especially low-income and international students, to find a decent and affordable place to live,

- 14.3.2 Rebukes UWA management for its failure to organise adequate logistical and financial support to students who are struggling to find an affordable rental,

- 14.3.3 Calls on the McGowan state government to impose rent caps to relieve the pressure of housing costs on students and low-income earners, and

- 14.3.4 Endorses the 'Get a Room – Students for Affordable Housing' campaign and commits to preserving affiliated posters and other materials disseminated by campaign activists.

Moved: Sean Cheung

Seconded: Rutvi Timbadia

**14.4** The 110<sup>th</sup> Guild Council:



- 14.4.1 Condemns the AUKUS submarine deal as an escalation of an imperialist arms race and increase militarisation,
- 14.4.2 Denounces the acquisition of nuclear submarines as a step towards nuclear proliferation, which risks devastating environmental impacts and facilitating the development of nuclear weapons,
- 14.4.3 Recognises the AUKUS submarine deal as a gross abuse of taxpayers' money, which should be spent on addressing the current cost-of-living crisis, and
- 14.4.4 Calls for Australia to withdraw from the AUKUS alliance to avoid being drawn into a US-China conflict.

Moved: Sean Cheung  
Seconded: Holly Mellor

## **15.0 MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE (REPRESENTATION)**

## **16.0 GENERAL BUSINESS**

- 16.1** TRCB – Masterplan Presentation
- 16.2** World's Greatest Shave
- 16.3** UDUB Radio Presentation

## **17.0 CLOSE AND NEXT MEETING**

Next meeting will be held Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2023 at 6:00 PM. Please contact the Guild General Secretary ([secretary@guild.uwa.edu.au](mailto:secretary@guild.uwa.edu.au)) with any apologies or proxies. If unable to attend, please advise which dates you are available to reschedule if a quorum cannot be met.