

110th Guild Council Wednesday August 30th, 2023 Guild Council Room @ 6pm

1. WELCOME AND OPENING

1.1 Attendance

- 1.1.1 Ashley Lui (AL)
- 1.1.2 Bradley Carter (BC)
- 1.1.3 Charlotte Kennedy (CK)
- 1.1.4 Cooper Mason (CM)
- 1.1.5 Indi Creed (IC)
- 1.1.6 Joseph Pietrzak (JP)
- 1.1.7 Khoa Mai (KM)
- 1.1.8 Luke Alderslade (LA)
- 1.1.9 Robert Whitehurst (RW)
- 1.1.10 Tony Goodman (TG)
- 1.1.11 Viknash VM (VVM) via Teams
- 1.1.12 Will Partridge (WP)
- 1.1.13 Jaimee Bardsley (JB)
- 1.1.14 Taleah Ugle (TU)
- 1.1.15 Chido Mukomberanwa (CM)
- 1.1.16 **Liam Tubby (LT)**
- 1.1.17 Melani De Alwis (MDA)
- 1.1.18 Akshata Jois (AJ)
- 1.1.19 Meghana Maganti(MM)
- 1.1.20 Erin Williams (EW)
- 1.1.21 Mutya MJ (MMJ)

1.2 Apologies:

1.2.1 Geemal Jayawickrama (GJ)

1.3 Absent:

1.3.1 Lara Dale

1.4 Proxies:

- 1.4.1 Alevine Magila (AM) FOR Alex VG
- 1.4.2 Finn Penter (FP) FOR Claudia Bruce
- 1.4.3 Suchi K (SK) FOR Rutvi T
- 1.4.4 Amira Nunn (AN) FOR Alex Knowles
- 1.4.5 Chloe Roberts (CR) FOR Sean Cheung
- 1.4.6 Olivia Stronach (OS) FOR Anushka M

1.5 Observers:

- 1.5.1 **Tobias Langtry**
- 1.5.2 Christopher-John Dauda (CJ)
- 1.5.3 Rishav Neog (RN)

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2. DECLARATION OF POTENTIAL OR PERCEIVED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

No conflicts of interest were raised.

RW moves a motion to give all proxies and councillors joining the meeting online voting and speaking rights. This motion passes.

VVM moves a procedural motion to move item 12.4, BC seconds it. Motion passes.

12.4 The 110th Guild Council appoints Juan Lakonawa as the Volunteering Chair until the 30th of November 2023.

Moved by Viknash VM Seconded by Bradley Carter

Motion passed unanimously.

12.5 The 110th Guild Council Accepts the resignation of Drishti Kripalani from the Position of Ordinary Guild Councillor.

Moved by Viknash VM Seconded by Bradley Carter

Motions passes unanimously.

12.6 The 110th Guild Council Appoints Rishav Neog to the Position of Ordinary Guild Councillor.

Moved: Rutvi Timbadia Seconded: Ashley Lui

Motion passes unanimously.

RW moves a procedural motion to move item 3, BC seconds it. Motion passes.

3. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

3.1 July Council Minutes

3.2 Approval of Committee minutes

June Student Services

BC moves a motion to accept the minutes, RW seconds it. Motion passes.

4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES



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5. BUSINESS COMPLETED VIA CIRCULAR

None

6. DIRECTORS' REPORTS

- 6.1 Managing Director
- 6.2 Finance Director

BC moves a motion to go into camera. Motion passes.

- 6.3 Commercial
- 6.4 Student Services
- 6.5 Venture Student Innovation Centre

BC moves a motion to go out of camera. Motion passes.

RW passes a motion to accept the reports. Motion passes.

7. QUESTIONS TIME - Directors' Reports

8 STUDENT REPORTS

- 8.1 President- Tabled
- 8.2 Vice President Tabled
- 8.3 General Secretary- Not submitted.
- 8.4 Guild Chair- Tabled
- 8.5 Education Council President- Tabled
- 8.6 Societies Council President- Tabled
- 8.7 Public Affairs Council President- Tabled
- 8.8 Women's Officer- Tabled
- 8.9 Wellbeing Officer- Tabled
- 8.10 Postgraduates Students' Association President-Verbal report given.
- 8.11 International Students' Department President- Tabled
- 8.12 Residential Students' Department President- Tabled
- 8.13 Environment Officer- Tabled
- 8.14 Sports Officer- Tabled
- 8.15 Access Department- Not submitted.
- 8.16 Pride Officers- Not submitted.
- 8.17 Ethnocultural Officers- Tabled
- 8.18 Volunteering Chair- Not submitted.
- 8.19 OGCs- JP, LA, CM, AL, CB, MDA as tabled.

RW passes a motion to accept the reports. Motion passes.

9. QUESTIONS TIME - Student Reports

10. BUSINESS FROM THE EXECUTIVE

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None

11. ELECTIONS

None

12. MOTIONS ON NOTICE (OPERATIONS)

12.1 The 110th Guild Council appoints Nexia Australia as the External Financial Auditors for 2023,2024 and 2025 financial years on the recommendation of the Strategic Resources Committee.

Moved by Viknash VM Seconded by Bradley Carter

Motion passes unanimously.

- 12.2 The 110th Guild Council;
 - Endorses the 2023 Guild Masterplan designed by Taylor Robinson Chaney Broderick (TRCB);
 - ii. Acknowledges the effort of the Guild Executive and Management in actuating the Masterplan;
 - iii. Directs the Guild's Managing Director and the rest of the Management team to initiate the Masterplan including the financing and communication of it to the student body.

Moved by Viknash VM Seconded by Bradley Carter

This motion passes unanimously.

12.3 The 110th Guild Council approves \$45000 for the upgrade of the CCTV Camera system in the Guild Village, on the recommendation of the Strategic Resources Committee.

Moved by Viknash VM Seconded by Bradley Carter

Motion passes.

Meeting breaks for the welfare break.

- 13.0 MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE (OPERATIONS)
- 14.0 MOTIONS ON NOTICE (REPRESENTATION)



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15.0 MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE (REPRESENTATION)

- 15.1 The Guild Council:
 - 15.1.1 Opposes the unnecessary presence of the police on campus;
 - 15.1.2 Recognises that the police make activist events more violent;
- 15.1.3 Considers the presence of police on campus to be an effective curtailment of students' right on campus to freely assemble and demonstrate;
 - 15.1.4 Objects to any and all weapons that the police bring on to our campus;
 - 15.1.5 Notes the role of the police at the peaceful protest against Warmongers on campus on August 23 was to defend high-level military personnel and politicians who want to develop nuclear submarines in Australia.

Moved: Chloe Roberts (CR) for Sean Cheung Seconded: Finn Penter, proxying for Claudia

Motion passes.

15.2 The 110th Guild Council:

- 15.2.1 Notes that the current proposed abortion reforms in WA are a progressive step in decreasing barriers to abortion access, but do not go far enough
- 15.2.2 Recognises that abortion is both essential healthcare and fundamental to women's rights, and declares that it should be made free and available on demand
- 15.2.3. Notes the link between anti-abortion campaigns and the far right, with anti-choice events in WA consistently attended by groups including neo-nazis, the Proud Boys, One Nation, and Australia First
- 15.2.4. Condemns Labor MP Bill Johnston for opposing the current proposed expansion of abortion rights
- 15.2.5. Opposes the anti-abortion meeting held by the Australian Christian Lobby and the Coalition for the Defence of Human Life, which intends to try and block the current reforms

Moved: Chloe Roberts (CR) for Sean Cheung Seconded: Finn Penter, proxying for Claudia

Motion passes.

15.3 The 110th Guild Council:

15.3.1. Condemns the State Security Investigations Group for charging Disrupt Burrup Hub climate activists with counter-terrorism charges because they refused to comply with data access orders.



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15.3.2. Condemns police powers being used to crack down on climatell of the sile and the sile and seed to crack down on climatell of the sile and seed to crack down on clima

15.3.3. Expresses support to and solidarity with Joana Partyka, Tahlia Stolarski and Emma Sangalli for their climate activism and opposes any legal penalty being applied against them for the protest actions they have been a part of

Moved: Chloe Roberts (CR) for Sean Cheung Seconded: Finn Penter, proxying for Claudia

Motion passes.

16.0 GENERAL BUSINESS

16.1 The Voice

17. CLOSE AND NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday 25th October 2023 at 6.00pm**. Please contact the Guild General Secretary (secretary@guild.uwa.edu.au) with apologies or proxies. If unable to attend, please advise which dates you are available to reschedule if a quorum cannot be met.