



1. WELCOME AND OPENING

1.1. Attendance

1.2. Apologies

Avery Wright
Amitabh Jeganathan

1.3. Proxies

Lucinda Thai-Letran for Floretta Susilo
Thomas Cotter for April Htun
James Haley for Hala Salih
Simon Alpin for Esa Chrulew
Aidan Mansfield for Prakhar Bhandari
Vaishnavi RN for Lachlan McDonald
Doug Jackson for Armand Ruba

1.4. Observers

Nicole McEwen
Catherine Cheesman

1.5. Absent

Lily Hayward

2. DECLARATION OF POTENTIAL OR PERCEIVED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

3. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

5. BUSINESS COMPLETED VIA CIRCULAR

6. DIRECTORS REPORTS

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

7. QUESTION TIME – Directors Reports

8. 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. WASAC Chair
- 8.9. Women's Officer
- 8.10. Welfare Officer
- 8.11. Postgraduate Students' Association President



- 8.12. International Students' Department President
- 8.13. Residential Students' Department President
- 8.14. Environment Officer
- 8.15. Sports Officer
- 8.16. Access Department
- 8.17. Pride Officers
- 8.18. Ethnocultural Department Officers
- 8.19. Volunteering Chair
- 8.20. OGC reports
- 8.21. MASA President

9. QUESTION TIME – Student Reports

10. ADMINISTRATION

6.1 The 108th Guild Council approves Standing Orders as recommended by the Governance Committee.

Moved: Emma Mezger
Seconded: Jameson Thompson

Motion passes with one abstention

11. ELECTIONS

11.1. General Secretary of Guild Council

TG nominated and appointed as RO
WN and CT nominated, WN appointed

11.2. Ethnocultural Officer

JM nominated and appointed

12. BUSINESS FROM THE EXECUTIVE

12.1. The 108th Guild Council:

- 12.1.1 Recognises the atrocities occurring in Afghanistan caused by the Taliban's hostile takeover.
- 12.1.2 Recognises women, children and the LGBTIQ+ community living in Afghanistan faced danger such as but not limited to, enslavement, sexual assault, and harsh living restrictions as a result of the takeover.
- 12.1.3 Opposes Islamophobia in all forms and condemns all forms of religious and racial discrimination.
- 12.1.4 Fights for the freedom and liberation of all women
- 12.1.5 Stands with Afghan students on campus and encourages the UWA Student Guild to facilitate support groups for affected UWA students.
- 12.1.6 Encourages the UWA Student Guild to host an event to raise awareness and support for affected students.



Moved: Adam Elyousef
Seconded: Emma Mezger

Motion passes with one abstention

13. MOTIONS ON NOTICE (OPERATIONS)

13.1. The 108th Guild Council accepts the resignation of Dauda Daj Janneh as General Secretary effective immediately.

Moved: Jameson Thompson
Seconded: Emma Mezger

Motion passes unanimously

13.2. The 108th Guild Council:
13.2.1. Overturns the election held for the position of Chair in the last Guild Council
13.2.2. Re-runs the election for the position

Moved by: Viknash VM
Seconded: Abdul Rahman

Motion fails with 10 votes against

14. MOTIONS ON NOTICE (REPRESENTATION)

14.1. The 108th Guild Council
14.1.1. Acknowledges the trials and tribulations that offshore international students are currently facing
14.1.2. Continuously supports all offshore international students that are enrolled in UWA
14.1.3. Endorses the “StandWithOffshores” campaign that the International Students’ Department is running that aims to advocate issues that offshore international students are currently facing.

Moved: Abdul Rahman
Seconded: Viknash VM

Motion passes unanimously

14.2. The 108th Guild Council
14.2.1. Acknowledges that there are many offshore international students that are unable to attend events.
14.2.2. Recommends and encourages all clubs, societies, and representative bodies to enlist an international representative in their committees

Moved: Abdul Rahman
Seconded: Viknash VM

Motion passes unanimously

14.3. The 108th Guild Council:
14.3.1. Condemns the Australian government’s border and detention regime which needlessly and punitively detains countless refugees and asylum seekers



- 14.3.2. Stands in solidarity with the Murugappan family, who along with 30,000 other refugees in Australia are facing threat of deportation once their temporary visas expire
- 14.3.3. Asserts the right of all refugees and asylum seekers to immediate settlement, healthcare, and permanent visas in Australia.
- 14.3.4. Endorses the Tamil Refugee Council's 'No detention, no deportation: Permanent protection for the Murugappan family' protest on the 4th of September, 3pm at ForrestChase
- 14.3.5. Will encourage students to attend the protest and share the event via its social media

Moved: Esa Chrulew
Seconded: Viknash VM

Motion passes with one abstention

- 14.4. The 108th Guild Council:
 - 14.4.1. Stands in solidarity with Maritime Union of Australia (MUA) dock workers in Fremantle, who have been picketing and stopping work in an ongoing bargaining dispute with Qube Ports and Bulk
 - 14.4.2. Supports their campaign against workers' health and safety being sacrificed for the profits of private companies - calling for basic rights including fair rosters providing adequate rest time, provision of safety equipment and weather-proof gear and proper training

Moved: Esa Chrulew
Seconded: Viknash VM

Motion passes with two abstentions

- 14.5. The 108th Guild Council:
 - 14.5.1. Condemns the UWA security decision to call police on students occupying the Vice Chancellor's office on 23rd August
 - 14.5.2. Condemns security for behaving aggressively towards the occupying students
 - 14.5.3. Supports the rights of students to engage in direct action (including occupation, sit-ins, marches, and pickets.)
 - 14.5.4. Commends students, engaged in EAN, for their brave impressive action in fighting for our quality of education at UWA by protesting and occupying the chancellery building on August 23

Moved: Simon Aplin
Seconded: Jameson Thompson

Motion passes with two abstentions

15. GENERAL BUSINESS

16. CLOSE AND NEXT MEETING

Next meeting will be held August 25th, 2021, at 6:00 PM. Please contact the Guild General Secretary (secretary@guild.uwa.edu.au) with any **apologies or proxies 24 hours prior to council**. If unable to attend, please advise which dates you are available to reschedule if a quorum cannot be met.