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GUILD COUNCIL REPORT  
31/03/2021

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## SUMMARY

*March has been extremely busy. Graduations, Events, Meetings and Seminars are starting to pile on.*

*Campus culture has sprung to life this semester. The Guild organised Night Markets and Club Carnival which was hugely successful. Shout out to Daj and Eleanor and their committees! It was great to see you all down at Club Carnival and promoting your Faculty Societies. All the best for your elections!*

*The Guild also had a very well-attending Alumni Networking Night, attended by our Chancellor, the Hon. Robert French AC and the Honourable Kim Beazley AC, who both received life-time honorary memberships.*

*Thankyou to everyone who helped eftpos marshal and who got involved with PROSH. It was amazing to see so much of the Council down there so early in the morning.*

*In the Education space, I am working with the Vice Chancellor and Chair of Academic Board on the future of education committee. I am also working with the DVCE David Sadler and Graham Brown to submit a proposal to academic board, advocating for conditional passes, supplementary exams and ungraded fails.*

*The Underpass project is moving slowly. We had a meeting with the GM of the City of Perth to discuss the Underpass Proposal. We will have an in-person meeting on-campus next week. We are working with Campus Management and the Cameron Hall Clubs to develop Cameron Hall in the long-term to suit their needs. We have moved quickly in the Library space to provide after-hours access to BJM café amenities and are looking to expand 24/7 access of the Libraries to the Law Library and Reid Ground Floor.*

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
<i>24/02/21</i>	<i>Guild Council meeting</i>	<i>Monthly Meeting</i>
<i>25/02/21</i>	<i>CMIT- Academic Workstream</i>	<i>Finalisation of Sem 1 Assessment Strategy</i>
<i>25/02/21</i>	<i>Meeting with PCS</i>	<i>Tenancy Discussion</i>
<i>25/02/21</i>	<i>Ask Angela Meeting</i>	<i>Expansion of Ask Angela discussion with Wellbeing Volunteers Coordinator.</i>
<i>25/02/21</i>	<i>Equity and Diversity</i>	<i>Monthly meeting</i>
<i>26/02/21</i>	<i>Future Students Meeting</i>	<i>Fortnightly meeting- OPEN Day Date</i>
<i>02/03/21</i>	<i>Jenn Parsons Meeting</i>	<i>Fundraising Discussion</i>
<i>02/03/21</i>	<i>Michelle Scott Meeting</i>	<i>McCusker Centre Student Advisory Panel and Collaboration</i>
<i>02/03/21</i>	<i>Aspire- Welcome Ceremony</i>	<i>Speech for Aspire/ Broadway Students</i>
<i>03/03/21</i>	<i>BJM- After Hours Amenities</i>	<i>After hours café access</i>
<i>03/03/21</i>	<i>Cameron Hall Meeting</i>	<i>Cameron Hall Development Meeting with Campus Management</i>
<i>03/03/21</i>	<i>Gina's Funeral</i>	
<i>03/03/21</i>	<i>Guild Alumni Network Event</i>	
<i>04/03/21</i>	<i>Senate Strategic Meeting</i>	<i>Day long strategy seminar. Discussion around improving Governance.</i>

04/03/21	Convocation Tree Planting	Tour of Indigenous Studies Building and I planted a tree.
05/03/21	Sundowner Meeting	Urgent Meeting with Events & MD
05/03/21	Sober?, EMAS, ECOMS Meeting	Discussion of event held on 4/3/21
08/03/21	Women's Day Panel Uni Club	International Women's Day
08/03/21	Graduation Ceremony- Life Sciences	
08/03/21	Executive Meeting	Weekly Meeting
09/03/21	2020 Hindsight & Future of Learning	National Seminar
09/03/21	Welcome Ceremony- Learning Centres	International Learning Centres Welcome Ceremony with Global Engagement Office
09/03/21	Library Meeting	Discussion of BJM, 24/7 Access to Libraries
10/03/21	Safer Communities Pre-Meeting	Agenda Setting
10/03/21	Marshal Library Meeting	Meeting with MD, Campus Management and Library to discuss access.
11/03/21	Finance for Directors Training Course	AICD
13/03/21	Education Council Meeting	General Meeting
15/03/21	Lyn Beazley Introductory Meeting	Meeting with Lyn and Cass
15/03/21	Tayeeb Meeting Global Partnership	Internationalization of Curriculum
15/03/21	Catalyst Café Meeting	Renovations
15/03/21	Parking Discussion w/Trevor	Student/ Staff bays
15/03/21	Lyn Beazley Debrief	Follow-up meeting with Jameson
16/03/21	Exams Contingency	Meeting with Heads of School
16/03/21	BlackBoard Ultra Meeting	Sev Lee(EEU) Blackboard upgrade
16/03/21	Educational Council	General Meeting
17/03/21	Academic Board Meeting	Student participation on school boards discussion
17/03/21	24/7 Library Meeting	Meeting to discuss pathways for Reid, Law and EDFA
17/03/21	SCC	General Meeting
18/03/21	Safer Communities Meeting	High Risk Events Discussion
18/03/21	PROSH Paper Review	Review of PROSH paper
18/03/21	SSAF Advisory Committee	
19/03/21	Work Health and Safety	
19/03/21	Tenancy Meeting	
19/03/21	Autumn Convocation OGM	Live stream of the Convocation Spring OGM
22/03/21	UBL Basketball Jersey Presentation	UWA Sport
22/03/21	BJM Café	Catalyst Renovations
22/03/21	Guild X DVCE Meeting	Monthly Meeting
22/03/21	Ask Angela Meeting	Follow-up on Action Items
23/03/21	Leisure Meeting	
23/03/21	Sober, EMAS, ECOMS Meeting	Sundowners
23/03/21	PROSH JAM	Prep Meeting
23/03/21	Radio Prep	Preparation for PROSH Radio Interviews
24/03/21	Academic Board Chair Meeting	Discussion of Proposal
24/03/21	Strategic Resources Committee	Monthly Meeting

## PROJECT UPDATE

### **Pass/Fails for First Year Student**

I am writing a proposal for first year students to have opt-in pass/fails for their units. This is to promote more academic diversity, encourage students to try new subjects, and relieve academic stress. This will be further expanded upon through the assessment working group. A submission to Academic Board is being drafted to remove WAM penalties from failed units. We are also working to establish supplementary exams in addition to the reinstatement of conditional passes.

### **Underpass Art Installation**

We have met with the CEO of Perth City Council to discuss this project and will be working with her contacts to oversee this project. We have been in contact with Michael Foley and Main Roads to discuss planning, an in-person meeting is due next week.

### **Guild Micro-Badging**

I am writing a proposal to the Student Experience Committee to approve the addition of a Guild micro-badge for students to display to potential employers. This badge aims to recognise the leadership experience of students who contribute to the Guild.

### **Student Assessment Survey**

I am working alongside the Education Council President and committee to survey students on their experiences with oral assessments, group assignments and tutorial participation to explore opportunities to further improve the accessibility and equity of assessments at UWA. The Assessment Survey has launched and will be closing in the near future.

### **Second Study Break**

The Academic Calendar Review dates have not been organised for 2021, but I will continue to advocate for its commencement in 2021.

### **Mindful Campus**

In consultation with UWA Student Life, The Living Room and the Welfare Department we will be investigating opportunities to integrate wellbeing strategies into the UWA Curriculum. This project is waiting on the meeting of WA Student Health and Wellbeing Partnership which has been delayed as a result of COVID-19. We are waiting on contact from the DVCE to re start the partnership.

### **Barry J Marshall After-Hours**

After recognising the need to eating spaces, hot water and microwaves, we have successfully lobbied campus management and the libraries to agree to providing after-hours access to the BJM Café. We have met to discuss logistics and plans have been finalised. We are sources quotes and contractors.

### **24/7 Library Access**

I am investigating opportunities with the Library to allow for 24/7 Library Access for UWA Students. We have met with Campus Management and the Libraries for Reid Ground Floor Access and Law Library Access.

### **Isolation on Campus Campaign**

Campaign on loneliness and isolation in collaboration with Welfare and ISD. Aimed to release in Sem 1 2021, with the overall goal of breaking down the cultural barriers of seeking and recognising help. An event timeline has been delegated to ISD and Welfare.

### **Ask for Angela Expansion**

Expanding Ask Angela through integration with Wellbeing Volunteers to attend UWA events, with first disclosures harassment training. Volunteers will be easily identifiable and attend UWA functions over a certain number, on campus and off campus. We have reached out to St Johns, to discuss sponsorship.

**Parking on Campus**

We are in the process of reducing the number of reserved bays. I have a collective in the Education Council, working to come to a consensus that we will propose to Campus Management. We are looking to trial the integration of mixed bays in Sem 2, 2021.

**SVLG Level 1**

We aim to encourage UWA students to get involved with our campus and local community. To encourage more participation, we are working to provide a level 1 service-learning unit for committee members that do not qualify for the SVLG level 2 units.

**Preferred Names**

The Guild is in the process of changing where it draws its Callista data in Guild Outlets when calling out orders. In May, I will prioritise the use of preferred names on campus cards.

**Guild Refurbishment**

We are looking to new ideas for the Guild Village space and infrastructure. We are working with different organisation to find the best fit for student needs.

**Events Packages for Clubs**

I am working with the SOC, Tavern Manager, MD and events Team to provide clubs with a venue to host their annual Sundowners.

**FINANCES**

N/A

**ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Sem 2 mid-semester break moved to end of week 6.
- Compulsory 7-day notice period of any assessment changes
- Successfully lobbied for the creation of the Student Global Advisory Group
- Acknowledge of Country embedded into LMS.
- Re-location of Guild Volunteering & Guild Student Centre
- New rooms for ISD, Pelican, PROSH and Women's Department.
- 24/7 Access to Med Library for HMS Students
- Launched Transcript Recognition Pilot
- Ungraded passes and ungraded fails for Summer School Units 2021
- Club & FacSoc Introduction Videos for Orientation embedded into LMS
- Consistent Echo Lecture Captioning
- Refurbishment of Bob Nicholson
- Passed Guild Misconduct Policy and Guild Regulations through University Senate
- Piloted Week 0
- Successfully lobbied to trial student parking in staff bays after 1pm.

**DISCUSSION POINTS**

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Emma', with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

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VICE PRESIDENT  
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## SUMMARY

March has been a busy month with the semester finally kicking off after classes started. For this past month, I have been prioritising my studies and personal projects of improving parking on campus for all students, getting the Lyn Beazley Institute refocused after receiving direction from Lyn Beazley herself, and working on how to make the Student Leadership Summit in Semester 2 an amazing opportunity for all students. After having worked hard on some of my more personal projects this month, I'm hoping to refocus on my other responsibilities of having monthly meetings with the OBs and getting Public Project meetings and OB Consultation Hours set up as soon as possible.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
02/03/2021	Exec Meeting	
03/03/2021	Guild Alumni Event	
08/03/2021	Exec Meeting	
09/03/2021	Parking Appeal Panel	To discuss parking appeals
09/03/2021	Lyn Beazley Institute Orientation	To have handover for LBI
09/03/2021	Executive Management Meeting	
15/03/2021	Exec Meeting	
15/03/2021	Student Leadership Summit Meeting	To discuss SLS plans for semester 2
15/03/2021	Parking discussion	Discussed student parking plans
15/03/2021	LBI Briefing	Discussed plans with Emma and Cassie
18/03/2021	Parking meeting with James Morgan	Discussed parking appeals and plans for student parking
18/03/2021	Guild v PROSH basketball	
19/03/2021	WHS Committee Meeting	
19/03/2021	Council Photos	
22/03/2021	Lyn Beazley Institute Meeting	Met with Cassie to discuss long-term plans
22/03/2021	Exec Meeting	
25/03/2021	Strategic Resources Committee	
26/03/2021	Student Experience Taskforce Meeting	Discussed with Abdul, professors, and members of Senate how to better improve the student experience and what our focus areas are

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Lyn Beazley Institute

Emma Mezger and Cassie Howell (LBI Chair) met with Lyn Beazley to give her an update and discuss what direction she would like to see her namesake go. After this meeting, the Lyn Beazley Institute is refocusing to be a centre for undergraduate students to have research and lab opportunities that they would usually only be offered in their post-graduate studies. Having met with the Vice Chancellor's Student Experience Taskforce, I explained the struggles of students and how UWA can improve the student experience on campus for students and they were very receptive to what the Lyn Beazley Institute would like to do. I hope



to see this Institute up and running before the end of the year providing low-barrier research opportunities for undergraduates.

### **Parking On Campus**

Early in the month, Emma and I met with Trevor Humphreys and Craig Mackenzie, who sit on the UWA Parking Committee, to discuss what we can do for students to improve parking on campus. During the meeting, we received confirmation and reassurance that 200 more reserved bays around campus will be converted into student bay throughout this year, which I believe will greatly improve parking on campus for all students.

Additionally, Emma and I brought up the idea of mixed-bay parking where, after a certain time, staff and student bays are available for anyone who has a permit. The goal was to allow students to utilise the numerous empty staff bays throughout the campus in the afternoon. During a later meeting with James Morgan, Craig confirmed with me that we will be going ahead with a trial of mixed-bay parking later this semester, specifically around the exam period to alleviate the stress that students face finding parking before their exams.

In other meetings with James Morgan on the Parking Appeal panels, we have had a record-low of parking fines for students, and a record-high of successful appeals. This is a great success for all students but specifically students who already struggle financially that do not need an additional cost taking up essential funds.

### **Student Leadership Summit**

I met with Tony Goodman, Chloe Bull, and Henry Lan (*Venture*) to discuss how best to organise the innovation-themed Student Leadership Summit in Semester 2. We discussed panellists that we feel like would benefit students most, as well as looking at preferable dates, catering, and how to make sure that we follow the state COVID regulations. Further meetings are needed to get specific details organised.

## **FINANCES**

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## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Lyn Beazley Institute refocused to become a research opportunity centre that works with the University to provide research and lab experience for undergraduates
- Confirmed additional 200 students bays throughout this year, on top of the other 100 students bays being added currently
- Mixed-bay parking available for students after 1pm being trialled during this semester's exam period
- Record-low student fines and record-high successful appeals

Regards,

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# General Secretary

GUILD COUNCIL REPORT – 31 March 2021

## INTRODUCTION

This month has been a very busy one compared to January and February. Some of the major things I was focused on was the launch of the first Night Market, the ongoing Free Breakfast project that is ran every Tuesday and Thursday, sorting out Guild Sub-Committee applications, volunteering for Prosh, and the new Match Box initiative.

This month marks the fourth month of my term as General Secretary and it has been fantastic so far!

I would like to acknowledge and thank my fellow student representatives, the tireless guild staff, UWA students, and my dedicated committee members with the help of whom I have been able to achieve a lot of my goals and who continue to make this journey a pleasure.

## MEETINGS AND EVENTS

DATE	MEETING	PURPOSE
02/03/2021	Night Markets Committee	Logistics
03/03/2021	UWA Athlete Lunch	Representing Guild President (Emma)
04/03/2021	Free Breakfast Committee	Logistics - Debrief
05/03/2021	Managing Director and HR Manager	Discounted Barista & Bartender Training
08/03/2021	Night Markets Committee	Logistics
09/03/2021	Executive Management Committee	EMC Business
11/03/2021	SUDA	Open Ceremony
11/03/2021	Night Markets Committee	Event debrief
15/03/2021	Free Breakfast Committee	Logistics – Debrief
16/03/2021	Education Council	Ed Council Business
17/02/2021	Executive Meeting	Tenancy Appeals
17/01/2021	Barbara Buxman	Mates Rates Deal
18/03/2021	SSAF Advisory Committee	SSAF Business
19/03/2021	WHS Committee	WHS Business
25/03/2021	MCW Director	Grant Opportunities
22/02/2021	Executive Meeting	Executive Business
25/02/2021	Strategic Resources Committee	SRC Business
24/02/2021	Governance Committee	Review of regs and TORs
24/02/2021	Guild Council	Council Business

## PROJECT UPDATES

### Free Breakfast on Campus

The Free Breakfast initiative since its start in week 1 of semester has been a great success and we have and continue to receive a lot of positive feedback from students and clubs.



# General Secretary

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The breakfasts are currently running on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9am to 10:30am catering to over 400 students per week.

I would like to acknowledge the hard work of all the committee members with whom I set up every Tuesday and Thursday at 8AM and finish packing up at 10:45 or 11AM sometimes.

## **Regular Night Markets**

The first Night Market was held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> of March and was “absolutely fantastic” as most students described. We had lots of external food vendors ranging from savoury to desserts and ice cream, we had amazing performers and bands, and various university clubs and societies who made the event a pleasant one for UWA students and locals from the community.

Students were able to benefit from a diverse range of food options and performance, and clubs and societies were able to raise money and advertise themselves to the UWA community. I would like to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of all my committee members without whom the success of this event would not have been possible.

After lots of positive feedback from students and clubs, we are planning to host the next Night Market in week 10 on the 27<sup>th</sup> of April from 5PM to 9PM. Unlike the previous one, we will be charging external vendors rent to cover for the expenses of the event.

## **Collaboration with the Village IGA to provide discounted food deals to UWA Clubs**

There has been significant progress with this initiative. IGA has provided a list of products that will be sold to clubs with more convenience and at more beneficial prices. We are currently setting up the purchase process for clubs after which this initiative will fully take off.

## **Collaboration with OAC to provide food boxes to students in need**

This collaboration has been very successful and the initiative is still on hold for now as the shelves of our food pantry are still full and any addition could result in food wastage as we are still going through the previous stocks.

## **Mates Rates Deal**

Due to the Guild’s current financial situation and after a lot of analysis and discussions with other members of the executive team and the Commercial and Finance Directors, it has been determined that further discounts for students will be very damaging to the guild’s bottom line and risk the quality of other services that are currently provided to students – therefore this initiative has been put on hold until it is financially viable.

## **Discounted Barista and Bartender trainings**

This initiative aims to provide in collaboration with our coffee suppliers and the tavern, students with discounted barista and bartender trainings to give them the experience necessary to apply for part-time roles in cafes and bars to support themselves whilst studying.



# General Secretary

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I have had various discussions with Tony (Managing Director) and Jenny (HR) regarding the best way of setting this project up.

### **Match Box Initiative**

The aim of this initiative is to create a safe space to connect UWA students with similar interests through a low-barrier scheme to address feelings of isolation on campus.

I have had assistance from Bre Shanahan, Chair of Guild Council, who helped create the terms of reference for the Match Box Committee. Now I am waiting for the Next Governance meeting to approve the TORs and put out application forms for the committee.

#### Plan:

A box will be set up at hotspot locations, namely: Reid library, the Refractory and Business school (areas subject to change). Attached to the boxes will be a pen and slips that are required to be filled by students.

The slip will ask for the student's name, student number, preferred email, Facebook and 3 interests of theirs, the slips can then be dropped into a slit at the top of the box. The slips inside the box will be emptied out and collected fortnightly (TBC) or earlier if the box is full.

Interests can range anywhere from hobbies, activities they like or topics they are interested in.

The slips will be sorted by the Match Box Committee, and people with similar interests (minimum 1 similar interest) will be placed in a group of three or four max and be sent an email regarding a meetup date that can then be adjusted and rearranged by them. They will also be put in a Facebook group as a further form of contact so that they may get in touch with each other.

They can then later Email us to leave a review and let us know how their meetup went.

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## SUMMARY

This month has been mainly focused on the Access Department rules and preparing for work on sub-council rules.

## MEETINGS

Date	Meeting	Details
24/02/2021	February Governance Committee meeting	Monthly meeting
25/02/2021	February Election Culture Committee meeting	Monthly meeting
25/02/2021	Tony Goodman, Chloe Keller	Meeting to confirm details of the alumni event
25/02/2021	Guild Council	
03/03/2021	Tony Goodman, Emma Mezger	Alumni event run-through
15/03/2020	April Htun	Meeting to discuss Ed Council rules
17/03/2021	Jenn Parsons, DAR	Meeting to discuss Guild Alumni Committee

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Alumni Event

The Guild Alumni event was a resounding success! Many members intend to stay involved. I will be working with Chloe Bull over the rest of the year to see how we can leverage these relationships through a mentoring program for current councillors.

### Accountability and Transparency

A key function of the Chair of Guild Council is monitoring the accountability and transparency of the Guild. As part of this, I will be submitting a report at the July Guild Council detailing areas of improvement. I would appreciate any input on this from councillors. I intend on putting together a briefing which I will circulate over the next month so that we can begin the process of addressing perceived downfalls.

### Department Rules

There are a number of Department rules requiring consideration. I will be in touch over the next month to commence these processes.

### Guild committee constitutions

Committee constitutions were postponed to the next Governance meeting due to time constraints. They will be considered at the meeting on Thursday.

### Guild Council Standing Orders

Discussion of the Standing Orders was similarly deferred at the previous Governance meeting. They will be considered at the meeting on Thursday. I intend on circulating these for feedback from council following the meeting. Please submit any feedback by April 9 so that it can be considered by the Governance Committee.

Regards,



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## SUMMARY

The Access Department has worked diligently in preparing for Access Week – previously run in 2019. We have seen significant payoffs from this with increases in student engagement and improvements in our relationships with external organisations. We have also made progress in a number of our other planned events for the year and set in place a good timeline for projects to be completed in.

Despite these positives, we have also received an influx in the number of student concerns regarding their experiences at UWA. We aim to collate all of these issues and look at finding solutions to these issues – namely around access to education and barriers to using UniAcces and the CAPS services. Beyond this, it is also extremely disappointing to hear students voicing concerns around micro-aggressive and insensitive comments used by student leaders in various roles. We would like to urge council to acknowledge that, as the peak representative body for students, we have a responsibility to all students and must ensure we are doing our best to be understanding, considerate and aware of our comments.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
25/02/2021	Equity and Diversity	Monthly Meeting. Both Lucinda and William raised a number of projects Access had been working on. This included diversifying the 'Event Management and Inclusivity' SLT training, to be more reflective all the autonomous departments. We also discussed specifics about our plans regarding Accessible Activism and the campaign centred around the Royal Commission into Disabilities. We also spoke broadly about needing to be proactive and utilising the E&D committee to support each other.
03/03/2021	Guild Alumni Event	
04/03/2021	Khin Hnin (Access Dept. Secretary)	Discussed the secretarial role, including giving a handover with expectations and laying out templates. We also discussed opportunities to work with UniAccess to improve services provided to Deaf/HoH students.  Attended by William Norrish
04/03/2021	Luciano Spadoni (Access Dept. Events)	Discussed Access Week – outlining what we currently have planned and looking toward potential other collaborations.  Attended by Lucinda Thai-LeTran
04/03/2021	Access Committee Meeting	Fortnightly meeting. Discussed Access Week plans and delegated tasks to committee. We also updated on our current projects and spoke about future issues we'd like to tackle and the feasibility of upgrades to the Access Room.
05/03/2021	Access x Welfare	Monthly Meeting. Discussed Access Week and Welfare Week – looking at opportunities to collaborate. We also updated on projects – such as Social Isolation

		and the National Welfare Campaign regarding cuts to support funding.
05/03/2021	Access Room	Meet with Access Department OCMs – Sapphire Carter and Ara Watson – to create a draft budget for the updates to the space. We also created a layout for the room and looked at trying to make the space as access-friendly as possible.  Attended by William Norrish
08/03/2021	Luciano Spadoni	Followed up on progress with Access Week and reached out to various organisations. Budgets were allocated to the various events we have planned.
08/03/2021	Access Media Team	Met with our Media deputies to outline what needs to be done for Access Week and provided suggestions around what content we can be covering over the semester.  Attended by Lucinda Thai-LeTran
11/03/2021	Disability and Inclusion Working Group	Discussed the appointment of a new Chair of the working group and outlined a number of projects that we will be aiming to complete.
19/03/2021	Prosh Review	Looked over and approved the Prosh paper
20/03/2021	Kylie Lau (Women’s Access Collective)	Discussed the Access Week collaboration between Access and Women’s.  Attended by Lucinda Thai-LeTran
25/03/2021	Floretta Susilo, Curtin Women’s Officer	Met with Floretta and the Curtin Women’s Officer to discuss actions in solidarity with students who are victims of sexual harassment and sexual violence.  Attended by Lucinda Thai-LeTran
29/03/2021 – 02/03/2021	Access Week	
29/03/2021	Equity and Diversity	
30/03/2021	LWAG Working Group	Met with Megan Hyde to discuss Culture Club and how we can utilise Guild Departments and Clubs to increase student engagement with LWAG.

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Accessible Activism Policy

This has been a long time coming. William has previously worked with the 2020 Access Co-Officers on developing the policy to start creating the framework for the policy. We have now branched out to Guild Volunteering to help spearhead the project particularly in addressing ‘alternative activism’. Currently the project has been pushed back due to changes in committee and the focus on Access Week. We aim to have this completed to be instated for Semester 2.

### **Accessible Strategies Plan**

From our previous report, we have since started compiling resources and will be looking to work with UniAccess to reflect their plans for the future and look to target areas that we could effectively and efficiently push the university to achieve.

### **Royal Commission into Disabilities (Visibility Campaign)**

We have put up a motion tonight that will allow us to move forward with the campaign and start actioning ideas the Access Committee has come up with. This includes; spotlighting members of the access community, reflecting on the current services the University provides and ensuring that is accurately and actively presented to students, and creating systems for student feedback that can be used to present to the Royal Commission.

### **Access Week**

Access Week will be in Week 6, Semester 1 and is shaping up to be a very jam-packed week with a lot of different groups both on-campus and externally eager to collaborate with us. We have started allocating events and confirming further collaborations. We are aiming to have events that cater to everyone within our community and highlighting specific members – e.g. carers and those with physical disabilities – who are often neglected.

### **UWA x Curtin Solidarity Sit-In**

Lucinda met with Floretta and the Curtin Women's Representative to discuss action in solidarity with survivors in protest of sexual assault and abuse at universities. This will be run as part of End the Violence Week.

### **Training Sessions**

We have confirmed training sessions to be run throughout the year – targeted at student leaders – that will serve to highlight different areas of the community and raise awareness about issues students with disabilities face. The first of these trainings – Deaf Awareness – has been received well with over 40 signups and many students interested in doing more.

### **LWAG x PAC x Access**

We have confirmed collaborations with PAC and LWAG on their bi-annually event 'Culture Club', this semesters event is 'Activism in Art' and will be an amazing opportunity to present activism in 'alternative' and innovative ways. This event will happen on the 27<sup>th</sup> of April. Both ourselves and Chloe will be outreaching to departments and clubs to jump on board to showcase what they do, so please if you want to be involved, do get in touch with one of us – otherwise stay tuned for some emails over the next week!

### **Access x Education**

We are still in the process of completing the Accessible Education Guidebook, from our end, this is a project that we have had to put on hold as a result of a push on events and other projects taking priority. Outside of this, we have a number of student concerns that have been raised (stated in our previous report) regarding access to education that we will be looking to work on with April in the coming month. We would like to thank April for her interest and help in this area and being one of few councillors who have been receptive and willing to support our efforts.

### **Access Room**

We will be having an Access Room 'Housewarming' on Friday to showcase the new room and the significant improvements to layout and design. We are still making slight adjustments to the space and will hopefully

look forward to introducing items that are targeted to students with specific disabilities so they feel welcome in the space.

### Science Union x Access

We have started working with the Science Union Education VP and Welfare VP on SafeTalk training and looking at ways we can showcase to school students with accessibility issues the services the university has to offer and de-stigmatise barriers to accessing higher education. So far, we have looked to running a 'fun-day' centred around educational science experiments and the promotion of UniAccess and the Living Room. We have made significant progress in this event and it is shaping up to be a really fun way to show young people that they can access higher education despite their disability. SafeTalk training will be run in semester 2, with ALVA also being involved in running the workshop.

## FINANCES

Budget does not include expenditure for Access Week and the renovations to the Access Room.

### Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$38.73	\$300.00	-\$261.27	12.91%
305079 - Theme Week	\$61.41	\$800.00	-\$738.59	7.68%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$0.00	\$1,100.00	-\$1,100.00	0.00%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$405.00	\$0.00	\$405.00	0.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$300.00	-\$300.00	0.00%
305155 - Interior decoration	\$0.00	\$500.00	-\$500.00	0.00%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$0.00	\$400.00	-\$400.00	0.00%
305187 - Software Digital	\$61.68	\$370.20	-\$308.52	16.66%
305207 - Special Projects	\$0.00	\$800.00	-\$800.00	0.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$566.82</b>	<b>\$4,570.20</b>	<b>-\$4,003.38</b>	<b>12.40%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$566.82</b>	<b>\$4,570.20</b>	<b>-\$4,003.38</b>	<b>12.40%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$566.82</b>	<b>-\$4,570.20</b>	<b>\$4,003.38</b>	<b>12.40%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$566.82</b>	<b>-\$4,570.20</b>	<b>\$4,003.38</b>	<b>12.40%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Revised 'Inclusivity and Event Management' SLT Training to include accessible social media training
- Updated Access Department Handbook and Pamphlets
- Updated Access Department Rules (ready for Governance)
- Created an Access collaboration and events database to aid in handover and the streamlining of services
- Started a campaign centred around student engagement with the Royal Commission into Disabilities
- Confirmed collaborations with external organisations to deliver free/low cost training sessions to students
- Renovated Access Room
- Brought back Access Week (last run in 2019) with great success (significantly increasing student engagement and attendance at Access events)

## DISCUSSION TOPICS

*Nil*

Regards,

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## SUMMARY

*This month has been exhausting to say the least.*

*Victoria Hooke, the Education Council Vice-President, had made the difficult decision to step down from her role due to her newfound work commitments. This setback saw a delay in several projects of the Education Council, which I immediately took on as it would have been late notice for any other committee member I delegated the tasks to. I arranged a meeting with Bre, the Chair of Governance, to explore how to mitigate the situation, alongside discuss the regulations of the Education Council in general – an application will be published on the UWA Student Guild Facebook page soon and a new Vice-President will be appointed by the executive.*

*The two major focuses of this month had been the Class Representative System and the Defend Our Education protest. A description of the Class Representative System and the link to the Expression of Interest form were emailed to all unit coordinators to ensure the maximum number of units were represented. The form's deadline was delayed due to technical issues with the link and unit coordinators not having seen the email. The initiative attracted a significant number of students from an array of units. The representatives have all been finalised, briefed, and connected to one another, their unit coordinators, and Faculty Societies. Once again, year after year, there have been some unit coordinators who believe they were not consulted with prior to assigning their unit a representative. I am unsure of how the issue had persisted, given that I had email blasted all unit coordinators detailing the initiative, asking them to share the link if they choose to opt in, and mentioning in the form itself that students were only to apply if their unit coordinator had advertised it themselves.*

*The other focus was preparing for the Defend Our Education protest, which we scheduled during the NUS' National Week of Action. Again, the time period in which we had wished to finalise the video and have it published was delayed as I did not have any available committee members other than Nicole to delegate the tasks to. The protest itself ran smoothly, although it would have been better to see a greater turnout of Council members.*

*Although these were the main projects, I have been also been busy with smaller projects and tasks (detailed below). Overall, taking on board the projects of my Vice-President and unavailable committee members made this month quite a depleting one for me and I have experienced a significant amount of burnout. I am hoping to reset myself during the study break so that I can resume my duties proficiently.*

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
22/2/21	Assessment Working Group Meeting 1	Introductory meeting with the working group to set priorities and a timeline for the year.
23/2/21	Ed Council x UEC	Introductory/consultation meeting with the club executives. The FacSoc discussed their plans for the year, alongside any issues previously and currently encountered so that the Ed Council is aware of how they can assist the club's operation.
23/2/21	Ed Council x Arts Union	" "



23/2/21	Ed Council x Science Union	" "
23/2/21	Strategic Resources Committee Meeting	Meeting to discuss plans, business cases, and finances.
23/2/21	Student Experience Committee Meeting	Introductory meeting for 2021. Discussion of previous, ongoing, and current projects.
23/2/21	Guild & DVCE Meeting	Meeting with David Sadler, the Deputy Vice Chancellor (Education). Student enquiries and projects pertaining to enhancing the student experience were addressed.
24/2/21	February Guild Council Meeting	Monthly Guild Council.
25/2/21	Ed Council x SNAGS	Introductory/consultation meeting with the club executives. The FacSoc discussed their 5 plans for the year, alongside any issues previously and currently encountered so that the Ed Council is aware of how they can assist the club's operation.
25/2/21	Ed Council x UDSS	" "
26/2/21	Young Leaders Council Meeting	Meeting to workshop ideas for the Council.
26/2/21	February Tenancy Consultation Meeting	Monthly consultation meeting
2/3/21	Ed Council x BPhil Union	Introductory/consultation meeting with the club executives. The FacSoc discussed their plans for the year, alongside any issues previously and currently encountered so that the Ed Council is aware of how they can assist the club's operation.
2/3/21	Ed Council x ALVA	" "
3/3/21	Guild Alumni Networking Event	Networking evening with Guild Council Alumni.
4/3/21	Ed Council x Blackstone Society	Introductory/consultation meeting with the club executives. The FacSoc discussed their plans for the year, alongside any issues previously and currently encountered so that the Ed Council is aware of how they can assist the club's operation.
4/3/21	Ed Council x MSS	" "
4/3/21	Ed Council x WAMSS	" "
9/3/21	Library x Guild Meeting	Meeting with library staff to discuss initiatives to enhance the student experience in relation to UWA's libraries
10/3/21	Ed Council x HSS	Introductory/consultation meeting with the club executives. The FacSoc discussed their plans for the year, alongside any issues previously and currently encountered so that the Ed Council is aware of how they can assist the club's operation.
10/3/21	Ed Council x ECOMS	" "
15/3/21	Pre-Academic Board Meeting	Meeting with other student representatives who sit on Academic Board to discuss agenda items.



15/3/21	Ed Council Governance Meeting	Meeting with the Chair of Governance, Bre Shanahan, to discuss the Education Council regulations and establish an action timeline to update the regulations where necessary.
16/3/21	Education Council Committee Pre-Meeting	Monthly committee meeting prior to the Education Council meeting.
16/3/21	Education Council March Meeting	Monthly Education Council meeting.
17/3/21	Student Consultative Committee meeting – first for 2021	First monthly meeting with Faculty Society representatives and executive members of the university to discuss matters relevant to the student experience.
19/3/21	Final Assessment Continuity Implementation Group – first meeting for 2021	A ‘kick-off’ meeting to implement the final assessment continuity plan for Semester 1, 2021. Options of examination implementation were discussed.
19/3/21	108 <sup>th</sup> Guild Council Photos	Photos to commemorate the 108 <sup>th</sup> Guild Council were taken.
19/3/21	Meeting with ALVA President, Byron Ellis	Brief meeting with Byron to discuss his departure from his role and how to navigate the appointment of the new President constitutionally.
25/3/21	Young Leaders Council – Meeting 2	Meeting with the YLC committee, including Katie Douglas (UWA Schools Partnerships) to review potential committee positions and explore the logistics of the first session.

## PROJECT UPDATE

### CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

After a few delays, the Semester 1 2021 class representatives have been finalised. We received over a hundred applications from interested students across a multitude of undergraduate units – there were several expressions of interest from postgraduate students too, so expanding the class representative system into the postgraduate space will be something the Education Council explores with consultation from PSA. The representatives have been emailed a handbook, with the purpose of assisting them with their role, added into a Facebook group, and connected with their relevant Faculty Society(ies).

### CLASS REPRESENTATIVE HANDBOOK

The content in the ‘How to be an effective representative’ handbook, created by the 2019 Education Council President Lincoln Aspinall, was updated accordingly and reformatted to be more attractive. This handbook was distributed amongst all the class representatives with the intention of providing them a deeper insight into their role so that they are able to carry out their duties and responsibilities appropriately. Faculty Societies also have access to this handbook so that they are aware of what information was provided to the representatives.

### EDUCATION COUNCIL X FACULTY SOCIETY EAN VIDEO

The opportunity to feature in this campaign video was extended to all Faculty Society Presidents and Education Vice-Presidents. Sections of the script were delegated to each representative and they were required to email me a video. The finalised video was published on the UWA Education Action Network Facebook page and subsequently shared by related pages (UWA Student Fightback, NUS, Faculty Societies, etc) with the purpose of advertising the protest and reminding students that it was happening in the next few days. It would have been more ideal to have had the video completed and published at least a week and a half before the demonstration, but we made the most of the circumstances and still got the word out.

### **DEFEND OUR EDUCATION DEMONSTRATION**

Project overseen by Nicole McEwen, the EAN Coordinator. Aside from the relocation due to the O-Day set up process on Reid Lawn, the protest ran smoothly and attracted approximately 20 people. Nicole chaired the protest whilst Chris Hall (2021 NUS Education Officer), Esa Chrulew (2021 OGC), and I gave speeches. We marched from Reid Lawn to Winthrop Hall and concluded the proceedings there. Overall, the event may have seen more attendees if its promotion began earlier, but the reason this was not possible was due to the fact that the EMP had not been submitted until late – hence the lack of on-campus advertisement and last-minute online push. Despite this, all class representatives, unit coordinators and Faculty Societies were alerted about the event to ensure it got maximum exposure.

### **BASE FUNDING**

Project overseen by John Oh, the Education Council Treasurer. Base funding had been finalised and forwarded to Guild Finance for allocation.

### **SPECIAL PROJECT GRANTS**

Project overseen by John Oh with my consultation. We received more SPG applications than this time last year, a testament to the revitalisation of campus culture which is exciting to see. Unsurprisingly it was a strenuous process, made more difficult by the fact that this semester's funding pool remained consistent whilst the number of grants increased. Funding amounts have been finalised, forwarded to Guild Finance, and allocated.

### **YOUNG LEADERS COUNCIL**

Project overseen by Lachlan McDonald (2021 OGC) – I am an OCM on this committee alongside Thomas Cotter. We have had two meetings thus far, one recently with Katie Douglas (UWA Schools Partnerships), to discuss our visions for this council and begin workshopping activities and ideas. We are currently recruiting 2 OCMs – an expression of interest form has been shared with the 108 Guild Council.

## **FINANCES**

- Expenditures:
  - \$174.84 – craft material for the whole year
  - \$57 – printing and lamination (O-Week material)
  - \$169.50 – committee shirts

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Compiled list of discontinued units/units unavailable online in 2021 alongside Abdul Rahman Abdul Rahim, the International Students' Department President
- Equitable timing of the second semester study break
- Secured sponsorship opportunity with the Organisation of African Communities (OAC) alongside Daj Janneh to provide students experiencing financial hardship financial assistance in accessing high demand textbooks
- Ungraded Passes for Summer School Exams
- Participation in Guild on the Green and O-Day
- Finalised the Semester 1 2021 Class Representatives
- Creation of a Class Representative role handbook
- Produced the EAN collaborative campaign video with Faculty Societies
- Defend Our Education protest

## **DISCUSSION POINTS**

- N/A

Warm Regards,

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## SUMMARY

March was busy. The main takeaways were that we ran our theme week (Enviro Week) throughout Week 4, which was busy for all. Some of the events were a bigger success than others – and we pushed hard for our collabs to come through in a good way.

On the Projects front things were quiet as everyone was busy with Enviro Week events (of which we had a total of 13 + some stragglers that weren't part of the official calendar). Financially we did not use up too much of our theme week budget because we are saving our money for Enviro Fest in Semester 2.

The discussion surrounding the Collegial Conversation is quite exciting and we are going to put a strong focus on the Student Climate Forum moving forward into April.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
Feb 25	S4EA Student Gathering	Meet & Greet to discuss plans and meet new members from S4EA + Enviro + FFUWA
Feb 26	Emma Mezger	To discuss committee building + bonding tips and strategies
Feb 26	Maya Taylor-Trenow (FFUWA)	To discuss FFUWA committee & plans
March 1	Enviro Committee Meeting	Committee meeting
March 3	Alan Saraga Ah-Kee (WASAC)	To discuss collabs + future events
March 3	Enviro Expo	To showcase 350 Captured State Report + FFUWA goals & mission
March 4	FFUWA Committee Meeting	Committee Meeting
March 4	Sam Keller (S4EA) & Maya TT (FFUWA)	To discuss meeting with Alex Gardner
March 4	Alex Gardner, Sam K, Maya TT	To discuss Collegial Conversation & student climate forum etc
March 5	Treevia Night Subcom	To plan Treevia Quiz Night
March 8	Enviro Committee Meeting	Committee meeting
March 8	Chloe Bull (Venture) + Ella Wylynko (SDAs Project Lead)	To discuss Venture + Enviro partnership & vision moving forward
March 8	Isabelle Lan	To discuss involvement with SDAs
March 9	Club Carnival	To build on student engagement + build mailing list etc
March 9	Night Markets	To promote FFUWA petition & build mailing list etc
March 10	AOG Protest (Climate Action Network)	To protest Australian Oil & Gas Expo
March 10	Ella Wylynko	To discuss SDAs project
March 11	Whats the Deal With Natural Gas	Event with S4EA to learn more about LNG and why it's bad
March 11	Caitlin McPhail	To film marketing video for Enviro Week
March 12	Climate Alliance Meeting 1	To discuss Collegial Conversation + Student Climate Forum + to coordinate climate concerns amongst the student body
March 15	Enora Richard	Run down of Fresher Rep responsibilities, job description etc

March 15	Synergies Night (WASAC collab)	Viewing night of Synergies short movie in CCZ
March 15	Free Breakfast	Enviro x Breakfast Club
March 15	Towards A Liveable Future Event	Spoke at McCusker event on sustainability
March 15	Treevia Quiz Night	Hosted quiz night
March 18	SSDP Ethnobotany Stall	Enviro x SSDP Collab event
March 18	WAFA x Enviro: Cry of the Forests	Movie screening with WAFA
March 19	SU Beach Cleanup	
March 19	Netwalking	Enviro x Sport
March 19	Public Talk "HOT FACTS"	Public Talk on Climate Change
March 25	Sea of Shadows	Enviro x GV
March 26	Climate Alliance Meeting 2	Further discuss Student Climate Forum & Collegial Conversation etc

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Sustainable Development Awards

E-mails were sent out to UCs, staff and groups to gauge interest in implementing SDAs into coursework. Proposal for contacts was drafted and list of contacts built upon. Subcommittee also expanded.

### Urban Forest Project

No updates

### Enviro Resource Hub

Mock version of resource hub nearly ready to go. Stock photo shoot plans organised & call for text submissions put out to committee. Subcommittee expanded.

## FINANCES

### Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$0.00	\$350.00	-\$350.00	0.00%
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305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$283.55	\$275.00	\$8.55	103.11%
305187 - Software Digital	\$20.56	\$123.36	-\$102.80	16.67%
305207 - Special Projects	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	-\$1,000.00	0.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$704.11</b>	<b>\$5,248.36</b>	<b>-\$4,544.25</b>	<b>13.42%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$704.11</b>	<b>\$5,248.36</b>	<b>-\$4,544.25</b>	<b>13.42%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$704.11</b>	<b>-\$5,248.36</b>	<b>\$4,544.25</b>	<b>13.42%</b>
<b>Other Income</b>				
<b>OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME</b>				
103069 - Sundry Income	\$174.00	\$1,000.00	-\$826.00	17.40%
<b>Total - OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME</b>	<b>\$174.00</b>	<b>\$1,000.00</b>	<b>-\$826.00</b>	<b>17.40%</b>
<b>Total - Other Income</b>	<b>\$174.00</b>	<b>\$1,000.00</b>	<b>-\$826.00</b>	<b>17.40%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$530.11</b>	<b>-\$4,248.36</b>	<b>\$3,718.25</b>	<b>12.48%</b>

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## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Got over 210 sign-ups from O-Day
- Ran a successful theme week (Enviro Week; March 15 – 19)

Regards,

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## SUMMARY

A fruitful month for the Ethnocultural Department. Harmony week being the key highlight for the CaLD students on campus. The events planned were a pure success.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
25-02-2021	Equity and Diversity	Monthly meeting
02-03-2021	Ethnocultural Cultural Council	1 <sup>st</sup> meet with clubs
02-03-2021	Sports Department	Harmony week collaboration
03-03-2021	Ethno full committee meeting	Harmony Week discussion
10-03-2021	Women of Colour Collective	Potential project development
11-03-2021	Ethno full committee meeting (zoom)	Harmony week
15th to 19th	Harmony week celebrations	Clubs collaborations
23-03-2021	Harmony week panel	CaLD working group
30-03-2021	Ethno full committee meeting (zoom)	Further plans

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Harmony Week

Ethnocultural Department collaborated with clubs on campus to bring out the best in the cultures to the students. The different events spread across the weeks had different themes set to it to put cultures out there. The harmony week panel set by the CaLD working group was a huge success as well.

### Autonomous Space

We are working to secure a permanent autonomous space on campus in line with every other autonomous Guild Department. As a result of our appeal to the Guild executive some short term solutions have been discussed and we are waiting to hear back. We also put forward a number of poignant questions to clarify the equitable application of the Tenancy Allocation Policy and are waiting on a response from the Guild Executive.

### Publication

This year we intend to launch an Ethnocultural publication to showcase issues and topics surrounding the lived experience of CaLD students. Working title is Inherited. Happy to provide more extensive detail if required.

### Podcast

After a number of productive discussions with the Women's Department Projects VP we have decided to work towards launching a podcast to discuss a variety of topics surrounding the connections between CaLD and Women and non-binary peoples experiences, with potential to expand to other autonomous groups. Working title is Intersection. Happy to provide more extensive details if required.

### CaLD Peer Support Network

This project is in the early stages of planning; we've looked into models implemented by other universities and multicultural youth groups. At the moment, the scaffolding is likely to be a peer to peer mentorship network supplemented by targeted upskilling sessions conducted by prominent CaLD community leaders. Potential to collaborate with Welfare and/or Women's. Will schedule meetings with both in the coming months.

## FINANCES

## Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$962.03	\$1,100.00	-\$137.97	87.46%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$0.00	\$100.00	-\$100.00	0.00%
305102 - Bank Charges	\$2.04	\$0.00	\$2.04	0.00%
305117 - Conferences	\$0.00	\$200.00	-\$200.00	0.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$90.00	\$250.00	-\$160.00	36.00%
305166 - Meeting Expenses	\$0.00	\$80.00	-\$80.00	0.00%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$586.45	\$100.00	\$486.45	586.45%
305187 - Software Digital	\$0.00	\$123.36	-\$123.36	0.00%
305190 - Equity Initiatives	\$0.00	\$200.00	-\$200.00	0.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$1,640.52</b>	<b>\$2,153.36</b>	<b>-\$512.84</b>	<b>76.18%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,640.52</b>	<b>\$2,153.36</b>	<b>-\$512.84</b>	<b>76.18%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$1,640.52</b>	<b>-\$2,153.36</b>	<b>\$512.84</b>	<b>76.18%</b>
<b>Other Income</b>				
<b>OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME</b>				
103069 - Sundry Income	\$185.45	\$0.00	\$185.45	0.00%
<b>Total - OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME</b>	<b>\$185.45</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$185.45</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Total - Other Income</b>	<b>\$185.45</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$185.45</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$1,455.07</b>	<b>-\$2,153.36</b>	<b>\$698.29</b>	<b>67.57%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- O-day
- Harmony week celebrations

## DISCUSSION TOPICS

*Nil.*

Regards,

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INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS' DEPARTMENT  
GUILD COUNCIL REPORT  
31/03/2021

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## SUMMARY

ISD had a very busy month of March. Many events were organised. The education team organized their very first event of the year. The panel night had good response as it was run both online and face to face. They are planning more collaborations with career centre for future events. The PR team launched many projects on our social media platforms. Many students enjoy the content given. The PR team has done a magnificent job in marketing ISD events as well. The social team enjoyed conducting events that both introduced ISD to the UWA community and had a collaboration with UWA IET club for a speed friending club. The welfare team has been busy discussing and running online events for offshore students. This was to increase engagement with offshore students to keep them connected with the UWA community. Our liaison team started creating infographics featuring international representatives of some faculty societies. Response for this was amazing and they are hard at work to plan for our first ISC (International Student Council) meeting in April. ISD has put out a survey for offshore students to give us feedback with regards to online events. ISD ran a sit in solidarity with UOM to show support with regards to the situation in Myanmar

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
24/2/2021	ISD Exco Meeting	Weekly Meeting
25/2/2021	Meeting with Career Services & ISD Education director	Planning for ISD Panel Night
25/2/2021	Equity & Diversity Meeting	Monthly Meeting
26/2/2021	Meeting with Jocelyn (International Student Advisor)	ISS promoting ISD events and possible online events
26/2/2021	ISD OB Meeting	Fortnightly Meeting
3/3/2021	ISD Exco Meeting	Weekly Meeting
5/3/2021	ISD Full Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting
10/3/2021	ISD Eco Meeting	Monthly Meeting
11/3/2021	Welcome Ceremony for OLC	Attended welcome ceremony for Offshore learning centre in China
11/3/2021	Meeting with HPU & ISD Welfare Director	Discuss possible collaborations
13/3/2021	ISD Zoom Call with Offshore Students	Provide information and getting feedback
15/3/2021	Pre-Academic Board Meeting	Monthly Meeting
17/3/2021	Academic Board Meeting	Monthly Meeting
17/3/2021	ISD Exco Meeting	Weekly Meeting
18/3/2021	Meeting with UWA Student Hariz	Discuss possible outcomes and strategies to solve his unit/graduation issues
19/3/2021	Meeting with UWA Sport	Discuss potential collaborations in the Future
23/3/2021	Meeting with CSSA	Discuss future collaborations
23/3/2021	Meeting with ISD Welfare director & Science Union President	Discuss collaborations for online event
26/3/2021	Student Experience Taskforce Meeting	Discuss plan for UWA to improve student experience
26/3/2021	ISD OB Meeting	Fortnightly Meeting
26/3/2021	ISD Full Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting
29/3/2021	Equity and Diversity Meeting	Monthly Meeting
29/3/2021	Meeting with Welfare Officer	Discuss Social isolation Campaign

29/3/2021	Meeting with Curtin Guild International Department President	Discuss future collaborations
30/3/2021	Meeting with Guild Volunteering	Discuss volunteering log sheets
31/3/2021	Meeting with StudyPerth	Discuss future Collaborations

## PROJECT UPDATE

### **Infographic on Pros and Cons of being an employee as International student**

Infographic will consolidate the perks of being an international student in a workspace, address the concerns of students and employers and how to work around the concerns.

### **ISD Networking**

Event is scheduled to take place on the 15<sup>th</sup> of April, Thursday. Networking night would be an event where employers of different industries come down and international students will be able to interact with them and engage in meaningful conversations. We are hoping to bring down employers from the different undergraduate degrees and specifically bring down companies that are willing to hire international students.

### **Faces Behind ISD**

Gained a lot of engagement and positive effect on Facebook page (new followers). Also, help others to know more about ISD.

### **Meet the Team**

Similar to Faces Behind ISD but held on Instagram. Include whole committee photos. Also gained positive effect and engagement.

### **Memes Monday (Instagram story)**

Gained some shares from the followers which was a good sign and shows that they enjoyed the memes. Therefore, makes ISD Instagram to be fun and interactive.

### **Hangout with ISD: Terrarium Time!**

A de-stressing “make your own terrarium” event where participants can have a sit down and make their own terrarium. We will provide jars but encourage them to bring their own. We also have contacted the environmental department to ask if they can give a small talk on how to care for your terrarium. Date of event is 29<sup>th</sup> March.

### **ISD ONLINE HANGOUT**

For the First time ISD organised ISD hangouts to be scheduled weekly. It was held on a Thursday night (11.03.21) through zoom, providing an opportunity for offshore students to connect and feel like a part of this community. We had ice breakers in the first 30 minutes where we split the attendees into 4 breakout rooms, each with a ISD member and let them mingle and get to know each other. We also asked for feedback and what they wanted to see from us. The next 30 minutes, we played an online game called Pictionary. In my Opinion, it was successful because everyone was talking and having a good time. We had another online session the week after (18.03.21) which unfortunately we did not receive much attendance compared to the 23 people who turned up for the first session.

## FacSoc international Reps posters

7/12 posters done! Most important FacSocs all done. Mansi contacted all the international reps while Olivia made the posters. Waiting for PR to post on Facebook.

## Liaison First Event

First event is hopefully going to be a speakeasy where students are encouraged to dress up in their national dress. Enjoy drinks have a good time and just socialize. It is in its early phases, meeting to be held on 1/04/21 to discuss.

## FINANCES

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$121.82	\$0.00	\$121.82	0.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$343.12	\$11,000.00	-\$10,656.88	3.12%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$502.63	\$1,500.00	-\$997.37	33.51%
305117 - Conferences	\$0.00	\$1,600.00	-\$1,600.00	0.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$89.09	\$220.00	-\$130.91	40.50%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$2.00	\$360.00	-\$358.00	0.56%
305181 - Publications	\$1,180.00	\$2,500.00	-\$1,320.00	47.20%
305187 - Software Digital	\$82.24	\$616.92	-\$534.68	13.33%
305208 - Affiliation Expenses	\$0.00	\$500.00	-\$500.00	0.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$2,320.90</b>	<b>\$18,296.92</b>	<b>-\$15,976.02</b>	<b>12.68%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$2,320.90</b>	<b>\$18,296.92</b>	<b>-\$15,976.02</b>	<b>12.68%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$2,320.90</b>	<b>-\$18,296.92</b>	<b>\$15,976.02</b>	<b>12.68%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$2,320.90</b>	<b>-\$18,296.92</b>	<b>\$15,976.02</b>	<b>12.68%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Managed to gather international students for Global Advisory Student Panel
- Lighthouse Launch
- O-day Stall
- Guild on the Green Stall
- Sundate Sundowner
- ISD Panel Night
- Speed Friending: ISD x IET
- ISD Online Hangout
- Sit in Solidarity with UoM

## DISCUSSION POINTS

NIL

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**GUILD COUNCIL REPORT**  
30/03/2021

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## SUMMARY

*March! What a wonderful time of year. March brought the return of students to campus, and the restart of club events on and off campus. It is usually an exhilarating time of year, full of fresh faces and a reinvigorated love of campus events, however this year started off on a different foot.*

*ODAY was all out of the way, club carnival was planned for week 2 Tuesday – however had to be postponed due to a disasterous weather forecast of thunderstorms. It was rescheduled for week 3 Tuesday, however understandably threw a spanner in the planning of events, but most clubs were super accommodating to the change. The day its self was a great success, with notable thanks to the SOC committee (Felix, Aidan, Tanisha, William and Taylor). While being quite warm, and some sunburns occurring, there were 100 stalls, 2 corporates and 100s of people coming down to sign up to clubs. During this day I also was the Mace Bearer for a graduation ceremony which was an incredible honour and was great to be part of such a wonderful celebration.*

*It was incredible to be invited to the Guild Alumni Networking Event. I met so many fabulous people who have helped shape the guild we all know and love, and get to contribute to in our own way. It was marvellous to meet Sue Boyd, the Honourable Robert French and Bob Nicholson (just to name a few), who have made such lifelong contributions to the guild and meeting them made me realise how important the work we do as student reps is.*

*The rest of March unfolded on a different note. It has been disappointing to see some club executives, especially some who are fellow councillors neglect their duties and responsibilities at events. Fostering a kind and safe campus is one of the fundamental pillars of what makes UWA so unique and the lack of respect for this has been devastating, especially from the individuals who are supposed to represent the student body. Their behaviour has caused a tidal wave of repercussions for **every single club** at UWA and is incredibly saddening to see. While the best has been salvaged out of a messy situation, it is a shame to see a few characters ruining a precious tradition for everyone else. The consequence of this incident has resulted in an overturn of Student Leadership Training ( which was already in the pipeline however has been expedited) and Event management plans are to be reviewed. Dealing with the repercussions has been interesting to say the least.*

*The SOC PAC meeting this month occurred on the 17<sup>th</sup>, and was a usual affair. Lots of promotion of fringe festival, as that was coming up this month and is incredibly exciting. Huge Kudos to Chloe Kam and the team for all of the work that has been put into making that a huge success.*

*Prosh celebrated its 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year, and the PROSH committee did a fantastic job to ensure the day would be a massive success. Months of work culminated in one huge day. Big thank you to the PROSH directors: Curtis and Charlie, PROSH editors: Bayley and Paris, PROSH marshals: Matthew and Ash, and to Sav and Maya for all of the work, and thanks for letting me involved as the SOC rep. It was fantastic to see so many clubs embrace the spirit of raising money for charity and turn up in full costumes at 5am. Im excited to see how much money has been raised.*

*Overall, March will not be forgotten quickly.*



## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
3/3/2021	Meeting with Aidan	Disucssion about SOC grants
3/3/2021	Guild Allumni networking event	
4/3/2021	Meeting with Will	Meeting with Will from my committee
4/3/2021	Convocation day	Emma plants a tree
5/3/2021	Meetings with Tony and Emma	Discuss club events
5/3/2021	Mace Bearer training	
6/3/2021	PROSH bbq Claremont bunnings	raise money for PROSH
8/3/2021	My graduation	
9/3/2021	Club carnival	
9/3/2021	Mace bearing graduation	
9/3/2021	Night markets at the grove	
10/3/2021	SOC committee meeting	General updates about the committee and soc this year
12/3/2021	PROSH layout weekend	
13/3/2021	PROSH layout weekend	
14/3/2021	PROSH layout weekend	
15/3/2021	Meeting with Joel	Discussing restarting the zoology club, as it has lapsed over the last year
17/3/2021	SOCPAC meeting	March meeting of the societies council and public affairs council
18/3/2021	PROSH basketball	
22/3/2021	PROSH marshal training	
23/3/2021	Secretary meeting	Meeting to train my secretary
23/3/2021	PROSH meeting	Day before prosh to talk about final logistics of the event
24/3/2021	PROSH	
26/3/2021	Meeting with a prospective new club	
30/3/2021	Meeting with ESPORTS club	
30/3/2021	Student Services committee meeting	
31/3/2021	Guild Council	
1/4/2021	Election Culture meeting	
1/4/2021	Governance meeting	

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Club carnival

- completed

### PROSH

- completed

### Club status Audit

- The grace period for clubs to voluntarily move back into the active stage has closed. Disaffiliation stage to commence soon.

### Environment Grants

- Completed and to be allocated at the end of semester

## Grants

- 2020 grants completed. ODAY grants are now open for SOC affiliated clubs. Once collected they will be allocated with the newly chosen finance committee under the guidance of the SOC Treasurer.

## Inclusivity award

- Work towards this has begun and updates will follow shortly.

## Information Handbooks

- Review is still ongoing, however all of the dates on the SOC page re meetings and important dates have been fixed, treasurer training has been added to the website for any club treasurers that have missed the initial training period.

## ODAY

- Completed

## OFEST

- Completed. Awaiting final deposits of club vouchers to guild finance before the money will be allocated to each club.

## Regulations

- Due to the recent activities of clubs in March, updating the regulations has moved significantly higher on the priority list. I am outsourcing to a lawyer to ensure the SOC regulations are effective and usable.

## Student Leadership Training

- Similar to the regulations, been bumped up priority list again. Will be in meetings with events, HPU, HR and SARC to update these trainings.

## Sexual Assault Response Policy

- Review of avenues of support, and how to best adapt this into the club scene have begun. Updates to follow.

## Tenancy

- Completed. Busy bees to be set.

## FINANCES

CUSTOM BUDGET VS. ACTUAL 2				
FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305049 - SOC Grants	\$1,950.00	\$121,000.00	-\$119,050.00	1.61%
305052 - Awards & Prizes	\$0.00	\$3,500.00	-\$3,500.00	0.00%
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$0.00	\$2,750.00	-\$2,750.00	0.00%
305102 - Bank Charges	\$295.50	\$1,650.00	-\$1,354.50	17.91%
305166 - Meeting Expenses	\$777.53	\$2,100.00	-\$1,322.47	37.03%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$225.35	\$1,050.00	-\$824.65	21.46%
305187 - Software Digital	\$123.36	\$0.00	\$123.36	0.00%
305189 - Repairs & Maintenance	\$219.76	\$1,000.00	-\$780.24	21.98%
305201 - Security Expenses	-\$450.98	\$0.00	-\$450.98	0.00%
305207 - Special Projects	\$511.78	\$0.00	\$511.78	0.00%
306005 - Depreciation - Property	\$30.84	\$176.00	-\$145.16	17.52%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$3,683.14</b>	<b>\$133,226.00</b>	<b>-\$129,542.86</b>	<b>2.76%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$3,683.14</b>	<b>\$133,226.00</b>	<b>-\$129,542.86</b>	<b>2.76%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$3,683.14</b>	<b>-\$133,226.00</b>	<b>\$129,542.86</b>	<b>2.76%</b>
<b>Other Income</b>				
<b>FINANCE INCOME - FINANCE INCOME</b>				
103049 - Interest Income Other	\$0.00	\$3.04	-\$3.04	0.00%
<b>Total - FINANCE INCOME - FINANCE INCOME</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$3.04</b>	<b>-\$3.04</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME</b>				
103069 - Sundry Income	\$443.90	\$1,650.00	-\$1,206.10	26.90%
<b>Total - OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME</b>	<b>\$443.90</b>	<b>\$1,650.00</b>	<b>-\$1,206.10</b>	<b>26.90%</b>
<b>Total - Other Income</b>	<b>\$443.90</b>	<b>\$1,653.04</b>	<b>-\$1,209.14</b>	<b>26.85%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$3,239.24</b>	<b>-\$131,572.96</b>	<b>\$128,333.72</b>	<b>2.46%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- January SOCPAC meeting went for 45 minutes – a record for recent history.
- Envirogrant proposal completely reviewed and sent to Governance for approval
- 2020 Grants completed
- ODAY preparations well underway
- Treasurer Training Released
- Successful Guild on the Green
- February SOCPAC meeting went well with 5 new club affiliations to SOC.
- Successful ODAY
- OFEST club memberships (with Chloe Kam)
- Successful Club Carnival
- Mace Bearing for Graduation on behalf of the Student Guild
- Met lots of incredible Guild Alumni
- Successful MARCH SOCPAC meeting
- Great day for PROSH
- Featured in UWA Students “humans of UWA”

## DISCUSSION POINTS

Kindest Regards,

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MATURE AGE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION  
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## SUMMARY

March was a good month as we are getting into the thick of things. MASA has been very busy with the work we are adding onto existing items previous years of the department has been up to. DC work has been going in good progress as the background work for projects are settled.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
24/02/2021	Governance Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting
24/02/2021	Election Culture Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting
25/02/2021	Guild Volunteering and Joey N	Met with Joey and GV to discuss a project that is in the works
03/03/2021	Sit in Solidarity with ISD and UOM	Helped in the organisation of the Sit in Solidarity and attended it
03/03/2021	Guild Alumni Event	
04/03/2021	MASA Academic Stream Meeting	Had a Meeting with the MASA academic stream and Study Smarter to work on Collaborations
05/03/2021	MASA x GV	Met with Antonia from GV to discuss the work on the IT Clinic set up by MASA
05/03/2021	MASA PR Meeting	Met with the MASA PR team
09/03/2021	MASA Newsletter Meeting	Met with Caitlin to go over the MASA Newsletter
11/03/2021	PROSH Marshal Training	Attended PROSH Marshall Training
11/03/2021	Qpay Demo Meeting	Met with Qpay to discuss how their services can be used at UWA
11/03/2021	Barbra, Guild Catering	Met with Barbra to get her thoughts on the Umbrella Share idea and how Guild cafés can be utilised and got a soft go ahead
13/03/2021	Offshore students Zoom call by ISD	Was in attendance for the Zoom call
18/03/2021	MASA Coffee Catchup	Held the first MASA Coffee Catchup
18/03/2021	Mutya, Finance Director	Met to understand the finances and processes in the guild better and get more understanding of our current financial position
25/03/2021	MASA Full Committee Meeting	MASA committee meeting

## PROJECT UPDATE

### MASA Spill the Beans: Coffee Catchup

Held the first coffee catchup and was well attended. Will continue to host such catchups for students to attend at various different timings so that different students can attend.

### MASA Newsletter

Sent the first 2 batches of newsletters out already and they have been a key tool to reaching out to the target audience.

### MASA Wine Night

In the planning stages but we aim to have this in the next two weeks.

### MASA Welfare Wednesday

We have started our MASA Welfare Wednesday initiative on Facebook and will continue to post a welfare-related post every week.

**MASA Volunteering - RMHC**

We are linking up with GV to have a MASA RMHC session for mature age students to participate in happening on the 24<sup>th</sup> of April

**MASA IT Clinic**

We have started organising a IT clinic for Mature age students as the main target group but also extending to other students. This session covers any IT related issues such as LMS and Microsoft office.

**Standing Orders**

Worked on the Standing Orders with Bre and are almost done with them. They have been re adjusted to have a better flow and are also more relevant to the current digital age with provisions for online meetings as well.

Completion rate: 100%

Estimated date of action: For Approval at Governance this month and hopefully GC next month

**Safe Passage Project – Umbrella Share**

Have drawn up the project and gone through them with Jack and gotten input from campus management. Adding on from my last report, there has been progress to narrow down to the umbrella share initiative. A suitable umbrella seller has been contacted and quotes given as well as soft approval from guild café's as to where we can place the holders.

Completion rate: 60%

Estimated date of action: Has been added to the agenda of Student Services committee and can be actioned after passing that and SRC.

**OB Consultation Hours**

Discussion with Jameson and Daj happened around how we can navigate through the consultation space and identified the 3 key areas of morning breakfasts, OB Hours and Public Project meetings and all with different intentions and ideas behind them.

Have a key area which I am looking to add to the consultation area around motions being brought to student representatives. This would allow all students to be more involved in what happens at Guild council through the elected representatives. Essentially the student motion forum.

Estimated date of commencement: TBC by Jameson, waiting on OBs for timings.

**Student Motion Forum**

Have done up the project case but needs work but this is essentially a way for any student to submit motions for consideration at Guild Council. This also includes a "what is a motion" series of infographics that information has been collated for. The information has passed the first round of editing and is can be passed at Governance in the next meeting, designed and is ready to go.

Completion rate: Information has been compiled. Needs to be vetted by Governance and designed.

Estimated date of action: Infographic information will be tabled at Governance committee

**FINANCES**

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$77.14	\$200.00	-\$122.86	38.57%
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$0.00	\$150.00	-\$150.00	0.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$84.75	\$1,200.00	-\$1,115.25	7.06%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$100.00	-\$100.00	0.00%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$8.91	\$100.00	-\$91.09	8.91%
305187 - Software Digital	\$30.84	\$113.08	-\$82.24	27.27%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$201.64</b>	<b>\$1,863.08</b>	<b>-\$1,661.44</b>	<b>10.82%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$201.64</b>	<b>\$1,863.08</b>	<b>-\$1,661.44</b>	<b>10.82%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$201.64</b>	<b>-\$1,863.08</b>	<b>\$1,661.44</b>	<b>10.82%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$201.64</b>	<b>-\$1,863.08</b>	<b>\$1,661.44</b>	<b>10.82%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

### MASA

- Restarted the Facebook page and have increased social media presence
- Launched an Instagram account and have gotten traction
- O-day was successful and we managed to get good signups for MASA newsletter
- MASA Newsletter launched
- Spill the Beans: Coffee Ctachup Restarted
- Welfare Wednesdays and IT Clinic

### Deputy-Chair

- Standing orders
- "what is a motion" educational Piece

## DISCUSSION TOPICS

- *What is council's definition of transparency?*
  - o *Is it live streaming our guild council (board) meetings?*
  - o *Is it finances?*
  - o *What exactly would you define it as?*
- *How do we as council look at the long term goals of the organisation?*

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## SUMMARY

February-March entailed planning and initial consultations regarding a first-year engagement strategy for the Guild, as well as an accompanying information session event. Scoping and project proposal is set to be approved and consultation is to start soon.

A new relationship was established with UWA with a different department to ensure the Young Leaders Council will continue for another year. Organisation for the first event in April has kicked off, with role descriptions defined and additional committee positions to be added.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
3/2 – 12/2	Office-Bearers	Determine key areas for potential first-year involvement within the guild and first-year strategy
15/2	Daj Janneh (General Secretary)	Establish key project objectives with General Secretary Daj
26/2	YLC Committee	Discuss strategic goals and planning for 2021 YLC
5/3	Katie Douglas (UWA Schools Partnerships and Programs)	Discuss YLC Schools Outreach strategy, confirm date
7/3	Jacob Cerin (OGC)	Determine logistics for Guild info session
18/3	ECOMS UWA Welfare	Discuss business school café rejuvenation and potential student surveys
25/3	YLC Council	YLC Organisation

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Young Leaders Council

A preliminary meeting was set up between the current members of YLC council (myself, April Htun and Thomas Cotter) with the objective of establishing a strategic direction for the year, discussing committee structure and brainstorming ideas. A relationship with UWA Future Students department was re-established and they are officially partnering with us to run our first event scheduled for April 24. OCM Applications for the committee were released and will be assessed in upcoming weeks. Official committee roles were also officially established.

Future goals include running upcoming YLC sessions, but more importantly establishing longer-term strategic direction for the council and locking in future commitment from UWA to continue working with us. This strategic direction may include more programs, a broader outreach audience or residential camps from next year.

### First Year Plan

For a long time, the Guild has left a lot to be desired when it comes to its outreach and engagement with first-year students at UWA. Many are unaware of its basic functions and even its existence heading into university, and those who are looking to get involved often are completely unaware of how to do so.

This project has the objective to determine underlying causes for low first-year engagement within the Guild and determine potential solutions and recommendations to be adopted moving forward.

This project is still in the scoping and planning stage. Initially, consultations with all OBs were conducted to determine opportunities for first-year involvement within the Guild. Data collected will go on to inform the final report. Consultations are planned to go ahead with key stakeholders to conclude the scoping process.

#### **Guild Info Session**

A proposal document was created for a Guild info session where students could go to find out what the Guild is getting up to this year and how to get involved, followed by informal networking, to occur in week 5 of semester. Jacob Cerin was assigned to organise a date, venue and logistics. However, this has taken longer than initially budgeted for, and hence the project has had to be deferred.

#### **Business School Café Rejuvenation**

Brief talks have been had regarding a potential consulting project to optimise financial performance of the business school café, as it has a lot of growth potential still given it's only recent acquisition by the Guild.

#### **FINANCES**

N/A

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

N/A

#### **DISCUSSION POINTS**

N/A

Regards,



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## SUMMARY

Up until March 9<sup>th</sup>, I was preparing for the night market, which was hugely successful and received great feedback from external vendors, clubs and attendees. A topic of discussion currently is regarding the next night market, which will be posted soon. My work with Venture is progressing and will be outlined in this report.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
25/02/2021	Emma Mezger	Discussing a future project
02/03/2021	Venture Chair: Henry Lan	Discussing entrepreneur talks project
02/03/2021	Night Market Committee	Preparing for night market, mainly setup
04/03/2021	Venture Innovation Meetup	Venture Launch
04/03/2021	Leigh & Tiana from Guild Events	Night market electricity requirements
08/03/2021	Leigh from Guild Events	Night market logistics
11/03/2021	Night Market Committee	Discuss night market plus feedback from committee
16/03/2021	Venture Entrepreneur Panel Event	Liz Knight Talk
17/03/2021	Catering & Tavern	
17/03/2021	SOC PAC	
18/03/2021	Night Market Committee	Preparing for next night market
22/03/2021	Night Market Committee	Discussing performances, decorations & task allocation

## PROJECT UPDATES

### Night Markets

The event was very successful. It was more successful than we anticipated with a huge turnout. This gives us a better idea of what students want. This validates the aim of the project, which focuses on providing another food option at night. It went very smoothly on the day, however, small behind the scenes details will be taken into account for the next one. The date of the next night market will be posted soon and my report will contain all the updates. The committee did amazingly well with many thanks to Daj, Noa Shilo, Angela Bourne, Estee Ow Yang, and Jaime Dehouck.

### Guild Flowchart

In my previous report, I said that 'it will be posted and printed within the next month'. This is still happening, as soon as PROSH is done.

### Talks Addressing Issues Faced by People of Colour

As a reminder, the focus of this project is to collaborate with several Guild Departments and possibly clubs, under a Guild umbrella, not a specific department. In last month's report, I state that: 'this project may take up a different form and will be discussed in the upcoming reports.' This is currently the case where I have collaborated with Venture to add an entrepreneur aspect to this project. This will take place over the next few months and the first event will be posted soon.

## FINANCES

N/A

## ACHIEVEMENTS

Night market event: Big success with a huge turnout

## DISCUSSION POINTS

N/A

Regards,

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## SUMMARY

*Fringe festival is all wrapped up, hooray! In March the PAC committee and I were dedicated to making this week really special and exciting, with the theme of 'Modern Renaissance' and a bunch of club collaborations and performers lined up to breathe some life onto a slowing mid-semester campus. This month was particularly busy for me as I had to juggle not only organising our first theme week, but also further engagements with Tenancy, PAC, GAMSAT and my university work. As usual, I've been on campus nearly every day this month for meetings (not documented below, sorry!) with staff, students, and external sponsors, but for the first time I was able to take a step back for a few days to really focus on my exam. As March comes to a close, I've also met with other stakeholders for some very exciting initiatives that PAC will be involved with in the near future.*

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
25/2/21	Meeting with PCS	Discuss Tenancy regulations
26/2/21	Meeting with GSC	Tenancy keys updates
7/2/21	Meeting with PAC	Fringe updates
22/2/21	Fringe Week	Organise committee, clubs and performers
23/2/21	Fringe Week	Organise committee, clubs and performers
24/2/21	Fringe Week	Organise committee, clubs and performers
25/2/21	Fringe Week	Organise committee, clubs and performers
26/2/21	Fringe Week	Organise committee, clubs and performers
29/2/21	Meeting with Ying MCS	Discuss keys
30/2/21	Meeting with GV	Discuss project updates
30/2/21	Meeting with LWAG and CC	Discuss CC event
31/2/21	Meeting with Global Challenges Advisory Group	Discuss potential campus events and activities
31/2/21	Meeting with GV and Leigh	Discuss Vinnie's Sleep-in logistics

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Tenancy

- All faulty locker keys have been changed
- Students can now pick up their keys from GSC

### Fringe Festival

- Sales from club collaborations, performers and donations to be updated and posted at the end of this month
- Had huge success with merch and bringing on sponsors this year!

### Vinnie's Sleep-In

- Nationwide event and Vinnie's first year of this charity initiative
- UWA students will be one of the first to get involved!

- Collaborative effort between Vinnies, GV, PAC and Events

**LWAG Culture Club**

- Date, theme and committees have been organised
- PAC and ACCESS to regularly reach out to clubs and students to get involved and increase engagement

**Faith Week**

- Meeting with all Faith Clubs commencing soon
- Charity 'Lovin from the Oven' confirmed

**Grand Challenges Advisory Group**

- Meeting soon to discuss how to provide strategic guidance, co-ordination and collaboration across the institution, including research, teaching, student experience, community/industry engagement and wider operations
- 

**FINANCES**

- Unable to access Netsuite at the moment due to account issues

**ACHIEVEMENTS****Tenancy**

- Majority of Tenancy maintenance issues were resolved promptly and addressed to the satisfaction of tenants
- Keys and locks process has been greatly simplified for the benefit of clubs, Tenancy and the GSC

**Fringe Festival**

- Incredible turn-out and support from clubs and student performers throughout the week
- 5 sponsors contributed over \$1500 worth of goods or funding in total

**DISCUSSION POINTS**

*No points of discussion to be raised.*

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## SUMMARY

Over March, Pride has run many weekly events (movie nights and games nights) for LGBTQIA+ students. We also ran a collaborative micro-volunteering event with Guild Volunteering called Volunqueering. This event had students do some volunteering for the WA Aids Council and produced over 1000 safe sex packs. We have also continued to prepare for our annual quiz night. Additionally, we have been advocating for LGBTQIA+ students with the City of Perth's advisory group.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
25/03/2021	LGBTQIA+ Advisory Group	We discussed the themes and objectives of the LGBTQIA+ action plan. We also began discussions of how to prioritise those objectives.
09/03/2021	Damsel Meeting	Catching up
16/03/2021	UWA LGBTQIA+ Working Group	Regular meeting, was cancelled due to low turnout

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Quiz Night

Preparing for the event, we have made posters, done a Facebook marketing campaigning and more

### Micro-Volunteering Event

We made over 1000 safe sex packs for the WA Aids Council

## FINANCES

### Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Cost Of Sales</b>				
201200 - Purchases - Printing	\$29.00	\$0.00	\$29.00	0.00%
<b>Total - Cost Of Sales</b>	<b>\$29.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$29.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>-\$29.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$29.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$303.33	\$350.00	-\$46.67	86.67%
305079 - Theme Week	\$0.00	\$2,400.00	-\$2,400.00	0.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$866.78	\$4,500.00	-\$3,633.22	19.26%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$0.00	\$120.00	-\$120.00	0.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$200.00	-\$200.00	0.00%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$218.24	\$250.00	-\$31.76	87.30%
305187 - Software Digital	\$41.12	\$246.84	-\$205.72	16.66%
305189 - Repairs & Maintenance	\$209.40	\$0.00	\$209.40	0.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$1,638.87</b>	<b>\$8,066.84</b>	<b>-\$6,427.97</b>	<b>20.32%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,638.87</b>	<b>\$8,066.84</b>	<b>-\$6,427.97</b>	<b>20.32%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$1,667.87</b>	<b>-\$8,066.84</b>	<b>\$6,398.97</b>	<b>20.68%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Made over 1000 safe sex packs

## DISCUSSION POINTS

N/A

Regards,



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## SUMMARY

The month has been a scoping month and a planning month to get projects into action. The PSA is starting to involve its committee meetings to take ownership of certain projects to increase the representation and support that it provides for postgraduate students. The PSA continues to build strong relationships with external stakeholders to further our mission of providing the best possible experience to Postgraduate Students' at UWA.

## MEETINGS ATTENDING

22/02	Education Committee	University Monthly Meeting
22/02	Innovation Clinic: Jo Hawkin	Meeting with the UWA Innovation Clinic to establish relationship for development innovation mindset for research students.
23/02	Strategic Resources Committee	Monthly Meeting
23/02	PSA Activities: Tony Goodman	Advice from Tony with regards to the PSA
23/02	Student Experience Committee	Interesting data around the data that UWA collect with regards to future employment of students and satisfaction.
24/02	Equity and Diversity Meeting	Monthly Meeting
24/02	PSA February Connect	Monthly Event
26/02	HDR Student Consultative Meeting	Monthly Meeting
26/02	ECU Postgraduate Students President	Tour of ECU campus to understand issues and goals for the ECU Guild for Postgraduate Students.
1/03	GenSec: Ridhima	Meeting with GenSec to discuss ongoing projects and budget.
2/03	Social VP: Joanne Sun	Discussion of PSA River Cruise
3/03	University Club Board Chair: Mark Paganin	Initial meet and greet.
3/03	Academic Council	Monthly Meeting
4/03	University Senate Strategic Meeting	Strategic Planning for UWA Senate
4/03	Convocation Day	Guild President Tree Planting and tour of Indigenous building.
8/03	UniClub: International Women's Day Breakfast	Panel discussion regarding empowering women and women in leadership.
8/03	Senate Representative: Graduation	
9/03	Library Meeting	Discussion of ongoing library projects.
9/03	Executive Management Meeting	Monthly Meeting
9/03	Senate Representative: Graduation	

10/03	PSA Connect Briefing	Team briefing on the running of PSA Connect.
10/03	Senate Representative: Graduation	
11/03	AICD Training: Directorship in Finance	Senate appointed training for Directorship in Finance.
12/03	EMP Meeting: Leigh	River Cruise EMP Meeting
12/03	Guild Volunteering: Antonia Taylor	Meeting to discuss volunteering opportunities for Postgraduate students.
12/03	Curtin Postgraduate President Meeting: May	Meeting to discuss issues that Curtin Postgraduate students are facing.
15/03	Lyn Beazley	Meeting to discuss methods to support Postgraduate Students in research.
15/03	Student Leadership Summit	Meeting with Chloe to handover Student Leadership Summit to UWA Student Guild Venture
16/03	Blackstone Meeting: Bec Lu	Discussing direction of Blackstone for 2021 and how the PSA can facilitate that journey.
16/03	Equity Officer: Prema Arasu	Meeting to discuss and scope projects for the equity portfolio for our term. A focus around empowering indigenous students and the education of indigenous issues to the postgraduate community.
16/03	An evening with an entrepreneur Liz Knight	Venture Event.
16/03	Education Council	Monthly Meeting
17/03	General Secretary: Ridhima V	Meeting to discuss the PSA Finances, record keeping and contacts list.
17/03	OCM: Kate McGee	Discussion of an OCM project around employability through collaboration with existing clubs and societies to motivate them to tailor or market their events to a postgraduate demographic.
17/03	Student Consultative Committee	Introductory meeting and discussion around contract cheating.
18/03	SSAF Advisory Committee Meeting	Meeting to acquire update on SSAF allocations.
18/03	Guild v PROSH Basketball Competition	
18/03	Awards and Grants Subcommittee meeting	Meeting to discuss the scope of the committee and set out rules in order to assess applicants for awards and grants.
18/03	PSA Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting

19/03	Tour of the Special Collections	
19/03	Council Photos	
22/03	Lyn Beazley Institute	Meeting to discuss potential partnership and a synergies of interest between the PSA and the Lyn Beasley Institute.
22/03	Research VP: Max Davidson	Discussing the direction of PSA for supporting Research students in the up coming year.
23/03	Spark Finance	Introductory meeting with Spark Finance to understand their value proposition and how they support international postgraduate students.
24/03	PROSH	Annual event.
25/03	180 Degree Consulting: Aleks Gurak	Meeting to discuss potential partnership to strength the PSA relationship with Management Consulting firms and to provide an avenue for postgraduate students to consider.
25/03	Strategic Resources Committee	Monthly meeting.
25/03	WAMSS: Erin Hassett	Meeting to discuss issues that WAMSS are considering for this year and how they hope to tackle it and how the PSA can help with that endeavour.
25/03	Research Week Planning	Planning for up coming research week.
25/03	Social VP: Joanne Sun	Meeting to discuss River Cruise to identify areas as friction points for the success of the event.
26/03	Engagement Committee Engagement Meeting	Discussion of the PSA River Cruise and decorations.
29/03	Equity and Diversity Meeting	
29/03	Future of Learning Taskforce	Introductory meeting to set the scope of the committee.

## PROJECT UPDATE

### Innovation Clinic

A potential partnership for the PSA this year in broadening the PSA value to Research students in helping them achieve a viable product out of their university experience.

### PSA Connects

Valuable statistics were collected at the February Connect and will continue to be collected at future PSA Connects. Students appears disappointed in the lack of food and beverages provided but that comes as a trade-off for the finance position that the University Club find themselves in. The PSA is committed to continually honour our partnership with the Club through thick and thin. The disappointment was reflected



in the attendance at the March Connect with a combination of the connect occurring two weeks after the February Connect due to the volume of activities available to Postgraduate students within their first weeks of university and also the strategic positioning of the February Connect after Orientation and O-Day for the event to be promoted.

#### **Partnership with other State Universities**

Meet and greet session have slowly come to fruition. It has been delightful to share our different perspectives and the different issues that our campuses face followed by the strategic approach that each president is taking. Our relationship and partnership with other State Universities will be vital moving forward.

#### **General Secretary**

Ridhima has been working hard to ensure that the PSA is financially accountable and sustainable for the events that we run. Future, the portfolio encompasses a contacts lists which would not only be value for the current PSA Committee but also future committees in reducing the work load and facilitate them to achieve the goals that they set out.

#### **PSA River Cruise**

Our Engagement Sub-Committee at the direction of the PSA's Engagement VP Joanne Sun have done an amazing job at organising the PSA River Cruise. Ticket sales are in full force and are selling out fast. I encourage anyone wanting to come to this event to purchase their tickets promptly to avoid disappointment. Our primary focus now has shifted to the decoration of the venue to foster a magical experience.

#### **External Partnership**

Lyn Beazley has been a tremendous advocate for Research Students and a brief discussion with her has shed significant light in the possible partnership that the PSA could potentially form to increase the employability of Postgraduate Students at UWA.

#### **Postgraduate Faculty Societies**

We have been slowly meeting up with faculty societies to identify the issues which they hope to tackle in their term but also offering assistance where possible from the PSA to strength our relationship with FacSoc. I believe that there is more that the PSA can be doing to support FacSoc and I hope to incrementally improve that assistance and showcase the value that the PSA has to FacSocs.

#### **Employability**

Employability is a significant issue for postgraduate students. It is arguably the sole reason that they have chosen to extend their degree. Although the statistics indicate that UWA Postgraduate students are performing above the benchmark, we are constantly trying to push the envelope. Kate McGee (PSA OCM) will be championing the Employability sector of the PSA. It will focus on creating partnership with existing clubs and faculties societies to encourage them to consider a postgraduate market as well as assisting them to market their events to postgraduate students.

#### **Contract Cheating**

As circulated via email to all students, UWA has solidified it's position on Contract Cheating overtly on sites such as CourseHero and StudentVIP. There have been many concerns raised at a Faculty Society level to signify a concern with the Scope of Contract Cheating. I hope to work closely with Emma and the DVCE to provide clarify and advocate for the students perspective on this issue.



## Future of Learning Taskforce

The VC has created a Future of Learning Taskforce to better equip UWA for the volatile environment that it finds itself in. Emma and myself hope to be working with other academics to foster co-creation and consultative approach to foster a solution that is inclusive of different perspective but also empowering. The key drives of success that the PSA has identified are Digital Disruption, Industry compatibility, foster life learns and creating global citizens. I am honoured and humble to be appointed onto this taskforce and am excited to break down such a complex issue and hopefully provide fruitful recommendations.

## PSA Strategy

The PSA Strategy framework has been set in place. Due to the busy nature of stakeholder, the document has been left hollow for substantial direction to be set through a shared vision. The PSA will now consult with different stakeholders to gain their perspective on the document to further flesh out the nuts and bolts and order to present a well-constructed guiding document.

## FINANCES

FINANCIAL ROW	- NO DEPARTMENT -					POST-GRADUATE STUDENTS ASSOC					STUDENT COUNCIL					Total				
	MTD Actual (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	MTD Budget (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	Actual YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	Budget YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	FY Budget (Jan 2021 - Adjust 2021)	MTD Actual (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	MTD Budget (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	Actual YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	Budget YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	FY Budget (Jan 2021 - Adjust 2021)	MTD Actual (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	MTD Budget (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	Actual YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	Budget YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	FY Budget (Jan 2021 - Adjust 2021)	MTD Actual (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	MTD Budget (Feb 2021 - Mar 2021)	Actual YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	Budget YTD (Jan 2021 - Feb 2021)	FY Budget (Jan 2021 - Adjust 2021)
<b>Income</b>																				
<b>SALES OF GOODS - SALES OF GOODS</b>																				
101050 - Under/Overs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$0.01	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$0.01	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$0.01	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total - SALES OF GOODS - SALES OF GOODS</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total - Income</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>-\$0.01</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Expenses</b>																				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>																				
305052 - Awards & Prizes	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$29,000.00	\$0.00	\$9,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$29,000.00	\$0.00	\$9,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$29,000.00
305056 - Grants	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,500.00
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,663.33	\$0.00	\$1,467.97	\$1,950.00	\$1,950.00	\$1,663.33	\$0.00	\$1,467.97	\$1,950.00	\$1,950.00	\$1,663.33	\$0.00	\$1,467.97	\$1,950.00	\$1,950.00
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,308.82	\$3,000.00	\$1,217.91	\$3,300.00	\$26,300.00	\$2,308.82	\$3,000.00	\$1,217.91	\$3,300.00	\$26,300.00	\$2,308.82	\$3,000.00	\$1,217.91	\$3,300.00	\$26,300.00
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$900.00	\$441.50	\$1,100.00	\$1,750.00	\$0.00	\$900.00	\$441.50	\$1,100.00	\$1,750.00	\$0.00	\$900.00	\$441.50	\$1,100.00	\$1,750.00
305109 - Cleaning Contract	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$317.09	\$800.00	\$317.09	\$800.00	\$4,800.00	\$317.09	\$800.00	\$317.09	\$800.00	\$4,800.00	\$317.09	\$800.00	\$317.09	\$800.00	\$4,800.00
305111 - Communication Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$172.42	\$400.00	\$47.19	\$400.00	\$240.00	\$172.42	\$400.00	\$47.19	\$400.00	\$240.00	\$172.42	\$400.00	\$47.19	\$400.00	\$240.00
305117 - Conferences	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,050.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,050.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,050.00
305132 - Utilities	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$89.67	\$240.00	\$209.74	\$240.00	\$1,440.00	\$89.67	\$240.00	\$209.74	\$240.00	\$1,440.00	\$89.67	\$240.00	\$209.74	\$240.00	\$1,440.00
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$500.00
305155 - Interior decoration	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$199.43	\$0.00	\$878.18	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$199.43	\$0.00	\$878.18	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$199.43	\$0.00	\$878.18	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
305159 - Legal Fees & Charges	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,437.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,437.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,437.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
305165 - Motor Vehicle Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$14.37	\$100.00	\$14.37	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$14.37	\$100.00	\$14.37	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$14.37	\$100.00	\$14.37	\$100.00	\$200.00
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$323.94	\$40.00	\$54.55	\$795.00	\$995.00	\$323.94	\$40.00	\$54.55	\$795.00	\$995.00	\$323.94	\$40.00	\$54.55	\$795.00	\$995.00
305181 - Publications	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
305187 - Software Digital	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$51.40	\$22.00	\$102.80	\$22.00	\$132.00	\$51.40	\$22.00	\$102.80	\$22.00	\$132.00	\$51.40	\$22.00	\$102.80	\$22.00	\$132.00
305208 - Affiliation Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$5,100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$5,100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$5,100.00
306001 - Depreciation - Plant & Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$54.83	\$109.66	\$109.66	\$109.66	\$657.96	\$54.83	\$109.66	\$109.66	\$109.66	\$657.96	\$54.83	\$109.66	\$109.66	\$109.66	\$657.96

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Successful first Connect significant attendance.
- Statistical data collected at Connect events.
- PSA strategic framework set.

Regards,



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## SUMMARY

The semester to date has been mostly successful for the sports department. After trialling a couple of games for E-Sports in the Tav, we have found Super Smash Bros. to be very successful. We will continue to run it as the semester progresses. After a few stumbles and setbacks running Interfac, we have settled in a bit and feel much more confident running the barbecue. We made a lot of progress advancing our collaborations with the Women's Department this year, locking in the six week "Strong Women Gym Series" program with UWA Sport, and beginning planning for our Women in Sports Breakfast. We also have successfully rebranded our logo, changing colour from the Guild blue, to a darker, gold colour.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
2/3/2021	Ridhima Vinayachandran from Ethnocultural Department	Discuss potential collaborations and promotion of catering for Inter-Faculty Sport
4/3/2021	Tanya Helyar, Tara Schwarze and Hamish Delorenzo from UWA Sport, and Priyanka Sharma from the Women's Department	Locking in the "Strong Women Gym Series" program
11/3/2021	Department meeting	Discuss upcoming events
15/3/2021	Meeting with Tom Atkinson from UWA Sport	Debriefing for Inter-Faculty Sport
16/3/2021	Meeting with FacSoc Sports Representatives	Debriefing and discussing changes to Semester 1 Inter-Faculty Sports calendar
16/3/2021	Meeting with James Fazio from UWA Sport	Introduction and collaboration for UWA Sport's "Come and Try Watersports" event
16/3/2021	Meeting with UWAnime and UWA E-Sports club	Discussing logistics for E-Sports in the Tav
18/3/2021	VACE Meeting	Monthly Volunteering Committee meeting
19/3/2021	Meeting with Alisa Aliyah Kassam, Natasha Main and Annie Kinsella	Introductions and discussing the structure of the Women in Sport breakfast.
22/3/2021	Meeting with Tom Atkinson from UWA Sport and UWA E-Sports club	Discussing E-Sports Inter-Faculty fixture
23/3/2021	YLC meeting	Discussing structure for upcoming events
29/3/2021	Meeting with UWAnime and UWA E-Sports Club	Debriefing for E-Sports in the Tav

## PROJECT UPDATE

### E-Sports Competition

After trialling FIFA and Super Smash Bros. we have found that that Super Smash Bros. garners a much larger audience. Our first event running Super Smash Bros. was a massive success, and we are looking forward to expanding on the event in the coming weeks.

### Strong Women Gym Series

We have locked in a six week program with UWA Sport, it will be occurring in Semester 2 this year. The structure has also been set.

### Logo change

After receiving approval from the President and Managing Director, we have successfully updated our logo. We are hoping to buy some materials to match the new colour.

### Inter-Faculty Sport

Inter-Fac is underway. We faced some setbacks trying to work out what was required of us, however we have now found our rhythm and are feeling much more confident running our side of the event.

### Netwalking

Our first Netwalking event with the Enviro Department was unfortunately unsuccessful. We are now looking to restructure the event and improve it for the future.

## FINANCES

### Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$570.38	\$1,035.00	-\$464.62	55.11%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$445.11	\$1,900.00	-\$1,454.89	23.43%
305185 - Minor Assets	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	-\$1,000.00	0.00%
305187 - Software Digital	\$30.84	\$123.36	-\$92.52	25.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$1,046.33</b>	<b>\$4,058.36</b>	<b>-\$3,012.03</b>	<b>25.78%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,046.33</b>	<b>\$4,058.36</b>	<b>-\$3,012.03</b>	<b>25.78%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$1,046.33</b>	<b>-\$4,058.36</b>	<b>\$3,012.03</b>	<b>25.78%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$1,046.33</b>	<b>-\$4,058.36</b>	<b>\$3,012.03</b>	<b>25.78%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Confirmed structure and time of E-Sports Tournament
- Confirmed Zumba classes at breakfast
- Confirmed first Net-walking event
- Demonstrated feasibility of Guild Social Sports Teams for the future
- Ran Guild's First E-Sports event at Guild on the Green
- Ran E-Sports in the Tav
- Secured the "Strong Women Gym Series" program

## DISCUSSION POINTS

- None

Warm Regards,



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## SUMMARY

The National Union of Students (NUS) is the national peak representative body for all the students in Australia. It has alliances with other national autonomous representative bodies such as CISA (Council of International Students); UATSIS (Union of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students); NOWSA (Network Of Women Students Australia); AQSN (Australian Queer Students Network); CAPA (Council of Australian Postgraduate Associations); ASEN (Australian Student Environment Network); and NAAUC (National Association of Australian University Colleges).

This report details my experiences through the NUS Conference in areas such as policies, elections, factionism and a personal reflection. This was my first year being part of the NUS conference after hearing much about it in my time at the guild. It mostly went according to what I had heard before but some things did shock me through the process. Overall, I think that it was a good experience and valuable to any student who wishes to understand how important of a role we can play as a student body.

## PERSONAL REFLECTION

The NUS truly represents the core of the student politics world and where you truly understand how it works. It was my first experience seeing such activism on the national level and it was truly empowering to see how students can stand with each other against issues that are of a key concern to society but at the same time argue over factional differences with such passion.

This being the first NUS Conference for me, I had much to ponder upon and think about in the lead up to the session. How would I vote on key areas, what policies do I put up, who should I vote for in the election and most importantly at the NUS, which faction do I sit with?

There were a lot of things left undecided up till days before the conference and it was rather disorganised. We had no idea how to submit motions or what the format for them would be. We did not know how the whole conference was going to take place and through what means. The cherry on top was when the UWA delegates were told that we would not be able to hold any votes because of payment issues which I was told was down to the misorganisation of the NUS itself which seems to be an identity of the massive organisation.

The NUS experience however has taught and re-enforced some key skills in me such as understanding issues that I may not relate with directly and writing meaningful policies which will actually make a difference. My feelings about the factionalism and policies are stated below but it truly was an eye opening experience.

## FACTIONS

I realised at this conference the true idea of student politics in Australia. On the eastern states, the guilds are clearly dominated by the labour factions and I found myself pondering upon the reality of how things work. Are the local guilds just a small pawn piece in order to gain votes at the NUS and control the student union? I heard stories of faction members giving support to other faction members from other campuses just so they could win a few seats. I thought that the local guilds added up in a triangle to form the NUS at the peak but it seemed to me that the NUS factions really do have the power to control what goes on in certain guilds. It has happened on our campus

even back in 2019 where a ticket aligned with a national faction ran in the election in the hopes of gaining ground at the NUS. We are a small pawn in a massive political game after all.

The NUS consist of delegates who are elected by their respective student bodies to represent their respective Universities. These delegates and any other observers then sit with a Faction in NUS. There are 5 Factions -listed from the biggest percentage of conference floor to the smallest percentage.

Student Unity (SU) – Labor Right, Australian Labor Party

National Labour Students (NLS) – Labor Left, Australian Labor Party

Grassroots Independents (GI) – Independents

Socialist Alternative (SA) - Socialist Alternative

Australian Liberal Students' Federation (ALSF) – Liberal Party of Australia.

I aligned myself with the Grassroots Independents (GI) faction. Being from the Global ticket which represented the international students and the minorities, I chose to continue on the independent platform I was elected on. GI is a faction that does not bind and allows its members to vote however they decide to and what they feel is best for them and the people they represent. I thought this would be impossible in the NUS but I did see members of the GI faction have the ability to vote differently to other members. However, they were more senior members and people with more years of experience and hence does beg the question on if any member could do the same.

As for other factions, it was interesting to see how they operate as a unit. The faction called Student Unity definitely binded on their voting as they could be seen typing 'Unity Up' which when seen on a conference floor would be all their delegates raising their hands after their 'headkicker' says so.

The NUS is also truly not complete without its factional deals. The biggest of which I take to be the sweetheart deal between Unity and NLS which ensures that Unity always gets the General Secretary and that NLS always gets President. Each faction has a head who is in charge of making these deals and they begin negotiations way before the conference and sometimes go till right before elections. It is to be noted that all factions do engage in the deal making process even GI, who have historically gotten the positions of National Education Officer and National Executive member.

## CONFERENCE

This year as mentioned before, the conference occurred through zoom and am glad that it happened at a time which was suitable for us here in WA while most of the participants were over east. We were not given any voting rights due to the massive misorganisation of the NUS and honestly, this was rather disappointing. It makes me ponder if it was a political move to not allow the UWA delegates who were all GI identifying members to vote.

The sessions started at 8am and ended around 4pm on both days that it occurred. There certainly was a constraint on the amount of substantial debate that could occur due to the online nature of the conference but I think some debates were very eloquently made and the voices of the students

that each delegate represented was heard. There were designated speakers for each motion that was put forward as the heads of each faction had collated a list of speakers the night before to help the process for the chair. Most motions were also voted on even before they were spoken to as factional heads had already discussed how they were going to vote. The chair could be seen looking at her excel sheet with the vote tallied up and if the motion would pass or not while calling for a vote to follow the procedure.

There were some delegates who were very strong in their opinions and what they believe was right. Some could be seen going after factions for voting in a certain manner in the zoom chats for example. This is something we see very commonly even in our own Guild so it did not surprise me. I do admire those strongly wielded student representatives who truly stick to their guns and fight through everything.

## ELECTIONS

This was an area of the proceedings that I was not aware of before coming into the NUS and was quite shocked by it. Ballot papers are traded amongst the factional heads to secure the deals that they had made. Sometimes, it does not even go to a vote. All other candidates would withdraw and allow the candidate who is supposed to win, win. In this sense, we do not really have a say in who our National Office bearers are unless we make a deal for it.

I for example was selected on behalf of GI to stand for the position of National International Students Officer. After being aware of this process, and being told that ballots were going to be traded, I had decided not to send in my nomination as it would have to be withdrawn a day later. The nomination process to the NUS also needs to be witnessed by a notary and is not an easy process which may not be accessible to members should they wish to nominate. The new NUS OB team did have their time to speak starting with the new president who was also chairing a section of the second day's sitting.

## POLICIES

These are the policies that I had tabled at the NUS and sent in for consideration. They were however merged with policies from other bigger factions.

International Policy:

Working w Organisations

1. The NUS will work with the Council Of International Students Australia in a more productive way and have a joint effort toward international student advocacy.
2. The NUS International Officer will work with more diplomatic bodies such as embassies to gain a better advocational voice for students studying here.

Work rights

1. The NUS recognises the value that the international student community has in the Australian Economy.
2. The NUS recognizes that many international students are being exploited for jobs that pay lesser than minimum wage due to the lack of knowledge provided in that area.
3. NUS demands that international students be given more hours a week to work as the current 20 hours per week is insufficient for them to save and support themselves.



#### Multilingual Staff/ language issues

1. The NUS recognizes that the International students need to be supported more and there has to be more support required to improve their English language understanding.
2. The NUS condemns the current lack of multilingual staff in areas such as counselling and academic advice.
3. The NUS demands for the increase in multilingual staff in areas such as psychological counselling and academic counselling.
4. The NUS demands for the important documents made available to students are prepared in a multilingual format.
5. The NUS recognises the gap in the expectation of English language proficiency required for a valid student visa as opposed to the entry requirement to University courses.
6. The NUS Education officer and international Officer will work with all the universities to run a campaign on the importance of plagiarism issues as it is affecting the international students in a major way.

#### Cultural

1. The NUS demands that Universities and Guilds put more emphasis on cultural sensitivity and awareness modules for all students to reduce discrimination and increase knowledge.

#### Placements

1. The NUS recognises that International students who are stuck abroad are missing out on placements here as part of their academic journey.
2. The NUS will work with all the universities to ensure that students are given equal opportunities to their domestic counterparts.

#### Insurance

1. The NUS demands that Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) providers focus more on mental health support and to ensure they endeavor to provide comprehensive coverage.

#### Accommodation

1. The NUS recognises that there has to be priority given to international students seeking housing from university services when borders re-open.
2. The NUS will work with Universities to ensure that International Students who are entering when the borders re-open are given a place to stay in residential colleges

#### Ethnocultural Policy:

1. The NUS recognises that there has to be more culturally diverse food options on campus catering to more faith groups
2. NUS represents these students and is tasked with standing up for them.
3. The NUS recognises the need for an ethnocultural department in student unions across the country to represent these students.
4. The NUS recognises that there has to be better sexual health services on campus to cater to the diverse community including multilingual staff.
5. The NUS will run more campaigns with the Ethnocultural and international officers to tackle sexual health stigmas and taboos that are faces by these communities.

## CONCLUSION

Overall, the NUS was a very eye opening experience for me and it showed how student politics works in the highest levels. Despite my heavy criticism of the organisation and the heavy disorganised nature it boasts, I do believe that the NUS does a lot for the students it represents. There are many movements that have taken place at the NUS such as saying no to 100k degrees that have saved students till this day. The NUS as our national body retains the respect of the National political bodies and allows us to collate the voices of thousands of students per campus and multiply that by the number of campuses across Australia. The shock I came across due to the processes are probably due to the fact that I am an International Student who is new to this type of politics but I have understood how it works. The NUS can definitely do more and I do sincerely hope that factionalism does not get in the way of the OBs work in this coming year which would be crucial for students as we get out of Covid-19.

I would like to thank the students of UWA for voting and trusting me to be their NUS delegate and bestowing me with such an honour. I hope I did justice to the role and the understanding of the NUS I received.

Best Regards,

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WASAC Chair  
GUILD COUNCIL REPORT  
31/03/2021

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## SUMMARY

This month was quite successful for WASAC. We held our first Cheap A\$\$ Tuesday, Indigenous Games trainings and an inaugural Fresher Challenge event. Engagement has improved but much needs to be done to ensure more Indigenous students elect to join WASAC.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
24/2/21	Self-Made Collab	Business collaboration
25/2/21	Equity and Diversity	Equity and Diversity
3/3/21	Guild Council Photos	Photos for Guild
17/3/21	WASAC Meeting	Fortnightly meeting
23/3/21	Uluru Statement From the Heart	Organisation of Uluru Statement Event
30/3/21	Welfare Council	Discuss welfare issues i.e. drinking culture
31/3/21	WASAC Meeting	Fortnightly meeting

## PROJECT UPDATE

### **Uluru Statement From the Heart**

Ongoing:

-Last week was Uluru Statement From the Heart's University Action Week and as Chair I collabed with other Indigenous university students on hosting a submission workshop. This is an important step in the event co-design for the Indigenous Voice to parliament and as such WASAC is considering hosting another later this semester.

### **Mentor/Mentee Program**

Completed:

-The mentor/mentee program did not inspire a lot of interest unfortunately so in collaboration with the School of Indigenous Studies the event was adjusted to host more than just Freshers and Orientation students. The goal was adjusted from facilitating relationships between older and newer university students to creating a chill environment for Indigenous students to meet each other and have fun. We did this by holding an amazing race and quiz night sans alcohol. This gained a 10% attendance of all Indigenous students at UWA.

### **Study Spaces**

Ongoing:

-The spaces at Bilya Marlee since its opening have been found to be lacking. Not only is this a difficulty for Post-graduate students who are limited to very few spaces, but other Indigenous students who also find it difficult to utilise the current spaces.

### **Constitution, ORIC Dissolution and SGM**

Ongoing:

-It has come to my attention that our current constitution is severely lacking and part of this reason has been linked to WASAC's attachment to ORIC (Office Registrar of Indigenous Corporations). This attachment has reduced WASAC's ability to focus on student needs therefore we have begun the process of writing up a new constitution. This will also allow WASAC to change its name to one that represents us

better as it lacks TSI representation presently. Therefore we will be holding an SGM to dissolve WASAC as an Indigenous corporation, change our name and motion a new constitution.

### **National Indigenous Games**

Ongoing:

-Much of the duties of National Indigenous Games has previously been undertaken by sports reps on WASAC. This has been seen as too big a task for students to undertake themselves and has thus been handed to UWASports.

### **Indigenous Strategy**

Ongoing:

-Review is still ongoing, looking at adapting the strategy to encompass real actions while being mindful of the chair or proxy's capacity.

### **Self-Made Collaboration**

Ongoing:

-Self-Made is an Indigenous run business that focuses on empowering Indigenous youth. They have reached out to WASAC to collaborate on a few events, one that upskills university students in order to connect Indigenous university students to Indigenous high school students to mentor them. Another event to network Indigenous student businesspeople with Indigenous businesses around Perth and WA.

## **FINANCES**

Screenshot & attach netsuite (if applicable)

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Achieved huge engagement with our Fresher Challenge event
- Organised our first Cheap A\$\$ Tuesday
- Begun fundraising for National Indigenous Games

## **DISCUSSION POINTS**

*Insert discussion points here*

Regards,



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GUILD COUNCIL REPORT  
23/02/2021

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## SUMMARY

The members of the Welfare Department are settling into their roles and making strong progress on their projects. The first welfare council to occur on the 30<sup>th</sup> of March, and planning for Welfare Week has begun. Meetings with Student Assist were had to figure out the purpose of the Welfare and Advocacy Committee, to ensure that it served an effective purpose. Invitations will be send out with the Committee beginning its work next month. The previous CaLD Rep on the Department stepped down due to personal recruitment, leading to a new round of recruitment and delays on the project.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
24/2/21	Meeting with Welfare Marketing	Creating Welfare Marketing Vision
3/3/21	Guild Alumni Event	Networking
4/3/21	Meeting with Student Assist	Planning and discussing purpose of Welfare and Advocacy committee
6/3/21	Meeting with Welfare Council Chair	Discussing Welfare Council and 2021 plans
6/3/21	Meeting with Welfare Campus Culture Rep	Discussing campus culture plans for 2021
6/3/21	Meeting with Welfare Men's Mental Health Rep	Discussing MMH plans for 2021
7/3/21	Welfare Department Weekly Meeting	Weekly Meeting
8/3/21	Monthly Meeting with Access Department	Discussion of collaboration initiatives, Access Week and Welfare Week
8/3/21	IT Training	IT training
14/3/21	Welfare Department Weekly Meeting	Weekly Meeting
15/3/21	Meeting with Student Assist	Further discussions around Welfare and Advocacy, Welfare Week and collaborations. Discussions on Food Pantry and Food Drive
16/3/21	Children's University Graduation	Formal event celebrating children's university graduation
16/3/21	Education Council	Education Council Meeting
18/3/21	Safer Communities WG Pre-Meeting	Discussion of Agenda Items
18/3/21	Safer Communities WG Meeting	Discussion of UWA App Hack, Lighting on Campus, Club event EMP process and reporting process.
19/3/21	Council Photos	Photos
21/3/21	Welfare Department Weekly Meeting	Weekly Meeting
22/3/21	Meeting UWA Choral Society Presidents	Discussing potential study/ opportunity for students to get involved with the choral society
22/3/21	Prosh Marshall Training	Marshall training
22/3/21	Ask Angela Meeting 2	Updates on project
22/3/21	Meeting Slavsoc President re: Welfare Council	Informing on purpose of the council
28/3/21	Welfare Department Weekly Meeting	Weekly meeting
29/3/21	Social Isolation Meeting	Updates on progress and work that needs to be done

29/3/21	Meeting with Welfare CaLD Rep	First meeting with new CaLD rep.
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## PROJECT UPDATE

### Fresher Wellbeing Packs

Wellbeing Packs moved to labelled tables at the libraries. Packs became very popular (especially among new students) and quickly were all taken.

### Initiative against social isolation

Invitations sent out for other departments to get involved. Timeline formalised with infographics to be released during Welfare Week

### Online support content

In response to an increasing amount of posting on UWALL and UWA Confessions, a post will be submitted to the admins of these platforms highlighting places individuals can go to for support – creating a more streamlined method of support rather than relying on individual student replies on these posts.

### Welfare Council

Welfare Council planning complete and first meeting to occur. Invitations and membership finalised.

### Afterpay online campaign

Financial wellbeing campaign around the dangers of afterpay and buy now/pay later services planned as part of a new focus on student-priority driven content

### CaLD Mental Health Stigma Panel Night

Planning begun

## FINANCES

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT (JAN 2021 - ADJUST 2021 )	COMPARATIVE AMOUNT (JAN 2020 - DEC 2020)	VARIANCE	% VARIANCE
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$703.50	\$640.17	\$63.33	9.89%
305079 - Theme Week	\$0.00	\$191.01	-\$191.01	-100.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$0.00	\$1,959.00	-\$1,959.00	-100.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$165.81	-\$165.81	-100.00%
305187 - Software Digital	\$123.36	\$616.99	-\$493.63	-80.01%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$826.86</b>	<b>\$3,572.98</b>	<b>-\$2,746.12</b>	<b>-76.86%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$826.86</b>	<b>\$3,572.98</b>	<b>-\$2,746.12</b>	<b>-76.86%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$826.86</b>	<b>-\$3,572.98</b>	<b>\$2,746.12</b>	<b>-76.86%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$826.86</b>	<b>-\$3,572.98</b>	<b>\$2,746.12</b>	<b>-76.86%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- None

## DISCUSSION POINTS

None

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GUILD COUNCIL REPORT  
24/02/2021

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## SUMMARY

This month the committee ran through the events planned which were the Club Carnival stall, IWD Panel at Sunset, Damsel Social Night and Women's Access Collective Mindfulness through Art. We are currently finalising plans for our End the Violence Week in Week 9, the Soroptimist Public Speaking Competition and the Women in Music event in Week 8 and Women in Sports Brunch. Our collaborations with Young Women Against Sexual Violence, Soroptimist International, the Curtin Women's Department and ECU Wellbeing Community are going ahead for our End the Violence week. Our main focus has been Sexual Assault Awareness Month and preparing additional support services for the predicted influx of students needing them in Semester 2 due to both the Respect Now Always Survey and National Student Safety Survey being released.

## MEETINGS ATTENDED

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
28/02/2021	Women's x Sports Meeting	Women in Sports event, 6-week gym program.
02/03/2021	Women's Dept Committee Meeting	Discussed upcoming events for the semester for Damsel and collectives.
03/03/2021	Women's Dept Exec Meeting	Brief on IWD plans.
08/03/2021	Meeting with Emma	Discussed women's room and other alternative spaces, discussed how to make room accessible 24/7 again.
10/03/2021	Women's Dept Exec Meeting	Weekly meeting.
11/03/2021	Meeting with HPU	Discussed ETVW and support avenues for survivors.
13/03/2021	Meeting Curtin Women's Guild	Solidarity event for SA awareness month.
15/03/2021	Women's Dept Committee Meeting	Briefed IWD event.
17/03/2021	Women's Dept Exec Meeting	Brief for ETVW plans.
18/03/2021	Safer Communities Working Group Meeting	Monthly meeting.
22/03/2021	Ask Angela Meeting	Project update with Emma, Welfare Department and Wellbeing Volunteers.
25/03/2021	Solidarity Meeting Collab	Meeting with Curtin Women's Dept, Access Dept and WASAC to discuss solidarity event for ETVW.
24/03/2021	Meeting with Soroptimist	Discussed Public Speaking Competition event.
24/03/2021	Women's Dept exec Meeting	Brief on Soroptimist and Women in Music events.
25/03/2021	Women's x GV Meeting	Discussed Highschool ed program.
25/03/2021	Women's x YWASV	Discussed ETVW collaboration, SA Awareness Month, What Were You wearing event and End of Year letters event.
27/03/2021	NUS SASH Survey	Discussed NSSS SASH survey.
29/03/2021	E&D Meeting	Monthly meeting.
29/03/2021	Women's Dept Committee Meeting	Briefed Soroptimist event, Women in Music event and End the Violence week.

## PROJECT UPDATE

### **End the Violence Week**

To increase awareness and support for women and persons with lived experience of misogyny during SA Awareness Month. We have planned educational and supportive events in collaboration with HPU, SARC, YWASV, Curtin Women's Department, Access Department and WASAC.

### **Expanding Ask Angela**

We have drafted a flowchart on how the project will be carried out with the Wellbeing Volunteers. Planning for it to be implemented in the EMP process.

### **Responding & Recognising to SA program in Highschool**

We have established a program outline with the support of Guild Volunteering. Potential to be a sister program to ManUp. Currently looking for a program coordinator and will have a callout for student volunteers.

### **UWA x Curtin x Access x WASAC Solidarity Event**

We are collaborating with Curtin Women's Guild Department, Access Department and WASAC for an End the Violence Week solidarity event on Oak Lawn to show support for survivors and students.

### **Reform UWA's Sexual Harassment and Assault Policies**

We have spoken to HPU and reached out to Tim McMahon to allow students to give feedback on the current policies and reporting systems. If this is approved, a working group will be established to provide input on future policy.

### **Expanding Women's Council**

This project has had a setback as our Women's Council Chair has withdrawn from UWA and the Women's Department, we are currently in contact with our new chair.

### **Monthly Self-defence workshop**

We have reached out to RheeTKD and SheWarrior to host monthly self-defence workshops. We have established a workshop during ETVW and during Women's Week.

### **Safe Space Initiative**

After speaking with HPU and looking into existing group therapy models. We want to introduce a support group for survivors as part of the Robert Winkler Clinic.

### **Mentoring Program**

After looking into the Women in Law mentoring Scheme by Blackstone, we want to model our mentoring program after this for undergraduate students and adjustments for disciplines outside of law and to pair postgraduate/3<sup>rd</sup> year/2<sup>nd</sup> year students with incoming students. We plan to launch this in semester 2.

## FINANCES

### Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>				
305024 - Campaigns	\$0.00	\$250.00	-\$250.00	0.00%
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	-\$1,000.00	0.00%
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$0.00	\$160.00	-\$160.00	0.00%
305079 - Theme Week	\$0.00	\$500.00	-\$500.00	0.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$0.00	\$3,540.00	-\$3,540.00	0.00%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$12.00	\$0.00	\$12.00	0.00%
305109 - Cleaning Consumables	\$0.00	\$63.00	-\$63.00	0.00%
305117 - Conferences	-\$550.76	\$3,000.00	-\$3,550.76	-18.36%
305147 - General Expenses	\$441.50	\$1,500.00	-\$1,058.50	29.43%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$59.09	\$0.00	\$59.09	0.00%
305181 - Publications	\$134.84	\$200.00	-\$65.16	67.42%
305187 - Software Digital	\$20.56	\$2,300.00	-\$2,279.44	0.89%
305333 - Workshops and seminars	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	-\$1,000.00	0.00%
<b>Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$117.23</b>	<b>\$13,513.00</b>	<b>-\$13,395.77</b>	<b>0.87%</b>
<b>Total - Expenses</b>	<b>\$117.23</b>	<b>\$13,513.00</b>	<b>-\$13,395.77</b>	<b>0.87%</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>-\$117.23</b>	<b>-\$13,513.00</b>	<b>\$13,395.77</b>	<b>0.87%</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>-\$117.23</b>	<b>-\$13,513.00</b>	<b>\$13,395.77</b>	<b>0.87%</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Club Carnival stall.
- IWD panel night.
- Program outline for Responding & Recognising to SA program in Highschool.
- Program outline for Mentoring Program.

## DISCUSSION POINTS

n/a

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