

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COMMITTEE - MEETING SNAPSHOT

Here's a brief overview of the key decisions made and matters discussed by the Student Representative Committee (SRC) on 2 August 2018.

Overview

The full minutes of this meeting will also be on the website once they are ratified at the next meeting of the SRC (this will be held on 27 August 2018). The minutes are the formal record of the decisions made by the SRC, but the outline below gives you an overview of the important issues dealt with at the latest meeting.

Decisions made by the SRC

The SRC made the following decisions:

- **Council of International Students Australia (CISA) Membership:** The SRC become a member of CISA, given that the cost of this membership is covered by Campus Engagement.
- Affiliation with the Union of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students (UATSIS): The SRC continue affiliation with the UATSIS until the 31st December 2018 free of financial implication.
- **Postgraduate Funds:** The SRC will plan postgraduate activities that meet the criteria of the Macquarie University Postgraduate Representative Association (MUPRA) fund.
- **Funding Applications:** The SRC approved the following grant applications:
 - Clinical Science Society \$2,120.69 for the Clinical Science Society's Dementia Awareness Trivia event.
 - Medicine Society \$1,500 for the inaugural Medball hosted by the Macquarie University Medicine Society.
 - Sustainability Society \$300 for the Sustainability Squad to build a trial mug wall in the Campus Common.

and note the following approved funding application by the Treasurer prior to this meeting due to time constrain:

- Politics Society \$3,000 for the Politics Society to subsidies attendees for the Asian Pacific Model United Nationals conference (AMUNC).
- **Revised SRC Constitution:** The SRC endorse the amendment made to the SRC Constitution approved by the Student Experience Committee (SEC) on 29 May 2018.

Other Matters

SRC also noted:

- a presentation from Penny Huisman, Respect. Now. Always Project Lead, on the Respect. Now. Always project and action plan launch;
- a presentation from John Durbridge, Campus Security Manager, and Sandra Murphy, Communications Specialist, Macquarie University Property, on the University's Parking Strategy;
- a presentation from Matthew Rodney, Student Grievance and Disciplinary Manager, on the development of complaints, appeal and discipline handling processes;
- the June 2018 Expenditure Report from the Treasurer;
- the next meeting of the Re:Conception Steering Committee will be held on Tuesday 7 August 2018 at 1.00 pm in Room 440, 18 Wally's Walk;
- updates from the University Council on the University strategy, PACE opportunity and the train station closure;
- updates from the Student Experience Committee on the charge station, SRC communication platforms, SRC record of minutes, SRC meeting attendance and SRC reporting requirements to the SEC;
- updates from the Sub-Committees on gender neutral bathrooms, O-week, election for student publications and Re:Conception meeting; and
- Special thanks to Alexander Hablutzel and all SRC members who attended the SRC stall during O-Week.