



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 30 April 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 31 May 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:

- **Train Station Temporary Closure:** The SRC:
 - express concern over the sufficiency of proposed rail replacement services and calls for further actions by Transport for NSW to address constraints and improve connections;
 - recommend to the university that the university conveys this position of the SRC to Transport for NSW;
 - support consultation with the student body to gain feedback from students about the impact of the announced changes and work with Transport Project team to communicate and improve the process;
 - delegate the Infrastructure Sub-committee to engage the university to access findings from existing consultation processes conducted by the university in relation to transport changes in Macquarie Park.
- **Re:Conception 2018:** The SRC contribute \$50,000 to the 2018 Re:Conception budget.
- **Funding Application from the Debating Society:** The SRC approved a partial funding amount of \$2,000 towards the Australasian Intervarsity Championships and the Women's Debating Championships events. The SRC recommended the Debating Society to submit another funding application for consideration later in the year for the World University Debating Championships (Worlds) event.

Other Matters

SRC also noted:

- a presentation from the Chair of the Senate Learning and Teaching Committee (SLTC), Dr Mitch Parsell, on the new Academic Integrity Policy;
- a presentation from the Program Manager, Macquarie University Train Station Upgrade, Carly Roy, on the Train Station Temporary Closure Update. Students are invited to [register](#) for the Student Townhall session, run by Macquarie University Train Station Upgrade and Transport for NSW representatives on 10 May 2018 at 10 – 11 am.
- the March 2018 Expenditure Report from the Treasurer;
- the next meeting of the Re:Conception Steering Committee will be held on the 1 May at 1pm;
- the issue of power points in the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences Student Services and the Library areas and recommended Property to implement a regular check on power points around campuses.
- updates from the University Council on the train station closure and the launch of [Lighthouse Portal](#) to promote the University's research stories;
- Breakfast Bar planning and encouraged members to get involved;
- the current Sub-committees' membership; and
- updates from the Sub-Committees.

The Committee thank Milind Lokhande for his contribution during his term on the SRC.