



## SRC MEETING MINUTES FOR 26<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2018 AT 18:00PM IN ROOM 2-20 ROOSMARYN

### **1. OPENING AND WELCOME**

1.1 Mamello welcomed everyone present and officially opened the meeting.

### **2. ATTENDANCE**

#### 2.1 Present:

Mamello Molotsi

Duane Jeffrey van Wyk (no uniform)

Kyle Goosen

Janie Geldenhuys

Soraia Machado

Mone Erasmus (no uniform)

Akhona Mdunge

Lihle Ngubane

Stanford Ndlovu

Kwena Moloto (No uniform)

Jodie Chikowi

Romario Roman

Phindile Makhomboti

Aaron Masemola

#### 2.2 Absent with apology:

Obakeng Sepeng

Lindi Mtsweni

Therese Rodink

#### 2.3 Late with apology:

Kutlwano Mositi

#### 2.4 Absent without apology:

Lindi Mtsweni

### **3. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA AND PREVIOUS MINUTES**

3.1 The previous minutes were accepted and the agenda was adopted.

### **4. FEEDBACK FROM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

4.1 Kwena announced that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May the SASCO and SRC hearing will be held with the Constitutional Tribunal.

### **5. MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED**

#### **5.1 NSFAS**

Akhona says that NSFAS is still processing applications for those who applied last year. He also said that appeals for NSFAS applications has also started and we would need to start fundraising to assist the students whose appeal would not be successful.

Romario said we should negotiate with the university to allow NSFAS students access to their exam results.

Mamello asked about the students who applied for SRC study finance in the beginning of the year and still waiting to get the money. Akhona said all cases should be given to him so he can assist those whose applications were successful.

## **5.2 Step it UP**

Mone announced that the event will be held next Wednesday and Thursday and the finals will be held Saturday. The interim name of the event will be called "Step it UP".

Duane asked how many residences will be participating and Mone said 14 residences will be participating, however next year the event will be open to faculty houses.

Kwena asked the residence representatives as to what can be done to get more residence participation.

Heidi said that residences were reluctant to participate because the Executive of the university took very long to approve the event.

Janie brought to the attention that there is a FES leadership training programme happening in the same time and she asked the executive to postpone the training and reschedule.

Romario asked that the event be rescheduled for the first week of second semester.

Mone said that the cost to attend is R5 for prelims.

## **5.3 Siyaphumelela Conference**

Soraia announced that two representatives must be sent to the Siyaphumelela Conference.

Romario Roman, Phindile Makhomboti and Duane Jeffrey van Wyk nominated themselves will be going to the conference in June.

## **5.4 CSG amendments**

Mamello asked the office of the Secretary and Marketing representative to make the amendments public.

A student approached the SRC for a public apology regarding the time frame from feedback from students for CSG amendments.

Kwena says that we are not constitutionally mandated to open it up to students as it was not a referendum and the students who are complaining about this are students who shut down Student Forum.

Kutlwano added that the SRC made an effort to include students in the process especially when Mamello was to propose CSG amendments at the Student Forum.

Heidi said that anyone who wanted to propose amendments would have and the SRC should rather draft a statement to clarify procedures.

Kwena said that a statement should be drafted with proposed amendments and posted as well as sent to all Faculty Chairs.

## **6. OTHER MATTERS ARISING**

### **6.1 Fundraising**

Kwena has been negotiating with the Marketing sector of the university to create a sustainable cash flow for study finance. The proposed idea is a Pledging Campaign "UP Pledge" for alumni to pledge money to study finance.

There is also plans for a Gala Dinner for a fundraising event where influential people will be invited to raise funds.

### **6.2 Food Containers**

Kwena spoke about the R7.50 meals needing a container to be prepared and sold. CRC Cares would be willing to assist the SRC with this initiative. The project would be sustainable and would cost R350 000 to start and the CRC would also assist with the fundraising for this.

Mone asked what role the CRC would play in this initiative. Kwena said that from his understanding the CRC is simply assisting students and make a difference.

Janie asked if this would link to the SNAP program. Kwena said that students would be able to use their student cards.

Lihle asked where the food containers will be placed. Kwena said that it would be near the parking by agricultural annex or the parking by Kloostersal.

### **6.3 Hopeline**

Kwena has been engaging Hopeline where they are willing to assist students with mental health issues. A social worker would be sent to the student who is in the crisis.

### **6.4 Student Forum**

Student Forum will be held on the 16<sup>th</sup> of May 2018. Kutlwano asks that all quarterly reports be sent to Kyle and himself to post. All questions will be sent by the 14<sup>th</sup> of May and must be answered as soon as possible for SRC members to answer the questions.

Romario asked that if SRC members can submit their first quarterly report along with anything that has been done since. The reason would be that we were not able to account for what was done for the first quarter.

Janie asked that the Student Forum be posted on the Whatsapp group so it can be shared. Kutlwano asks that Faculty houses post notifications of the student forum on their click up tabs. Kutlwano asks that residences could also please post it around residences. Heidi and Aaron asked that it be emailed to TUKS RES to be posted on screens.

Soraia also announced that the mass meeting will be held on the 8<sup>th</sup> of May and that processes for an SRC Meet and Greet on external campuses is being organised.

**7. TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

7.1 5<sup>th</sup> of May 2018 at 13:30pm.

**8. CLOSURE**

8.1 Kwena officially closed the meeting and thanked all members present.

I, KWENA MOLOTO AND SORAIA MACHADO, CERTIFY THAT THESE MINUTES ARE A TRUE REFLECTION OF THE EVENTS THAT TRANSPIRED IN THE SRC MEETING.

KWENA  
SRC PRESIDENT

SORAIA  
SRC SECRETARY



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