

# **MINUTES**

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY LAW SOCIETY INC. ABN 49 844 560 526

Minutes of Executive Meeting held on: 21/03/2024

Chair: Amante Abela

Minute taker: John Mentzines

Meeting opened: 7:05 pm

### **Present:**

Danielle Tweedale President

Priya Mehra Vice President (Careers)

Ellie Mangharam Vice President (Education)

Jessica Xu Vice President (Social Justice)

John Mentzines Secretary
Amante Abela Treasurer

Antonia Odegbaro Sponsorship Director

Mounica Akula Social Director Zara Paleologos Social Director

Kiana Asgari Competitions Director
Daniel Kim Competitions Director

Charlie Hua Sports Director

Ben Cullen Campus Director

Kate Sinchilo Publications Director

Phan Vu International Student Officer

Jessica Pens Women's Officer
Yoyo Chien Design Director
Yuan Tran Marketing Director
Stef Howes First Nations Officer
Sara Wardak Ethnocultural Officer

Apologies: Kira Trahana, Juan Facundo Majul Fajardo, Sarah Huffman

#### Absent:

Late Arrivals: Zara Paleologos (7:10 pm), Antonia Odegbaro (7:13 pm), Kiana Asgari (7:51 pm)

Early Departures: Zara Paleologos (7:50 pm)



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## 1 Welcome and Apologies

The Chair welcomed attendees to the meeting and delivered an Acknowledgement of Country. Apologies were received from Kira Trahana, Juan Facundo Majul Fajardo and Sarah Huffman.

**Motion:** To accept the apologies received from Kira Trahana, Juan Facundo Majul Fajardo and Sarah Huffman for the Executive Meeting taking place on 21 March 2024.

Moved: Amante Abela Seconded: Ben Cullen

The motion carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

### 2 Procedural Matters

**Motion**: That the public minutes from the Executive Meeting held 14 March 2024 be approved as a correct and accurate record of the meeting.

Moved: Amante Abela

Seconded: Danielle Tweedale

The motion carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

## 3 Capacity Check In & Chair of Next Week's Executive Meeting

Amante requested that every member of the Executive fill in the capacity check in.

Daniel was chosen as the chair of next week's meeting.

Motion: To appoint Daniel Kim as the chair of the week 6 Executive Meeting.

Moved: Amante Abela Seconded: Sara Wardak

The motion carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

### 4 Shoutouts

Dani shouted out Ben for his help at the talk by Judge Abbe Fletman on Thursday and every member of the Executive who helped out at the Committee Training Day on Tuesday.

Ben shouted out Daniel and Kiana for their work on competitions.

Daniel thanked Kiana for all the judging she has done and every member of the Executive who judged a competition.

Stef shouted out Jess Xu for bringing in the vacuum for the SULS Office.



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### 5 What's on this Week

Ben outlined all of the events that are occurring this week.

Jess Pens outlined the Women's Dress for Success Volunteer Drive and encouraged members of the Executive to bring in corporate items of clothing.

Dani explained that Interfaculty Trivia is occurring next Thursday and asked if some members of the Executive could come early to help set up the event.

#### 6 Moot Court

Dani explained that the moot court area would be closed on Monday for exams and that no one should go in unless they are attending an exam.

## 7 Marketing Photography

Yuan explained that if executives have events that they want photography for then they should fill in the photography request form because those events will be given priority.

## 8 Budget Discussions (In Camera)

Dani explained that there were a number of budget decisions to be made and that it was necessary to move in camera.

Motion: That the meeting move in camera.

Moved: Amante Abela Seconded: Priya Mehra

The motion carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

[In camera discussion]

**Motion:** That the meeting move out of camera.

Moved: Danielle Tweedale Seconded: Ben Cullen

The motion carried unanimously with zero abstentions.

#### 9 Other Business

Dani explained that motions would be introduced at the upcoming SULS Annual General Meeting to implement the Executive's decision regarding conflicts with the USU. Dani noted that three years ago similar motions were not approved by members and that it was therefore important to seek member approval for these changes instead of implementing them through the Bylaws.

Meeting closed: 8:26 pm