

Full-Time Officer Group (FTOG)

Online Meeting (via Zoom)

Present

Florence Craddock, Sports Officer **(SO) (Chair)**
 Acacia Matthews, Guild President **(President)**
 Tinajie (Alice) Liu, International Officer **(IO)** (arrived at 12:30).

Also in Attendance

Jo Thomas, Chief Executive **(JT)**
 Sam Jones, Executive Assistant **(SJ)** (note taker)

Apologies

Benjamin Lockley, Postgraduate Officer **(PGO)**
 Vanessa Chigariro, Education Officer **(EO)**
 Reeve Isaacs-Smith, Welfare & Community Officer **(WCO)**
 Isobel Lawson, Activities & Employability Officer **(AEO)**

The Chair welcomed everyone and the meeting started at 12:05.

No	Item for Discussion	Notes	Action
1	Minutes 17.02.23	The Chair presented the minutes of the previous meeting, dated Monday 17th April 2023, for the Officer Team's approval. The Officer Team approved the minutes as an accurate record of the previous meeting.	Noted Approved
2	Birmingham Fair Housing Campaign	The Officer Team agreed to defer this item to the following agenda.	Noted
3	Marking & Assessment Boycott	The Officer Team discussed the planned UCU Marking and Assessment Boycott. JT noted that across the sector feedback had been very poor towards some University's which had withheld 100% of wages from staff participating in the boycott. The Officer Team discussed the University's handling of the strike action.	Noted
4	Sudan Crisis	The Officer Team discussed the crisis in Sudan, noting that Sudanese students had reached out to the Guild for support. The Officer Team discussed plans to lobby the University for targeted support for the affected students. The President noted plans for Guild communications to students affected. The Officer Team discussed requests from the media for statements. The IO agreed to liaise with the Sudanese society. The Officer Team noted their support and solidarity with Sudanese students affected by the civil war.	IO Noted

5	Officer Diaries	The Officer Team discussed their diaries for the week ahead and possible clashes.	Noted
		President – Investment’s Sub-Committee meeting, NHS West Midlands Gambling Harms meeting, Campaigns Committee.	Noted
		IO – CQAAC, Student EDI Officer Interview, Head of International Mobility Interviews.	Noted
		WCO – Auschwitz visit, A/L.	Noted
		SO – University Misconduct Hearing, Sports Awards Nominations Review, LES College Education Committee.	Noted
		AEO – Chair’s Network meeting, MDX, Committee Celebration event.	Noted
		PGO – Auschwitz visit, PGTA forum, Collaborative Provision Committee.	Noted
6	Projects	EO – Auschwitz visit, ‘Mindful Mocktails’ session, Guild Education Committee.	Noted
		All Officers – Language Café.	Noted
6	Projects	The SO noted that the UB Sport Alumni Sports Day had been confirmed for the 24 th June, organised to coincide with the Community Wardens’ Selly Sports Day. The SO noted plans for inter-club and alumni matches, food stalls.	Noted
		The IO joined the meeting at 12:30	Noted
7	Schools/Colleges/ Dubai Update	No Items noted.	Noted
8	Part-Time Officers	No Items noted.	Noted
9	AOB	JT noted a request from DARO for content for the alumni newsletter for May 2023.	Noted

The Chair closed the meeting at 12:40.