Agenda for OCTOBER 14 SRC Meeting

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#  1. Welcome, Introduction, and Apologies

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| **Attendees:** |

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| Expected members | Attendance (YES/NO) |
| 1. Rameez
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| 1. Sanjay
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| 1. Sabrina
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| 1. Jasmine
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| 1. Dharshini
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| 1. Romonda
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| 1. Razin
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| 1. Sara
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| 1. Julian
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| 1. Robert
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| 1. Crystal
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| 1. Aakanksha
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| 1. Jordan
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| 1. Emilee
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| **Apologies:**  | 1. **Cameron**
2. **Tiffany**
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| **Student Observers:** |  |
| **Staff:** |  |

*President to call for apologies to be noted.*

# 2. Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians of the Land

*First Nations Representative (Chair in absence) to give the acknowledgement of Country.*

# 3. Declarations of Interest

*President to call for Declaration of conflicts of Interest.*

# 4. Starring of Items

*President to call for the starring of items in Section 11. Any motion is considered passed unanimously.*

# 5. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

*President to ask if last minutes have been received.*

**Motion:** That the minutes of the last SRC meeting be considered received.
Mover: Secretary

Seconder:
Status: Passed/ Not Passed

*President to ask if last minutes were accurate.*

**Motion:** That the minutes of the last SRC meeting in Business Paper A be considered a true record of the last meeting.
Mover: Secretary

Seconder:
Status: Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

# 6. Confirmation of Member Reports

*President to ask if Member Reports are accurate.*

**Motion:** That the Member’s Reports in Business Paper B be received and accepted.
Mover: Secretary

Seconder:
Status: Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

# 7. Action Sheet

*President to go through Action Items in Business Paper C.*

# 8. President’s Report

*President to address the SRC.*

# 9. Report from Student Community

**Motion 9.1**:

That the SRC:

1. Receive the report from Student Community in **Attachment F**
2. Accept the report from Student Community in **Attachment F**

**Standing Agenda Item**

**Status:** Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

## Motion 9.1 (Guest speaker: Natalie Bradbury)

Following a recent Student Disciplinary Panel investigation into a complaint against a member of the SRC, the panel wishes to impress upon all SRC members the responsibility that comes with being the custodians of student funds.

The panel recommends that the SRC consider and approve amendments to the Student Representation Procedures to give effect to some additional protections  as follows:

* Expenditure over $500 by SRC members should be explicitly approved by the SRC before any budget request is made; evidence of the resolution approving the specific expenditure or event budget approval must be appended to the request;
* SRC events should not be capped or limited unless there is a valid reason to do so and this must be expressly approved by the SRC; this is to ensure that events are as accessible and inclusive as possible;
* Cash donations at SRC events should not be allowed.

**Moved:** President:

**Seconded:** Secretary

**Status:** Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed / to be adjourned to next meeting

# 10. Committee Reports

*President to open discussion on Business Paper G.*

## Motion 10.1: Committee reports

That the SRC:

1. Receive the Committee Reports in Business Paper G
2. Accept the Committee Reports in Business Paper G be accepted as a true record.
3. Refers any Committee that has failed to meet its requirements under the Procedures to the Executive for investigation.

**Moved:** President:

**Seconded:** Secretary

**Status:** Passed/ Passed as amended/ Not Passed

# 11. Business of the Council

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| *Voting template* |
| *Members present* | *In favor (Yes)* | *Against (No)* | *Abstain (non-vote)* | *Result* |
| *Xx* | *Xx* | *Xx* | *Xx* | *Motion passed/denied* |

## Motion 11.1: Pool Table for Level 1 at Liverpool Campus

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| **Issue** | Feedback shared from Campus Stalls suggest students want a more sociable campus experience, with suggestion of another pool table |
| **Date** | October/November |
| **Mover** | Romonda Eid  |
| **Seconder** | Sabrina Young |

*Issue Description:* The Level 1 area at Liverpool Campus has a “sad vibe” to it. Spending time at my own Campus running my Campus Stall meetings, I have accumulated feedback from students who have asked for a more sociable Campus environment. A lot of the feedback was asking for a new/second pool table to help encourage students to stay back and socialize with others and experience that enriching University life experience, rather than attending classes and then leaving straight after.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:* The Students at Liverpool Campus are the main cohort who are impacted by this agenda item. I think it is important that the students know that their SRC member is listening to them, hence why giving them what they are asking would be ideal.

*Recommendation:* I recommend that the SRC allocates a Budget of $1000 -1500 from the VPA Budget, for the purpose of purchasing an affordably new pool table.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:* A pool table is quite costly however, there are some affordable ones online which can be quite practical to buy with a VPA budget of $1000-1500.

*Budget Impact:*

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| **Items** | **Quotes/Cost** |
| Option 1: Pool Table 7ft 4-in1 – T & R Sports | $1259.99 |
| Option2: Pool Table 7ft - Bunnings | $749.99 |
| Option 3: Pool Table 8ft - Catch | $799 |

**Proposed Action:**

## Motion 11.2: Bar Fridge for Level 1 and Spoons Room Level 5 - Liverpool Campus

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| **Issue** | With the warmer months approaching the students will benefit from a refrigerator to keep their lunches and drinks cool. It will also work well for Community Lunches, as this is the main area of socialization, and having ingredients stocked in the fridge (level 1, and The Free Little Pantry is located on this level). It is practical to have a bar fridge for students on Level 5 – The Spoons Room, seeing it is a special area for registered Disability students for the same reasons. |
| **Date** | October/November |
| **Mover** | Romonda Eid  |
| **Seconder** | Robert Reed |

*Issue Description:* The Level 1 area at Liverpool Campus needs a bar fridge to accommodate for the students’ lunches, drinks and possible frequent Community Lunches. With the Summer and warmer months fast approaching, it will be ideal to have a fridge where students can store their drinks and lunches so that they can stay cool and for implementation of healthy lifestyle and well-being. (Juices, shakes, protein shakes) Ideally, a large fridge would work best however, keeping mind the space at level 1, I would be happy for a bar fridge to be brought into trial.

This idea works well with the Free Little Pantry, which Is also located on Level 1, with milks being purchased and put in the pantry, it would be fantastic to be able to purchase perishables which are then stored in the fridge for students ready to use in the warmer months. It’s also more hygienic as use by dates are visible on chilled Dairy products, whereas cartons of milk often require a “discard after opening within 7 days” use by, which is not always easy to remember or practical for people to write dates on cartons. This is a wasteful setting, which can be avoided.

The Spoons Room on Level 5 will also benefit from a bar fridge seeing the registered students with disabilities need to be shown the same respect as those who are not with the service. For the same purpose of having a place to store your lunch, drinks and foods. This is ideal as it is a necessity and demonstrates my commitment and voice of the community cohort. I believe the students deserve to enjoy their university experience, all while feeling safe, and keeping healthy.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:* The Students at Liverpool Campus are the main cohort who are impacted by this agenda item. I think it is important that the students know that their SRC members are looking out for them. I think the use of a fridge would be very beneficial for all students and staff.

The Upcoming Liverpool Lunches through Community Lunches, will benefit with a fridge located on Level 1, seeing the lunches will be held on this level. The Spoons Room will benefit the fridge as it allows registered students to experience a quieter, more calm area of “normal” which other students will experience on level 1.

*Recommendation:* I recommend that the SRC allocates a Budget of $500 from the VPA Budget, for the purpose of purchasing an affordable bar fridge/small refrigerator for levels 1 and 5.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:* A bar fridge is necessary for the warmer months and should be available for students to store their lunches and drinks. It will help greatly with the Liverpool Lunches, Free Little Pantry items can be given a broader option of perishables e.g., cold milks and cheeses, and level 5 – Spoons Room - will benefit a fridge for all the right reasons that nonregistered disability students do i.e. to keep their food cool, and healthy. The VPA budget of $500 will be reasonable for a bar fridge.

*Budget Impact:*

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| **Items** | **Quotes/Cost** |
| Option 1: Esatto Bar Fridge 123L – Kogan (EBF129W) | $318 |
| Option 2: Esatto 93L Bar Fridge – Appliances Online (EBF95W) (Spoons Room) | $379 |
| Option 3: Esatto 123L Stainless Steel Bar Fridge (9EBF129) - Catch | $328 |

**Proposed Action:**

## Motion 11.3: Extra tables and chairs on Level 1 – Liverpool Campus

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| Issue | More seating areas for students to socialise and eat  |
| Date | October/November  |
| Mover | Romonda Eid  |
| Seconder |   |

*Issue Description:*Given feedback from Liverpool Campus students, the likes of a more inviting and comfortable seating area for students to socialise and have their lunch has been brought up quite a bit in feedback. They suggested more tables and chairs to make the Level 1 area more friendly and sociable looking. I will add to that, bean bags and comfortable (and practical) seating.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*Ultimately, the whole Liverpool Campus will be impacted by this Agenda as it will provide a comfortable and safe space for all Liverpool students to socialise and enjoy their lunch. Basically, the aim of all agenda’s are to transform Level 1 into an exciting space for the Liverpool cohort as it’s been brought to my attention that Liverpool Campus is “dead”, “boring”, “unapproachable”.. my aim is to transform Liverpool into a fun, safe and exciting space for all students. Starting with Level 1.

*Recommendation:*I recommend that the SRC allocates a Budget of $2000-3000 on extra tables and chairs, bean bags and novelties for Level 1.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*The cost of tables and chairs from IKEA or Bunnings can be quite affordable. There’s also plenty of affordable options for bean bags and novelties from K-Mart and cheap novelty stalls. Basic justification relies heavily upon the recommendations and feedback from the C-Stall meetings, which I’ve been hosting at Liverpool every alternating Wednesday.

*Budget Impact:*

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| Option 1 Items: Torparo Table + 4 chairs w armrests – IKEA (x4) Price - $369eaOption 2 Items: HomeStar 5Pc Dining Set Heme Dining Table 120cm White W/ 4Pc Dining Chair Yellow – Bunnings (x4) Price - $495ea Option 3 Items: Giantex 5 PCS Modern Dining Table Set Dining & 4 Chairs Home Furniture Set for Kitchen Dining Room White – Catch.com (x4) Price - $329.90ea Items: Bean Bags – Catch.com Variety of stores selling.. Price range $30-50ea  |  |

Proposed Action:

## Motion 11.4: Funding for WSU Filipino Student Society and the WSU Mental Health Well-being Team

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| **Issue** | WSU Filipino Student Society and the WSU Mental Health Well-being Team are requesting financial support from the Western SRC |
| **Date** | 26/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Crystal |
| **Seconder** | Rameez |

*Issue Description:*

A Western Sydney Student and community lead initiative by the WSU Filipino Student Society providing further resources and support to Filipino young people regarding cross-cultural awareness and well-being is taking place, and the Western SRC should endeavour to support clubs who provide culturally aware services to students

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students, particularly members of the Filipino community and the WSU Filipino Student Society

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC provide financial support to the **WSU Filipino Student Society and the WSU Mental Health Well-being Team**

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

**WSU Filipino Student Society** will be the only stall that will be promoting positive cultural well-being and mental health within the Filipino community through promoting Bayanihan events and culturally relevant topics around mental health and well-being within the Filipino community living in Western Sydney, Australia.

*Budget Impact:*

T-shirts x 15 @ $45 each = $775

Banners x 2 @ 240 each =$480

$145 for printing flyers and other printing needs for photo booth.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC agrees they will help to promote and profile the importance of mental health and wellbeing for FSS and wider community at the 32nd Sydney Grand Philippine Kultura Fiesta, Australia's largest Filipino food & cultural festival - who have provided two free stalls to promote Bayanihan to the wider Filipino community
2. assigns $2000 to WSU Filipino Student Society, to assist with the expenditure listed in the attached budget
3. The Ethno-Cultural representative provide a report to the council as to why effective advocacy is important as a member of the SRC, as well as the improvement to student life that this initiative will allow under their advocacy

## Motion 11.5: WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society Graduation Ball Funding

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| **Issue** | NaMMs is requesting funding from the SRC in support of their Graduation Ball |
| **Date** | 23/06/2022 |
| **Mover** | Crystal |
| **Seconder** | Jordan |

*Issue Description:*

The WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society have requested funding for their upcoming event ‘Graduation Ball’

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students interested in healthcare and health science, particularly members of the healthcare community and WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC provide funding to the WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society in support of their upcoming event ‘Graduation Ball’

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will encourage students to join the club, as they are one the largest student societies at WSU, and regularly advocate for improved health services

*Budget Impact:*

Amount requesting – $9,000

*Explanatory Budget notes:*

First deposit paid - $4300

Second deposit paid - $4300

Calculations -

Minimum spend - $16,200.00 (INC GST), Food and beverage rate $135 per person

Owing balance after deposits - $7,600 (min. spend)

Bond - $1000 Holding payment to ensure there are no damages to the venue. After site inspection of the venue the bond is refunded to the client post event.

Bar staff – $350, Balloons - $1090, Cake - $600, Branded signage $1000, Audio- visuals - $770

Flower wall - $550, Photobooth - $600, Photography/Videography - $450, Mahana Glass 350ml (Favours exl. delivery ) 150 pieces - $1,646.40, Security - $ 600

Total - $24,856.40

Paid - $8,600

Guests to pay (min spend. pending) - $7,600

Required - $8,656.40

Amount requesting – $9,000

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC allocate $9000 dollars to the upcoming WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society event titled ‘Graduation Ball’ to assist with the expenditure listed in the attached budget, and thank the WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society for their continued advocacy for Nursing and Midwifery students at Western Sydney U.
2. The Ethno-Cultural Representative shall provide a report to the Western SRC highlighting the importance of effective event planning, why the SRC will only support events that are planned effectively, how the WSU Nursing and Midwifery Students Society have continued to produce quality events for its members, and the effects of failing to deliver events that have been publicly promised without approval from Student Community

## Motion 11.6: Report from the Disciplinary Panel

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| **Issue** | Report from the Disciplinary Panel |
| **Date** | 20/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Rameez |
| **Seconder** | Sabrina  |

The panel recommends that the SRC consider and approve amendments to the Student Representation Procedures to give effect to some additional protections as follows:

* Expenditure over $500 by SRC members should be explicitly approved by the SRC before any budget request is made; evidence of the resolution approving the specific expenditure or event budget approval must be appended to the request;
* SRC events should not be capped or limited unless there is a valid reason to do so and this must be expressly approved by the SRC; this is to ensure that events are as accessible and inclusive as possible;
* Cash donations at SRC events should not be allowed.

## Motion 11.7: Amendments to Schedule 2

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| **Issue** | Report from the Disciplinary Panel |
| **Date** | 20/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Rameez |
| **Seconder** | Jordan |

The current system of assigning campus reps is not working. There are far too many vacancies in smaller campuses. All votes should be valued the same that is not the case, Parramatta South with over 10,000 students has the same number of representatives as Liverpool with less than3000 students.

I move:

1. The Western SRC repeals Section 3 of Schedule 2 – Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.
2. The Western SRC inserts the following to be Section 3 of Schedule 2 – Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.

**Student Representative Council (SRC)- Campus Representatives**

3. The Student Representative Council (SRC) shall have 9 Campus Representatives split between 3 multi-representative zones:

1. South West Zone

* 1. The South West Zone shall consist of
		1. Bankstown Campus
		2. Campbelltown Campus
		3. Liverpool Campus

* 1. Only students enrolled in this zone may be elected as a representative from this Zone.

1. Western Zone
	1. The Western Zone shall consist of
		1. Hawkesbury Campus
		2. Penrith Campus
		3. Nirimba Campus

* 1. Only students enrolled in this zone may be elected as a representative from this Zone.

1. Eastern and Central Zone
	1. The Central Zone shall consist of
		1. Parramatta Campus
		2. Parramatta City Campus
		3. Sydney CBD Campus
		4. Westmead Campus
		5. Homebush Campus

* 1. Only students enrolled in this zone may be elected as a representative from this Zone.
1. Before each SRC election, the Manager of Student Representation and Participation shall issue a Determination setting out the number of representatives each Zone receives.

1. The allocation of representatives shall be proportional to the number of students enrolled in each zone. However, each Zone shall have a minimum of 2 representatives.

Transitional arrangements

1. The following provisions shall apply between the 2022 SRC election and the 2023 SRC election.

1. When any Campus Representative position that was unfilled in the 2022 SRC Election goes to an EOI, it shall be open to all students in the relevant zone and not just that particular campus.

1. When any Campus Representative position that becomes vacant prior to the 2023 SRC Election goes to an EOI it shall be open to all students in the relevant zone and not just that particular campus.

1. The Manager may remove these transitional provisions from the Schedule once the Transitional period has expired.

1. The Western SRC repeals Section 4 of Schedule 2 – Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.
2. The Western SRC inserts the following to be Section 4 of Schedule 2 – Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.

Campus Student Representative Bodies

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a. Each of the following campuses shall have a Campus Committee:

* Bankstown Campus
* Campbelltown Campus
* Liverpool Campus
* Parramatta Campus
* Parramatta City Campus
* Sydney CBD Campus
* Westmead Campus
* Homebush Campus
* Hawkesbury Campus
* Penrith Campus
* Nirimba Campus

b. Each campus committee shall have responsibility for advocating for issues related to but not limited to campus life, education action and, facilities and services.

c. The Campus Committee shall be chaired by a Campus Representative in the zone the campus is in.

d. In the absence of a campus representative to chair, the Administrative Committee may appoint a temporary chair.

1. The Western SRC repeals Sections 10 – 15 of Schedule 2 – Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.

1. The Western SRC inserts the following to be Section 10 of Schedule 2 – Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.

Student Representative Council (SRC) Budget Committee

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 a. There will be a Budget Committee of the SRC, who’s role will be to discuss and make recommendations to the SRC on its budget.

b. The Budget Committee will be Chaired by the SRC General Secretary and will meet at least monthly.

c. Membership of the Budget Committee will be at the discretion of the SRC

Student Representative Council (SRC) Clubs & Activities Committee

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a. There will be a Clubs & Activities Committee of the SRC, who’s role will be to discuss and make recommendations to the SRC on any matters relating to student activities and events, and clubs and societies.

b. The Clubs & Activities Committee will be Chaired by the SRC Vice President Activities and will meet at least quarterly.

c. Membership of the Clubs & Activities Committee will be at the discretion of the SRC

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a. There will be an Administrative Committee of the SRC, who’s role will be to assist in the functioning of the SRC.

b. The Administrative Committee shall have powers to:

 I. Receive motions and reports from SRC members

II. Organise the Agenda for SRC meetings

III. Ensure the proper functioning of SRC Committees

IV. Review SRC procedures and recommend changes

V. Call a SRC meeting

VI. Call a meeting of an SRC Committee

VII. Any further power granted to the committee by the SRC.

c. The Committee shall consist of the General Secretary and 6 other members of the SRC.

d. The General Secretary shall be chair of the Administrative Committee. A temporary chair maybe appointed as necessary.

e. The Committee shall meet as often as necessary but at least monthly.

f. Quorum for committee meetings shall be 3.

g. If an urgent matter arises the committee can despatch business by a flying minute.

h. The Committee may exercise the power and responsibilities of a vacant SRC position.

i. The SRC must be informed of and fill all vacancies in the committee as soon as possible.

13. SRC Agenda

a. The SRC Agenda shall be managed by the SRC General Secretary and the Administrative Committee.

b. A list all motions received shall be maintained and be electronically accessible at all times to SRC member.

c. The Administrative Committee will adjust motions on the agenda based upon urgency, importance and date of submission.

14. Deliberation Committee

a. a. There will be an Deliberation Committee of the SRC, who’s role will be to assist in the functioning of the SRC.

b. The SRC or Administrative Committee may refer any motion in the Agenda to be discussed in detail in the Deliberation Committee.

c. The Deliberation Committee will provide minutes of a debate to the SRC.

d. The Deliberation Committee shall be forum for debate and discussion only. Once a debate has concluded the motion will return to the SRC to be voted on.

e. A motion that has had a debate in the Deliberation Committee shall not have another debate in the main SRC meeting and must be put to a vote immediately.

f. The President shall be chair of the Deliberation Committee. A temporary chair maybe appointed as necessary.

e. The Committee shall meet as often as necessary.

f. Quorum for committee meetings shall be 3.

g. All SRC members must be informed of a discussion in the committee at least 7 days before the date of the meeting.

## Motion 11.8: Reaffiliation with the National Union of Students

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| **Issue** | Reaffiliation with the National Union of Students |
| **Date** | 26/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Rameez |
| **Seconder** | Jordan |

I move that:

1. The Western SRC reaffiliates with the National Union of Students.
2. The Western SRC allocates $3000 for reaffiliation.
3. The Western SRC allocates $5000 for WSU delegates to attend the Nus National Conference in accordance with the SRC Conference Policy.

## Motion 11.9: Environmental Advocacy Improvements

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| **Issue** | Environmental Advocacy Improvements |
| **Date** | 26/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Rameez |
| **Seconder** | Jordan |

I move that:

1. The Western SRC acknowledges the importance of advocating for environmental protection, and that the Western SRC prioritise environmental activism
2. The Western SRC shall repeal article 17a of the Student Representative Council of the Student Representation Procedures.
3. The Western SRC shall insert the following to be article 17A of the Student Representation Procedures:
	1. “The Environment Representative must, at the time of close of nominations, be a student”
4. The Western SRC shall substitute article 30 of Schedule 1 – Student Representative Positions of the Student Representation Procedures with the following:
	1. The Environment Representative is responsible for representing the Environment Collective
5. The Western SRC shall allow the above amendments to be effective at the next EOI or General Election where the Environment Representative position is vacant pursuant to the Student Representation Procedures

## Motion 11.10: Buxton Crash (Condolence Motion)

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| **Issue** | Students and Staff across the South-West have been deeply affected by the fatal Buxton crash |
| **Date** | 6/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Rameez |

*Issue Description:*

Students and Staff across the South-West of Sydney have been deeply affected by the news of five lives being claimed by the Buxton Crash. Students who have been negatively affected will require support, particularly from the SRC who can stand in solidarity with students and the wider Picton and South-West Community

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

South-West Students, as well as the wider student body

*Recommendation:*

The SRC publicly acknowledge the horrific Buxton Accident and refer students to the Wellbeing team should it be required

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will support students and notify those who are affected of the relevant support services

*Budget Impact:*

None

**Proposed Action:**

**I move:**

1. That the SRC expresses its deepest condolences for the Picton community, and the families and friends of those who have been affected by the terrible loss of life that occurred on the 6th of September 2022 as a result of the Buxton Crash
2. That the President of the SRC write an open letter of condolence expressing our collective condolence and support for the Picton and wider South-West Sydney Community
3. That the President of the SRC make public comment on behalf of the SRC on relevant media channels expressing the SRC’s deepest condolences for all students that may be affected, as well as listing support services for students that may be affected.

## Motion 11.11: Solidarity with Iran

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| **Issue** | Iran’s human rights records are concerning to Western Sydney U students |
| **Date** | 28/08/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Rameez |

*Issue Description:*

The Government is deeply concerned by reports that many people have been killed and many more injured. We are alarmed by the heavy-handed measures Iranian authorities have implemented to crack-down on ongoing protests.

We support the right of the Iranian people to peaceful protest.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC condemn the Iranian Government for their human rights record

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will ensure all students who are affected will be confident that the SRC does not support discrimination or persecution

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC stands with Iranian women and girls in their struggle for equality and empowerment, and the SRC calls on Iran to cease its oppression of women.
2. The SRC are alarmed by the heavy-handed measures Iranian authorities have implemented to crack-down on ongoing protests, and that the SRC will support the right of the Iranian people to peaceful protest.
3. The SRC is committed to encouraging equality before the law, promoting gender equality and women’s empowerment, and ending violence against women
4. The SRC is concerned by the high number of death sentences and continued executions in Iran, and that the SRC opposes the death penalty, in all circumstances, for all people
5. The SRC is disturbed by the death in custody of 22-year-old Kurdish woman, Mahsa Amini in Iran last week, and stands in solidarity with all those who are affected
6. The President of the SRC write an open letter addressed to the Embassy of the Islamic Republic of Iran condemning their human rights record, and for the letter to be published on all relevant media and communication sources

## Motion 11.12: Support for the NTEU

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| **Issue** | Casual employees at Western Sydney University have experienced loss of income due to the recently declared national public holiday. |
| **Date** | 23.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Recently, 22.09.2022 was declared a one-off public holiday by the federal government as a ‘National Day of Mourning.’ This public holiday has created issues for many casual employees, particularly those employed by Western Sydney University. The University pays its casual employees on an hourly basis, meaning there are no income protections in the case that an unexpected public holiday such as this occurs.

The loss of income will be extremely impactful to all casual employees of the University; casual employees make up two-thirds of the current higher education workforce. Currently, most NSW universities have committed to paying their casual staff for the public holiday, including ACU, Charles Sturt, UNSW, University of Newcastle, University of Sydney, UNE, UTS and UOW. Unfortunately, Western Sydney U has not followed suit. It is essential to advocate for these employees and provide a platform to acknowledge and build awareness around the unfair impact the holiday has had.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All casual employees of the University will be impacted. There are many students who are casually employed by WSU.

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for improvement of the University’s standards, especially working conditions. Condemning the action (or rather, inaction) of the University and providing support to all casual employees will hopefully provide a beneficial outcome for all affected.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for casual employees of Western Sydney University and gain a beneficial outcome for those affected.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget

**Proposed Action:**

I move that:

1. The Western SRC condemns Western Sydney University and Bevil ‘Barney’ Glover, the Vice-Chancellor, for failing to compensate their casual employees, who have lost work due to the National Day of Mourning declared for Thursday the 22nd of September 2022
2. The President of the Western SRC shall write a letter condemning Western Sydney University’s inaction in providing compensation for casual staff addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, which will be carbon-copied to the NTEU WSU Branch, NTEU NSW Branch, and Unions NSW – to be signed by the President of the Western SRC and two (2) other members of the SRC at the absolute discretion of the President of the Western SRC
3. The Western SRC will publish the signed condemnation through all relevant media platforms
4. The President of the Western SRC shall write a letter supporting the NTEU’s campaign as they fight for the rights of casual staff across all NSW universities addressed to the NTEU NSW Branch, which will be carbon-copied to the Vice-Chancellor, NTEU WSU Branch, and Unions NSW – to be signed by the President of the Western SRC and two (2) other members of the SRC at the absolute discretion of the President of the Western SRC
5. The Western SRC shall publish the signed letter of support through all relevant media platforms
6. The Western Sydney University SRC commits to continue promoting fair working conditions for all employees of Western Sydney University.

## Motion 11.13: Commending the Jobs and Skills Summit

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| **Issue** | Students and Staff of Western Sydney U are now appropriately being supported by the Federal Government |
| **Date** | 3/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Students and Staff at Western Sydney University will be better off due to the new Albanese Labor Government supporting the voices of our cohort

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC congratulate the Albanese Labor Government for supporting the voices of students after nearly a decade of inaction from the previous Coalition Government

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will encourage the new Federal Government to continue supporting students

*Budget Impact:* None

**Proposed Action:**

**I move:**

1. That the SRC acknowledge and congratulate the work of the strong Albanese Labor Government in supporting students through the Jobs and Skills Summit
2. That the SRC call on the opposition and The Leader of the Liberal Party the Hon. Peter Dutton MP to cease political point scoring at the detriment of Western Sydney U students.
3. That the SRC call on the Australian Greens and the Crossbench of the Australian Parliament to constructively work with the Labor Government
4. That the SRC congratulates Western Sydney U students for their work in their studies and commits to ensuring that the Albanese Labor Government prioritises providing the best outcomes possible for Western Sydney U students.

## Motion 11.14: Support for Diversity Fest

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| **Issue** | Western Sydney U is a far more inclusive place due to Diversity Fest |
| **Date** | 27/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

Students and Staff at Western Sydney University will be safer due to Diversity Fest

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC congratulate the initiative of Diversity Fest

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will encourage future SRC’s to continue the initiative

*Budget Impact:* None

**Proposed Action:**

**I move:**

1. That the SRC commend the Events Team for promoting inclusivity at Western Sydney University through the Diversity Fest Initiative
2. That the SRC commits to considering future events that promote the diversity and inclusion of Western Sydney U students

## Motion 11.15: Equity within Club Executive Leadership

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| **Issue** | Clubs should be encouraged to promote equity within their leadership teams |
| **Date** | 27/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Clubs should be encouraged to promote diversity and equity within their organisations, and by calling on the clubs team, marginalized students who may otherwise not be considered for leadership roles will be encouraged to fill such positions

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students, particularly marginalised students wishing to fill leadership positions within clubs

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC call on the clubs team to create policies that will promote inclusion within club executives

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will promote inclusivity within club leadership teams

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC call on the Clubs Team to create strategies to promote equity within Club Executive Teams, including but not limited to mandating forms of Affirmative Action
2. The SRC acknowledges the efforts of affiliated clubs who promote equity within their leadership teams

## Motion 11.16: Equity within Collective Leadership

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| **Issue** | Collectives should be encouraged to promote equity within their leadership teams |
| **Date** | 27/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

Collectives should be encouraged to promote diversity and equity within their organisations, and by calling on the collectives, marginalised students who may otherwise not be considered for leadership roles will be encouraged to fill such positions

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students, particularly marginalised students wishing to fill leadership positions within collectives

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC call on collectives to create policies that will promote inclusion within collective leadership teams

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will promote inclusivity within collective leadership teams

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC calls on the relevant representatives to create strategies to promote equity within Collective Leadership Teams, including but not limited to mandating forms of Affirmative Action
2. The SRC acknowledges the efforts of collectives who promote equity within their leadership teams

## Motion 11.17: Assistance with Tax through Liverpool Council

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| **Issue** | Students may be able to access tax support through Liverpool Council |
| **Date** | 18/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Students who may not have experience with processing their tax returns may be able to access support through the Liverpool City Council

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

Liverpool Campus Students, as well as students who live within the Liverpool LGA

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC acknowledge the Liverpool City Council’s initiative to provide taxation support to those who require it

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will educate and inform students of the initiative

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledges the work of Liverpool City Council for providing taxation support to eligible students and members of the community
2. The SRC considers the need for similar services within Western Sydney U to alleviate cost of living pressures for students requiring taxation assistance
3. The SRC commits to supporting the aspirations of Liverpool Campus students, and wishes them the best in their ongoing studies

## Motion 11.18: Optus Breach

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| **Issue** | Students should be aware of personal information leaks |
| **Date** | 27/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

Students who have been affected by the Optus data leaks should be aware how they are affected

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students with data with Optus

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC acknowledge the effects of the Optus leaks

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will inform students how the Optus leaks will affect them

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledges the effects of the Optus Leaks
2. The SRC condemns Optus for their inaction to provide secure services that protect personal data
3. The SRC supports the Minister for Home Affairs; Cybersecurity’s position that Optus is to blame for the leaks
4. The SRC commits to supporting students who have been impacted by the Optus Leaks

## Motion 11.19: Commending W’SUP

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| **Issue** | The SRC congratulates W’SUP for their recent publications |
| **Date** | 25/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should be supporting W’SUP as they work to improve scrutiny of the university and the SRC, as well as informing students of the issues that affect them

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC commend the work of W’SUP, particularly their work on their latest publication

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will encourage W’SUP to continue providing a voice to students on the issue that they face

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC congratulates W’SUP and the entire Student Publication team for their recent publication ‘Resilience’

2. The SRC notes the importance of student media for the democracy and advocacy of students

3. The SRC commits to unequivocally protecting the interests of W’SUP

4. The SRC invites W’SUP to our meetings to report on the business of the SRC objectively and with the appropriate scrutiny that students expect from their Student Representative Team

5. The SRC encourages W’SUP to hold the SRC and its members to account, and to ensure that students are aware of the actions that the SRC and its members take that may affect them such as

* 1. lack of transparency
	2. current and previous disciplinary action taken against members
	3. personal and financial misconduct and
	4. other actions that would bring the SRC into disrepute

## Motion 11.20: Condemnation for NSW Minister for Health

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| **Issue** | The SRC condemns the NSW Minister for Health |
| **Date** | 13/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

The SRC should be proactive in supporting students relying on the NSW public health system, and under the NSW Minister for Health’s watch, NSW’s health system budget is failing

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC condemn the NSW Health Minister’s failure to provide support to students requiring public health assistance

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will call on the Minister’s inaction and promote quality health systems within NSW

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC condemns the NSW Minister for Health, The Hon. Brad Hazzard MP for his failure to provide effective health services, particularly for the students of Western Sydney U, and calls for his immediate resignation from the Perrottet cabinet
2. The SRC call on the NSW Shadow Minister for Health; Mental Health, Ryan Park MP to continue holding the tired NSW Liberal Government to account, and to commit to continuing to advocate for improved health services within NSW; particularly for students at Western Sydney U

## Motion 11.21: Support for Federal Minister for Education

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| **Issue** | 20,000 new university places to target skill shortages |
| **Date** | 18/08/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

The Federal Minister for Education has announced that the Government will fund 20,000 additional university places to tackle skills shortages and give more students from underrepresented backgrounds the chance to go to university.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC support the Federal Government in their policy of 20,000 new places across Australian Universities

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will support the Government as they work to improve the education sector

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC thank the Albanese Labor Government, Minister for Education The Hon. Jason Clare, and the Treasurer The Hon Dr Jim Chalmers MP for their commitment to 20,000 new university places across Australia for under-represented groups such as low-socio economic backgrounds, rural and remote areas, First Nations people, first in family and people with disability
2. The SRC acknowledge the importance of government support for the Higher-Education sector, and call on the Government to continue supporting the students of Western Sydney U

## Motion 11.22: Condemnation of Human Rights Violations in the Torres Strait

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| **Issue** | The United Nations have recently found that the previous Liberal Government has violated the human rights of Torres Strait Islander people |
| **Date** | 28/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

A recent finding made by the United Nations has highlighted the failure of the Australian federal government to adequately protect the human rights of Torres Strait Islander people. Unfortunately, the group were responsible for initially lodged the complaint three years ago (known as the ‘Torres Strait Eight’) assert that the negative impacts of the current climate crisis have greatly restricted their right to practice their culture safely and appropriately.

These claims were specifically in relation to the failure of the Morrison government to upgrade seawalls in the region, increasing risks for flooding, land degradation and supply chain issues including food production.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

First Nations Students, particularly from the Torres Strait

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for the rights of the University’s students, and First Nation’s students are at the forefront. Promoting action to improve the situation for these students is essential.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all First Nations students of Western Sydney University and promote improvement of these issues.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC condemns the previous Abbot/Turnbull/Morrison Liberal governments for allowing breaches of human rights under their governments, and calls for The Hon. Scott Morrison MP’s resignation from parliament immediately
2. The Western SRC supports the Labor Attorney-General The Hon. Mark Dreyfus KC MP’s stance on human rights, and Labor’s commitment to continue working with Torres Strait Islanders on climate change.
3. The Western SRC calls on the University to continue promoting climate action in the face of the previous Liberal Government’s human rights breaches

*Please note:* This motion has been developed in consultation, drafted, reviewed, and approved by First Nations student/s of Western Sydney University.

## Motion 11.23: Condolences for Uncle Jack

***WARNING: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People are advised that the following contains the name of a person who has passed away, and that the family of the deceased have publicly granted permission to use their name in efforts to continue their legacy***

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| **Issue** | The recent passing of one of Australia’s most iconic Aboriginal Elders, Uncle Jack Charles, is being mourned by First Nations’ communities across the country. |
| **Date** | 14/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

First Nations’ communities across Australia are currently mourning the passing of Elder Uncle Jack Charles (name used with permission of his family), actor, musician, and activist. A proud Boon Wurrung, Dja Dja Wurrung, Woiwurrung and Yorta Yorta man, Uncle Jack’s work to ensure that the truth is told about Australian history has left its mark.

The first witness to tell his story in the Indigenous truth-telling commission in Victoria, who also blazed the trail for Aboriginal actors, Uncle Jack has made great strides for our community. His ongoing advocacy alongside Uncle Archie Roach for the rights of young Indigenous men in custody was also outstanding.

This time may be extremely impactful for many First Nation’s students at Western Sydney U.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

First Nation’s Students

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must support students during times of hardship such as these.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all First Nations students at Western Sydney University.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC expresses its’ condolences to the family and those close to Uncle Jack Charles, and extend this to all First Nation’s students of the University.
2. The Western SRC commends Uncle Jack Charles’ commitment and work for his community, and calls on Western Sydney University to do the same

*Please note:* This motion has been developed in consultation, drafted, reviewed, and approved by First Nations student/s of Western Sydney University

## Motion 11.24: Voice to Parliament

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| **Issue** | The upcoming proposed referendum by the Australian Federal Government to establish an Indigenous Voice to Parliament |
| **Date** | 17.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The Albanese Labor Government has recently proposed a referendum to establish an Indigenous Voice to Parliament, in line with the Uluru Statement from the Heart, with the current timeframe for ballots to open within the 2023-2024 Financial Year.

A Voice to Parliament, enshrined in the Constitution, would enable Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to give advice to the Federal Parliament about laws and policies that impact them through a simplified policy making process and structural change.

This means that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders are included in the law-making process, rather than having bureaucrats and politicians deciding what is best for them.

A Voice to Parliament, enshrined in the Australian Constitution, will deliver real and practical advice to Parliament and the Government on how laws and policies can best improve the lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

First Nation’s Students / All domestic students on the Electoral Roll will be required to vote in the referendum

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for the rights of the University’s students, and First Nation’s students are at the forefront.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all First Nations students at Western Sydney University and promote improvement of these issues.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC expresses wholehearted support for the Albanese Labor Government’s proposal to establish an Indigenous Voice to Parliament.
2. The Western SRC commits to raising awareness about this important initiative.

*Please note:* This motion has been developed in consultation and reviewed by First Nations student/s of Western Sydney University.

## Motion 11.25: Support for the Member for Londonderry

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| **Issue** | The Member for Londonderry has recently recovered from cancer |
| **Date** | 30/09/2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

The Member for Londonderry has recently had surgery on a tumor on her kidney

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students

*Recommendation:*

That the SRC wish the Member for Londonderry well in their ongoing cancer treatment

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

This will promote cancer awareness within Western Sydney U

*Budget Impact: None*

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The SRC acknowledges the impacts of cancer on students and their families, and commits to raising awareness for cancer and cancer research particularly where students are affected
2. The SRC considers future events or engagements where awareness for cancer and cancer research can be made
3. The SRC wishes the Member for Londonderry Prue Car MP well in her recovery from cancer, and commits to engaging with students with direct or indirect experience with cancer to raise awareness about cancer’s impact

## Motion 11.26: NSW Climate Change

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| **Issue** | Ongoing flooding and unmanaged weather conditions throughout NSW |
| **Date** | 28.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Crystal |

*Issue Description:*

The ongoing impacts of climate change have resulted in an increase in extreme weather disasters, including flooding in the Penrith-Hawkesbury areas and across the state. Most recently, a significant hailstorm hit the Blue Mountains, Hawkesbury, Wollondilly, Wingecarribee, Greater Wollongong and Sydney areas on 28.09.2022, resulting in flash flooding and severe damage to properties. Since 22 Feburary 2022, NSW has seen seven major events of flooding which has had significant impact across the state, particularly within Western Sydney.

The New South Wales government’s previous proposal to raise the wall of the Warragamba Dam could result in complete inundation of some cultural sites of the Darug and Gundungarra people in the area and is at odds with Australia’s obligations under the world heritage convention. According to present forecasts, the number of people living and working in the valley will rise from 150,000 now to 257,000 by 2041.

This has impacted the university, with multiple campus closures as a result, and students who have experienced the impact of the floods.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students.

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must encourage action against the growing issues that are being presented by climate change.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for all affected by the floods, and to call on further action to be taken

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

**I move that:**

1. The Western SRC condemns the Perrottet Liberal Government for its poor response to these catastrophic weather events, and its failure to commit to basic housing safety for Western Sydney U Students
2. The Western SRC condemns the Perrottet Liberal Government for failing to improve its planning and responses for any following events.
3. The Western SRC commits to raising awareness about this important initiative.
4. The Western SRC calls on the University to provide additional support to students in these affected areas.

## Motion 11.27: Teachers Shortages

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| **Issue** | One-fifth of last year’s Education graduates are not registered as teachers. |
| **Date** | 30.09.2022 |
| **Mover** | Jordan |
| **Seconder** | Julian |

*Issue Description:*

According to state government data, more than 7,000 people received Bachelor of Education and diplomas in education qualifications last year, but 1,418 were not registered as teachers with the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA).

The figures, released in response to a question on notice, showed almost 4,000 graduates across the state were working at government schools and 1,783 at non-government schools. The government did not know what happened to the remaining graduates.

The current shortage of teaching staff in schools is indicative of ongoing poor working conditions, including pay, proposals of unfair payment incentive programs by the NSW Government, and better conditions in managerial positions.

*Portfolios/Students Impacted:*

All students in education disciplines.

*Recommendation:*

The Western Sydney University SRC must advocate for better working conditions for teachers and better career pathways for these graduates.

*Justification/Reason for Recommendation:*

To reinforce support for education students.

*Budget Impact:*

This does not affect the SRC Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

1. The Western SRC condemns the Perrottet Liberal Government for its poor response to the clear issues with working conditions for teachers, and calls for the State Minister for Education and Early Learning The Hon. Sarah Mitchell MLC to resign from the Perrottet Liberal Cabinet immediately
2. The Western SRC calls on the Perrottet Liberal Government to develop retention strategies and career pathways for teaching graduates that are realistic, researched, and effective.
3. The Western SRC calls on the University to develop better career pathways for students in education disciplines.

## Motion 11.28 Post Graduate Social Networking Event

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| Issue  | Promoting SRC and increasing the post graduate network with industry and academic experience |
| Date  | 11/10/2022  |
| Mover  | Sanjay Thapa |
| Seconder  | Sabrina Young |

Issue Description:  Post graduate students rarely have social events where they can meet their fellow students. This will be the second opportunity in the current year to network with postgraduate students from various academic backgrounds with industry experiences during the University's quarter breaks. This networking helps students to open doors for career opportunities and to understand the market as most of the post graduate students have quite an industry experience while promoting the SRC and the university.

Portfolios/Students Impacted: Post Graduate Students

Recommendation: That the SRC invest in funding this post graduate social networking event

Justification/Reason for Recommendation: Post graduate Students deserve a social event to network with the fellow students and extend the network to progress effectively in the academic as well as industry post-graduation

Budget Impact: Quotes from Nick & Nora’s and Vista Print

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| Items  | Quotes/Cost  |
|  Food and beverage including booking the venue | $5,000 |
| Merchandise | $1,000 |
| Total Cost  | $6,000  |

Proposed Action:

The SRC moves that;

1. A total of $6,000 be allocated to the provision of post graduate social networking event
2. The total number of attendees be capped at 60 due to the associated cost of food and beverage

# 12. General Business

# 13. Next Meeting and close

# Agenda Documents

## Business Paper A Previous Meeting Minutes

## Business Paper B Monthly Member Reports

## Business Paper C Action Items

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## Business Paper E Declaration of Member’s Interests

## Business Paper F Report from Student Community

## Business Paper G Committee Reports

### Mandated Standing Committees

#### G.1 SRC Budget Committee

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| **Committee** | SRC Budget Committee |
| **Chair** | General Secretary (Sabrina Young) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.2 Cross-Campus Facilities and Services Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Facilities and Services Network |
| **Chair** | President (Rameez Parkar) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.3 Cross-Campus Education Action Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Education Action Network |
| **Chair** | Vice-Presidents Education (Bakar Mohamad, Sanjay Thapa) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.4 SRC Clubs and Activities Committee

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| **Committee** | SRC Clubs and Activities Committee |
| **Chair** | Vice-President Activities (Cameron Chesters) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.5 Online Students Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Online Students Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Online Students Representative (Caitlin Marlor) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.6 Cross-Campus Women’s Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Women’s Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Women’s Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.7 Cross-Campus Queer Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Queer Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Queer Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.8 First Nations Cross-Campus Equity Network

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| **Committee** | First Nations Cross-Campus Equity Network |
| **Chair** | First Nations Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.9 Cross-Campus Disability Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Disability Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Disability Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.10 Cross-Campus Ethno-cultural Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Ethno-cultural Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Ethnocultural Representative (Crystal Ram) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.11 Cross-Campus Environment Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus Environment Equity Network |
| **Chair** | Environment Representative (Danielle Albertine) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.12 Cross-Campus International Equity Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-Campus International Equity Network |
| **Chair** | International Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.13 Bankstown Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Bankstown Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Bankstown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.14 Bankstown Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Bankstown Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Bankstown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.15 Bankstown Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Bankstown Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Bankstown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.16 Campbelltown Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Campbelltown Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Campbelltown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.17 Campbelltown Campus Education Action Group

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Committee** | Campbelltown Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Campbelltown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.18 Campbelltown Campus Facilities and Services Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Campbelltown Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Campbelltown Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.19 Hawkesbury Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Hawkesbury Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Hawkesbury Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.20 Hawkesbury Campus Education Action Group

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Hawkesbury Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Hawkesbury Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.21 Hawkesbury Campus Facilities and Services Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Hawkesbury Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Hawkesbury Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.22 Liverpool Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Liverpool Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Liverpool Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.23 Liverpool Campus Education Action Group

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Liverpool Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Liverpool Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.24 Liverpool Campus Facilities and Services Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Liverpool Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Liverpool Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.25 Parramatta Campus Life Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.26 Parramatta Campus Education Action Group

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Parramatta Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Parramatta Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.27 Parramatta Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.28 Parramatta City Campus Life Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Parramatta City Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta City Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.29 Parramatta City Campus Education Action Group

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Committee** | Parramatta City Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Parramatta City Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.30 Parramatta City Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Parramatta City Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Parramatta City Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.31 Penrith Campus Life Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** |  Penrith Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** |  Penrith Campus Representative (Julian Gonzales) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.32 Penrith Campus Education Action Group

|  |  |
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| **Committee** |  Penrith Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** |  Penrith Campus Representative ( Julian Gonzales ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.33 Penrith Campus Facilities and Services Forum

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Committee** |  Penrith Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** |  Penrith Campus Representative (Julian Gonzales) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.34 Nirimba Campus Life Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Nirimba Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Nirimba Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.35 Nirimba Campus Education Action Group

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| --- | --- |
| **Committee** | Nirimba Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Nirimba Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.36 Nirimba Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Nirimba Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Nirimba Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.37 Small and Regional Campus Life Forum

|  |  |
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| **Committee** | Small and Regional Campus Life Forum |
| **Chair** | Small and Regional Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.38 Small and Regional Campus Education Action Group

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| **Committee** | Small and Regional Campus Education Action Group |
| **Chair** | Small and Regional Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

#### G.39 Small and Regional Campus Facilities and Services Forum

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| **Committee** | Small and Regional Campus Facilities and Services Forum |
| **Chair** | Small and Regional Campus Representative ( ) |
| **Meeting Rule** | Minimum 1 Meeting per Quarter  |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

**Regular Standing Committees**

#### G.40 Cross-campus Inter-Equity Collective Network

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| **Committee** | Cross-campus Inter-Equity Collective Network |
| **Chair** | Vicky Reed and Danielle Albertine |
| **Meeting Rule** | No minimum meeting requirements |
| **Last meeting** |  |
| **Next meeting** |  |
| **Report**  | Report attached to Agenda/Confidential Report (SRC ONLY)/ None |

### Special Committees

## Additional Business Papers as required.