



**STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL
MONTHLY MEMBER REPORTS**

May/April 2022



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PRESIDENT: ALANNAH HADER

Not submitted



VICE-PRESIDENT EDUCATION (UNDERGRADUATE): BAKAR MOHAMAD

- 01/04 - emailed library for more studiosity submissions
- 08/04 - attended SRC meeting
- 08/04 - sent out poll for lockers in university libraries
- 17/04 - sent out email to src about ideas and submitting agenda items
- 17/04 - helped facilitate an SRC catch-up in person
- 17/04 - combined dates for our meetings all year round and suggested them to Alannah
- 18/04 - Edited podcast with welfare team at WSU
- 18/04 - organised next campus stall meet, sent out invite
- 19/04 - had campus stall meet + further discussions with SRC reps
- 19/04 - sent out a poll for cameras in library computers
- 20/04 - Sent out SRC meeting times + report deadlines for the rest of the year
- 21/04 - Had meeting with Grant to discuss several SRC items
- 22/04 - sent out introductory email to new SRC members
- 22/04 - Sent out calendar invite to SRC members
- 24/04 - put out post to recruit help for speed friending series
- 24/04 - sent out calendar invite for report and agenda item deadlines
- 25/04 - had 2 separate introductory meeting with the new reps
- Put SRC Exec agenda together
- SRC executive meeting
- Project C-stall meeting + plan layout for executing this project
- Formed internship position drafts, approved by other reps and Grant
- Attended C3 conference, networked with SRC members
- Attended meeting with new Gen Sec to overview processes with compiling reports, agenda items and minutes



VICE-PRESIDENT EDUCATION (POST-GRADUATE): SANJAY THAPA

31/03/2022: Remuneration Committee meeting

Attended the meeting with Richard, Grant and Jenny working on the Matrix system to discuss the Honorariums for the SRC members. This meeting was more towards recognising the work and effort the members put in to the SRC and seek for clarification from the members who have been inactive or needed further information before releasing the Honorariums.

31/03/2022: Student leaders Forum 1 meeting

This meeting was organised by Tao and Richard to accommodate different student schedules the forum will continue to run this coming semester. This session discussed on student leader feedbacks and the pain points, concerns action, plans and allowed enough time for feedback and discussion between the student community and administrative teams and student leaders. More of a feedback about the management procedures, changes that needs to be implemented.

08/04/2022: SRC April meeting

22/04/2022 – Attended CAPA Extraordinary Council Meeting

An extraordinary Council Meeting was called upon, which was summoned by seven of the affiliates under S17.2 of the CAPA's constitution. The purpose of the meeting was to resolve an important dispute regarding the recent elections for National Committee and Board of Directors of the CAPA. The WSU SRC has been in continuous communication with CAPA to reinstate the affiliation and doing its due diligence for the benefits from the affiliation. This was a good opportunity to understand the insights of operations within CAPA and provided key insights about the decisions to applying for the affiliations.

05/05/2022 – SRC Exec meetings



VICE-PRESIDENT ACTIVITIES: CAMERON CHESTERS

This month has been a very busy month for me. I have let the SRC and other stakeholders know that I have had to step back from my Vice President Activities role under after May. I have been employed full time on the Federal Election and it has been quite hectic. I am still actively monitoring SRC emails, texts, messages, and attending meeting and submitting reports. The SRC Taste tours that we did in merrylands were massive success, everyone had a great time, everyone learnt a lot and opening their mind to other cultures and suburbs and food that they otherwise would not have if they did not attend. In future we would increase the price to \$20 from \$10 to decrease the rate at which people did not attend. We just didn't want to discriminate against people where \$20 might be too much to pay for the trip but it seems that it must be done. I note that we w\have many new SRC members with us which is very exciting and I look forward to meeting and working with them all after the federal election on May 21st. The Vice Chancellor has been incredibly horrid when it comes to meeting with us and discussing free parking. We will be taking this further.



GENERAL SECRETARY: SABRINA YOUNG

As newly appointed General Secretary of the SRC, I would formally like to thank the team for their warm and cordial welcome and for offering me the opportunity to perform in this position. I endeavour to do my best to assist in all the powers, aims and duties of the SRC.

Events attended

28 April LEAD Conference

- Attended half day – Design thinking workshop

27 April C3 Leaders Conference

- Attended as President of Pole Aerials Dance and Fitness Society
- Attended workshops for events and marketing
- Attended as newly appointed General Secretary of the SRC

Meetings

5 May SRC EXEC Meeting

- Grant and Bakar led the conversation in regards to a few concerns
 - o Student leader representation in Student Voice
 - o Parking after hours
 - o Meeting with the VC
 - o Organising proper induction on Wednesday 11 May
 - o Organising impromptu role training on Sunday 8 May – agenda items with Bakar

25 April SRC Introductory catch-up with Bakar

6 April Student Clubs meeting with Taurai to discuss expediting Payment and Events approval

Trainings

29 April ALLY Training

Concerns

Action 2a – Hollie Hammond is leaving university so no one is continuing her legacy

Actions

28 April discussed agenda items with SRC

1. Dedicated space for parents to take their children to whilst they study
2. Representation for parents in SRC
 - a. Recommended by Vicky to seek Hollie Hammond
 - b. Talk of a parents collective – student community
3. Discussed with Pearl from ECG/MATES regarding facilitators and mentors as potential student leaders for future C3 conferences



- a. Vicky recommended to seek Michelle Gillard (coordinator) to discuss with student community (Grant, Jenny, Richard)
4. Potential convenience store on campus
 - a. University paraphernalia
 - b. Food and over-the-counter medication
 - c. Advised to make an agenda item

Outcomes

N/a



RESIDENTIAL STUDENTS REPRESENTATIVE: JORDAN BRETT

25/04/2022 – Video conference with VPU, International Rep, and Parramatta City Rep

26/04/2022 – Offered formal introductions to Village Management

27/04/2022 – Engagement at C3 event with fellow representatives

03/04/2022 – Met with students regarding concerns about safety in accommodation

04/05/2022 – Induction with my fellow newly elected Reps

05/05/2022 – Received communications from Nirimba Rep regarding potential events

05/05/2022 – Offered formal introductions to the Parramatta City Rep

As the newly appointed residential student representative, I would like to firstly congratulate my fellow members who have recently been appointed to the SRC for their respective positions and portfolios. I would also like to thank the SRC for my appointment, and I hope to achieve great things in collaboration with my residential students, Western SRC, and Western Sydney University.

It has been a very busy few weeks for the portfolio of Residential Student Representative due to a lack of prior representation, however there are many steps that are being taken to ensure that representation will be not only available, but strong and accessible to all residential students who may have concerns. Measures have already been made to ensure that residential students are aware of the available resources, however currently initiatives are being limited due to a lack of communication resources.

I have started to reach out to residents, however, am limited by a lack of infrastructure and resources. I hope that in the future months, I will be able to have the sufficient resources to be able to reach out to students in need and hopefully engage my portfolio in an effective, proactive manner.



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS REPRESENTATIVE: ANKANKSHA ANKANKSHA

Not submitted



WOMEN'S REPRESENTATIVE: JEMMA COOK

Not submitted



QUEER REPRESENTATIVE: RANNIE SINGH

Not submitted



FIRST NATIONS REPRESENTATIVE: TIFFANY SHARPE

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First Nations Representative – May SRC Report

I continue to be engaged with the student leaders and indigenous cohort, along with adequately meeting the standards of criteria within the First Nations role and responsibilities stated in the portfolio. I am increasing my opportunities by taking collaborative initiative projects with the Equity Representatives and Western SRC Student Leaders overall.

Meetings:

- **1st April 2022:** Academic Senate Meeting → Senate Chair meeting with Student Representatives
- **8th April 2022:** April SRC Meeting
- **29th April 2022:** Academic Senate Meeting → Spoken for the first-time in the meeting, which I presented and discussed my student representative report to the Academic Senate.
- **5th May 2022:** Dare to Lead - Discovering your Core Values

Trainings:

- **27th April 2022:** C3 Student Leaders Conference - Plan to Succeed → The Break-Out Room Sessions that I had attended to on the day, which shares strong relevance to my leadership roles.
 - Inclusivity & Cultural Awareness
 - Campaigning & Activism
- **28th April 2022:** LEAD Conference - Risk Takers and History Markers → The Break-Out Room Sessions that I had attended on the day, were aspects of my leadership that I wanted to endure and strengthen my weaknesses.
 - Mental agility for future leaders
 - Breakthrough Leadership & Innovation

Events:

- **5th April 2022:** [ANZAC WEEK] Lunch and Learn with Rebecca Waugh and Matthew Oakley of SoldierOn Australia
- **6th April 2022:** [ANZAC WEEK] Gallipoli: In Their Words with the State Library of NSW
- **7th April 2022:** [ANZAC WEEK] Guarding The Records with The Australian War Memorial
- **14th April 2022:** Indigenous Professoriate Lecture - Professor Gawaian Bodkin-Andrews → Gawaian presented the first Indigenous Professoriate Lecture on *Resisting Genocide through D'harawal Relatedness: Understanding the Appin Massacre & the Story of how Wiritjiribin the Lyrebird came to be*. The Indigenous Professoriate Lecture took place at WSU Campbelltown Campus - Lecture Theatre 4.
- **25th April 2022:** ANZAC Commemoration Services → Collaboration and Teamwork from the Western SRC student representatives, as we attended to Commemoration Services covering Western Sydney region and Dash did the honours to attend the Cenotaph. I attended to the service at Cabra-Vale Diggers, which I laid



the wreath in honour and respects for the soldiers that loss their lives in action. Also, the soldiers that returned home from battle with living with the memories.

Collaborative Initiative projects:

- **ANZAC Commemoration Services:** There are many of the Western SRC representatives taking part of the ANZAC Commemoration Services to laying of the wreath to honour the soldiers that lost their lives in battle, and to pay our respects. I will be taking care of the ANZAC Service at Cabra vale Diggers:

- **5:40 am** - Assembled at the club for the march
- **5:50 am** - Official March commence
- **6:00 am** - Wreath laying Ceremony and Dawn Service commencement
- Following the service, the President and the Board of Directors invited to join them for breakfast at the club.

(COMPLETED)

- **National Reconciliation Week:** National Reconciliation Week is in planning process, however, Vicky done such an amazing job with finding a week full of Virtual Incursions and I'll be attending to all of them. **(IN PROGRESS)**

- **Mother's Day:** Western SRC student representatives collaborated to run a Mother's Day Giveaway to give the opportunity to Western students for the chance to winning 1 of 3 Mother's Day gift hampers. The winners were notified, and I suggested of delivering the hampers to their homes. So, I made the arrangements with them, and I delivered it to them so they can gift it to their mothers on Mother's Day.

(COMPLETED)

Upcoming Meeting/Training:

- **11th May 2022:** DVCIL Meeting → Indigenous Student Representative based on relevance for Academic Senate matters
- **13th May 2022:** May SRC Meeting



DISABILITY REPRESENTATIVE: ROBERT REED

- 31/03/22 Disability Collective and Equity, Diversity and Wellbeing Monthly Meeting
Update and review Mate's Corner, including responsiveness and participation by students in the initiative. Many issues have been raised during these sessions regarding men's health and wellbeing as students and active members of the wider community. Discussions vary on a variety of topics.
- I will undertake a future audit in consultation with the campus representatives concerning accessibility for all students. This will be reviewed in the June meeting after consultation with the various reps on how students are impacted by areas that may be deemed inaccessible to not only those with disabilities but also the wider student community.
- International Day of Disability will be discussed in upcoming meetings to ensure the functionality of events run and the impact of the coinciding deferred exam period.
- 05/04/22 Disability Collective representatives' discussion with Haze Elford regarding Primary Creative Arts Project. Both Stephanie and Shobha facilitated it.
- April/22 Mate's Corner Discussion Group.
April had been a highly active month for all participants. With the sessions coinciding with both Easter and assessment periods, two sessions were held. As with previous sessions, issues that affect the health and wellbeing of males were discussed, and various input from those attending provided several insights on how these issues are dealt with from differing perspectives.
- 06/04/22 Assistive Technology Meeting Catch-up
Further discussion into the implementation of changes to Assistive Technology provided to students. Other discussion points included access to assistive technology for students who require this service to further enhance their learning experience at WSU, including advice for referrals made directly to Assistive Technology or via Disability Services. AT Team also noted that they look to be collecting data regarding Access Rooms and their overall accessibility in technology and spaces. Natalie and Sally have stated that they will be providing the Disability Collective with the survey shortly to circulate to students via WESTERNLife.
- 08/04/22 April SRC Meeting
- 21/04/22 Meeting with Taurai Mayo for ongoing discussions regarding the formation of Western Phoenix Spirit Club
- 25/04/22 ANZAC Day commemoration and representation for Western SRC and the Western Student Veterans Association at the Dawn Service at Ingleburn RSL and the Commemorative service at Campbelltown with Vicky-Rae Reed. This event collaborated with other members of the SRC, including Romonda, Tiffany, Crystal and Dharshini. This was a success due to the contribution of all representatives involved, and WSU was well represented at locations across the greater Sydney Region.
- 25/04/22 Stephanie Hannah proposed reaching out to various agencies to bring in guest speakers for discussions on Disability / Chronic Illness. Ongoing
- 28/04/22 Disability Collective, Equity, Diversity and Wellbeing Meeting.



This meeting highlighted various issues, including timeframe and dissemination of meeting minutes, delays and difficulties in obtaining aid for students with disabilities, delays in obtaining appointments with counselling services, accessibility to facilities for students on campus, and the current format for Access News. Accessibility to be reviewed with input from campus reps in the upcoming weeks. Depending on the time available due to placement this month, I hope to organise a meeting with all campus reps on the views regarding accessibility and highlight deficiencies at each campus. Based on these assessments compiling a report on where problems are and future steps on implementing solutions to counteract these problems.

Ongoing/Future

- Possibility of a name change for the Disability Collective. This will allow students to send emails to the correct departments. The Disability Collective has received emails from students that should have been directly sent to Disability Services for some time. As shown in a previous meeting with Terri Mears, when a student begins to type Disability for the email respondent, they are often received by the Disability Collective and need to be triaged to the correct department within WSU.
- Bimonthly Disability Collective Meeting to be held in May, facilitated by Shobha and Stephanie. Unfortunately, during May, I will be on Practical Placement for my degree; however, I will collaborate with Stephanie and Shobha regarding the outcomes of this meeting and subsequent discussions.
- With the executive team of the Disability Collective in place, EOIs will be sent out within the next two weeks for additional collective representatives to fill the remaining places for general reps.
- Collaboration with the Cross Campus Equity Network to create the SRC's Inclusion Plan going forward in alignment with goals outlined in the Strategy meetings with Michael Connelly last 2021
- Collaboration with the Queer Collective regarding a possible movie night for World Hepatitis Day and World Aids Day. These days are held in late July and early December, and I will be reaching out to Rannie for collaboration in creating the event and a possible theme for the events. I have already reached out to Queer Collective Officers, and they are well aware of this event and very keen to assist.
- The second half of 2022 involves several days relating to chronic illnesses and mental health. For these initiatives, I will be collaborating with various collectives and members of the SRC for their insight to create events that are dedicated to these specific days



ETHNO-CULTURAL REPRESENTATIVE: CRYSTAL RAM

SRC Member Report – May 2022

Meeting Attendance (ETHNO-CULTURAL REPRESENTATIVE):

08/04/2022 SRC April Monthly Meeting

25/04/2022 ANZAC Day Commemoration with Jonathan Espinas

27/04/2022 C3 Conference – Novotel Hotel

28/04/2022 Lead Conference

05/05/2022 Introductory meeting with Jordan Brett

13/05/2022 SRC May Monthly Meeting

I would like to welcome aboard and congratulate the new SRC elect! Thank you for deciding to join our team. We are excited you are here, and we look forward to working with you. We know with your skills and experience you're a great asset to the team. Please know you can reach out to share your ideas or to ask questions at any time.

On Monday 25 April, the community came together in droves to commemorate our Anzacs. Thank you to everyone who attended one of the many Dawn Services. Lest we forget

As the ethnocultural representative, I will continue in my efforts to partake and report the needs of students across all fields on and off campus. As the representative I believe it is anticipated that I strengthen student voice and increase participation in activities which are currently online. I plan to organise regular meetings both face to face and virtual, for students that allow a chance for the students of various communities to grow and develop.

Since being elected I have sustained effort to support and advance networks as well as partnerships with individuals, groups, clubs, and offices which are working towards the same otherwise similar objectives such as the Provost Committees where we will be working alongside with the Inclusive Communities Coordinator. This will assist to leverage our capacities and resources, as well as to avoid duplication of activities and meetings, especially with university staff.

Further to this, I have collaborated with multiple student collectives and societies to schedule events for the remainder of the term, acknowledging various days of observance in ethnically diverse communities.

In this report I would like to wish students of the Hindu and Sikh faith a Happy Vaisakh. Vaisakh Sankranti, is celebrated to welcome the arrival of spring and the new harvest season of the year.





ENVIRONMENT REPRESENTATIVE: DANIELLE ALBERTINE

Environment Representative – Danielle Albertine

Events and Workshops:

While we're still online for our engagement activities, we're gearing up to return to on-campus workshops and training. As part of that we're looking at possible ways to have the campus garden moved to Building H, outside our new space.

- Upcoming online workshops include **growing your own mushrooms** and **making kombucha or yoghurt**
- **Online permaculture course** - The Permaculture Gardener with Robyn Francis & Angela Skehan

Meetings:

- Penrith Provost
- Our induction and planning meetings were postponed but are being carried out over the next 2 weeks, with individual induction sessions and brainstorming forming a part of that, as well as meeting individually with our existing reps. A group meeting and planning workshop on the KW campus is planned for the next weekend.

In late 2021, Western joined the United Nations-led 'Race to Zero for Universities and Colleges' Pledge, with ambitious new targets of achieving:

- Carbon Neutral by 2023, and
- Climate Positive by 2029

As part of that, the Environmental Sustainability Office of Estate and Commercial held a "Race to Zero" and Carbon Neutrality, two-part workshop to develop Western's Emissions Reduction Action Plan. In Session 1 - Western's carbon footprint, the company '100% Renewables', covered active accreditation and what it means, as well as Western's estimated carbon footprint. In Session 2 - Collaborative action planning, we broke into smaller groups for discussion and collaborative action planning to reduce Western's emissions. The two main things we explored were what changes in our role at Western and considered what broader changes could be made for Western?

For more info on carbon footprints, and how to calculate and reduce them, check out this YouTube video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bYb7YLSXvzg>

If you have any queries or something you'd like to contribute to the discussion, or to be personally involved feel free to email us at envirocollective@student.westernsydney.edu.au or me directly at 17646882@student.westernsydney.edu.au

Western's Environmental Sustainability information can be found at https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/environmental_sustainability/home



INVITATION

CARBON NEUTRAL 2023 & CLIMATE POSITIVE 2029

Driving change within Western.

Join us for some exciting discussion about real action Western can take in its "Race to Zero" and Carbon Neutrality.

We need your ideas and invite you to participate in a two-part workshop to develop Western's Emissions Reduction Action Plan.

In Session 1, we'll be guided by consultants 100% Renewables, as we cover Climate Active accreditation and what it means, as well as our estimated carbon footprint.

In Session 2, we'll break into smaller groups for discussion and collaborative action planning to reduce Western's emissions.

TUESDAY 5 APRIL 2022

Session 1

9am to 9.45am

Western's carbon footprint

- Western's carbon footprint under "Climate Active"
- What does it mean for Western?

Session 2

1pm to 1.45 pm

Collaborative action planning

- Discussion/Q&A/Ideas
- Action planning

via Zoom

Sessions will be recorded

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ONLINE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE: CAITLIN MARLOR

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- 28/04: Attended LEAD Conference for 2022
- 29/04: Proofread and made edits to SRC Internship EOI piece
- 04/05: Attended SRC Induction with Grant Murray

Due to my recent commencement in this position, unfortunately my report is limited for this meeting. I look forward to working with the SRC and Online Student community in the future!



PARRAMATTA CITY CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVE: ELLYN JOYCE TORTAL

Not submitted



PARAMMATT A SOUTH REPRESENTATIVE: RAZIN POLARA

SRC Monthly Member Report – Razin Polara (May, 2022)

Meetings, events or conferences I have attended this month in my capacity as a member of the SRC:

- Attended meeting with the Other student Leaders regarding the SRC campus stall initiative.
- Meeting with Ukrainian student team on campus.
- Meeting with the student events team for the upcoming event.

Communication and engagement, I have been involved this month as a member of the SRC:

- Following my previous report, we have made over 2-3 clubs in collaboration with SRC. Which are about to plan and create an event.
- I have also been actively involved to promote the SRC office space as much as possible. Because that is something I found very useful to students.
- Me and Vicky-Rae Reed have been playing a soccer gala day to raise funds for Ukrainian students. It is also to spread awareness about the situation going on in Ukraine.
- We have collaborated with the events team and sports team to make it broader. We are also inviting other universities to take part in the event.
- And, also involves the provost making a good connection between students and staff seeing it is little or no interaction happening except for studies.
- In addition to that, with the collaboration with other clubs, we are organising some events in collaboration with SRC.

NIRIMBA CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVE: SARA MIKHA

Monthly meeting:

Joined SRC March meeting, we discussed some of the agenda items and budgets and got on track with everyone's plans and events. This also helps me know what everyone's goal is and what we're up to. It is beneficial to keep us updated every month.

Provost:

I got an invitation to join and be part of the provost team. We discussed some events for easter day and Anzac Day. We also talked about what we need to change in Nirimba Campus.

C3 Student leaders Conference:

I was pleased to be part of the C3 conference; it was a fantastic event. I got to meet amazing people there, as well as I got to meet some of the SRC members and got to talk and share our ideas about future events.

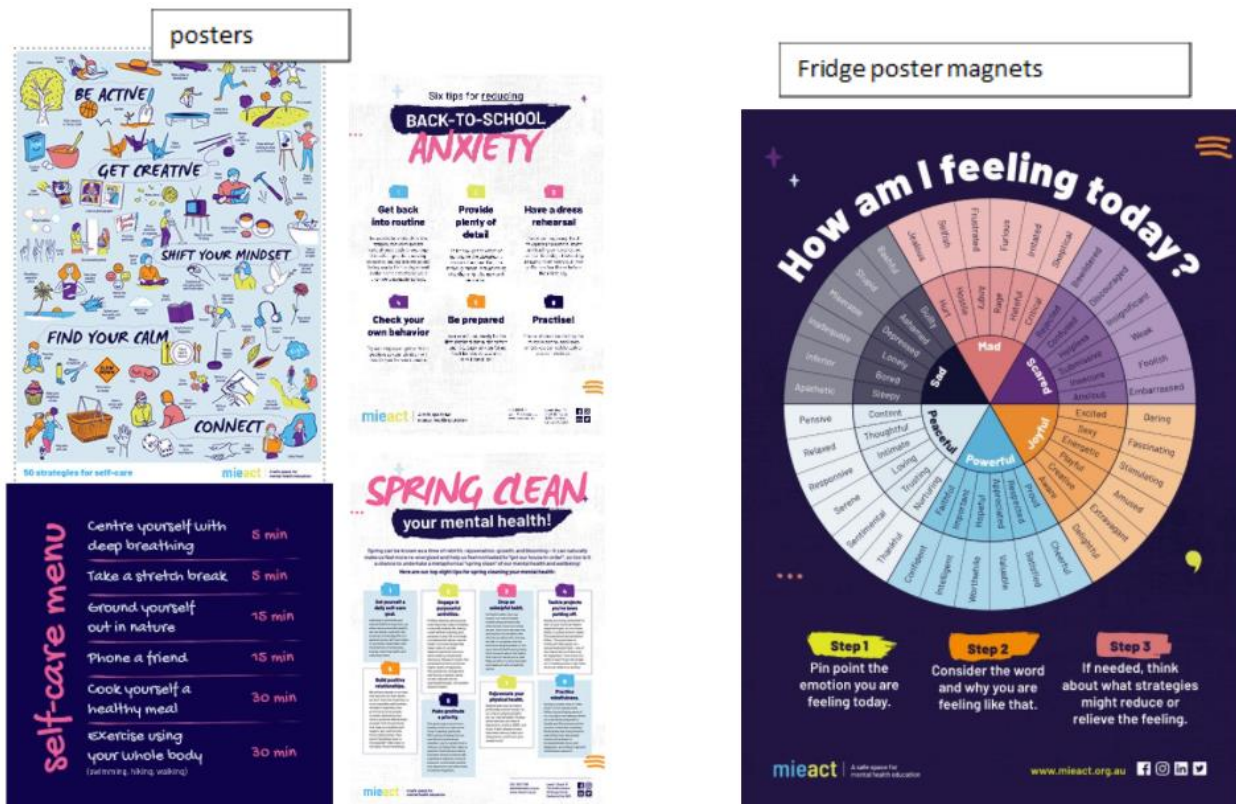
LEAD Conference:

It was an excellent opportunity to attend and be part of the LEAD conference. I had a good experience and learned a lot of good things from the leaders. In addition, the break out rooms gave me some ideas for my future events.

Future Events:

- I plan to put posters around each campus, and they will be about mental health. Also, giving out fridge poster magnets for individuals will help them know how they feel each day.

An example of posters and fridge magnets are:





KINGSWOOD CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVE: SIMON PREUSS-KEARNEY

Over April and early May, I attended to the following events/activities:

- I have continued my involvement in the SRC related meetings this month, such as the April SRC monthly meeting.

Over the month of May, I will attend to the following events/activities:

- Firstly, continuing my involvement in the SRC related meetings approaching this month, such as the May SRC monthly meeting.

- Secondly, I will be attending the Pacifika Cultural Competency Training. We are just awaiting a set date for it to be scheduled for.

- Thirdly, I am planning a Movie night for Kingswood at the end of this semester. I will be organising it with the assistance of Jasmine, and will be using the food purchased to cover both Bankstown and Kingswood's movie nights,

- Fourthly, I will follow up on the 2022 SSAF Advisory Group. This discussion will be planned as soon as possible - as the SRC budget committee have met and passed the budget, so we can take ideas of possible funding requirements to the SSAF Advisory Group.

- Fifthly, I will follow up on the budget requests and payment requests for both the unity cup tickets, and the jersey costs in the next two weeks. Additionally, I will organise a meeting with the queer collective and the Sydney Rangers (and possibly the Flying Bats), to discuss and provide suggestions to achieve a more inclusive tournament in the future. In order to encourage more interest from queer student - to feel welcomed to join future Unity Cups.

- Finally, I will be attending the Penrith Provost committee meeting. We will be planning further events to collaborate with the SRC on (such as a Penrith Campus Showcase).



BANKSTOWN REPRESENTATIVE: JASMINE RICCIARELLI

Monthly Report Bankstown Student Rep (April/May)

30th March 2022- Cross Campus Forum

Cross campus forum was held and they was a severe lack of students. A couple SRC reps attended and spoke about what plans they had coming up. As campus is moving back on campus creating forums with an incentive on campus is a better way to receive feedback from students.

4th April 2022- Complain: concerns about mould in women's room Bankstown

4th April 2022- Campus Stalls meeting

Attended meeting run by Bakar about the campus stalls. We spoke about ideas on what the stalls would look like, how we would like to run then and all gave ideas about how to promote WSU SRC.

4th April 2022- Email to Grant regarding mould in women's room at Bankstown and lack of cleanliness

5th April 2022- Meeting with Georgena Bowmer to give suggestion for child friendly library spaces

6th April 2022- Meeting with Grant to gain advice of how to give vouchers for my student chat and about the mould issue in the Bankstown Women's room

14th April 2022- Meeting with Grant to finalise gift pay vouchers for student chat

Went through and was shown how to use my budget to give students a thank you gift pay voucher for participating in my student chat.

19th April 2022- Campus Stall Meeting

Attended meeting run by Bakar about the campus stalls. We spoke about the next steps in proceeding in the campus stalls and went through what everyone has already completed.

26th April 2022- Times for Next Campus Stall Meeting

Let Bakar know the time to book the next campus stall meeting

27th April 2022- C3 Conference Sydney Olympic Park

Proposal and Actions-



CAMPBELLTOWN REPRESENTATIVE: DHARSHINI SATHYANARAYANAN

This month has been quite productive. I was able to get involved in various events and share my ideas to other SRC members.

Events that I was a part of:

- I volunteered to lay the wreath in Cenotaph, Martin Place during ANZAC day. I was meant to recite the Ode. However, I was unable to find the coordinator. So, I laid wreath and participated in the commemoration service after my slot.
- I attended the C3 Student Leaders Conference on the 27th April. It was a great day. I had the opportunity to meet other SRC members and student leaders from other clubs and societies. The breakout sessions were quite informative and engaging.

Things I am currently working on:

- Campus stall working group: This a group with Vice President (Undergraduate) and the other Campus representative, where we discuss on how to successfully set-up a stall for the SRC every month. We are currently brainstorming and sharing ideas.
- Women's room – Had a meeting with the Women's collective representative. We are working on making the women's room accessible.
- Had a meeting with the library department on making the child-friendly study spaces.
- Jigsaw Puzzle Competition – In the brainstorming stage right now. Did talk about it to other campus representatives and got positive response. Yet to discuss about this to other SRC members.
- Shuttle Bus tracker – Working on set a up a group where we can brainstorm ideas on redesigning the shuttle bus tracker. I am leaning towards hosting a hackathon where students from tech and design clubs can design a more accessible, use-friendly shuttle bus tracker. I will be discussing more about this in the upcoming SRC meeting.



HAWKESBURY CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVE: VACANT

Not submitted



LIVERPOOL CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVE: ROMONDA EID

ACTIVITY: Anzac Day memorial – 5am Dawn Service at CHPRSL Club. I met up with Vicky-Rae to pick up the wreath which she organised; it was a beautiful piece of work. I attended the Service and took some memorable photos for not only myself but for the Events co-ordinator Muriel Buckland. I was pleased to know my picture holding the lovely wreath supplied by the University through the Anzac Day working group, was posted on the clubs TV.

ACTIVITY: Campus working group stalls - Bakar's initiative to introduce the SRC to fellow students, letting them know what we do and how we operate. I will be partnered up with Jasmine at Bankstown Campus and also at Liverpool Campus. I also volunteered to do Parramatta City Campus, seeing there is no one available to take that role. We have met numerous times, and there will also be more meetings before we are stationed on our posts in hopefully end/mid-May.

ACTIVITY: Spoke with Grant about possible ideas for Liverpool Campus. Initially Grant reached out to me to clarify if I was staying on the SRC or if I had quit my role. I informed him I'm dedicated 100% to this position and im very privileged to be with a group of lovely people. I spoke to Grant about possible ideas for the Liverpool Campus – I want to get a black board or white board and markers so that students can jot down their ideas. I also am interested in having a suggestion box in the kitchen on Level 1. I was advised that I needed to reach out to either Bakar or Cameron about getting these items from the budget, I reached out to Bakar, he was happy to help however, I have not heard back yet.

ACTIVITY: Had a conversation through Zoom with Georgena Bowmer regarding parent friendly libraries. I brought up the ideas of having iPad for the children to play on while the parent is studying, miniature tables and chairs, bean bags, pillows and little goodie bags which contain all the fun "activity" items e.g., pencils, paper and stickers.

ACTIVITY: Ukrainian Gala - in the middle of planning with Vicky-Rae and Raz, a Gala fundraiser for the Western Sydney Hardship Fund. Suggested getting Ukrainian coloured wristbands which were created and look great. I have tried numerously to get in touch with the Eels Club, in a bid to obtain a signed jersey which can be raffled off on the event, however my emails and calls have not been returned. This event should be held at Centennial Park on the 29th of May.

ACTIVITY: Mother's Day giveaway – this was a wonderful group effort which was planned by Vicky-Rae, Tiffany and me. We all contributed to finding the right/perfect gifts which three lucky winners would win, we included indigenous arts and prints. It was a fantastic idea and should also be used for Father's Day. The lucky winners were drawn on the 2nd of May.

ACTIVITY: Attending the C3 meeting at the Rydges Hotel Sydney Olympic Park. Was involved in two breakout sessions – Events planning and Marketing/Branding. Was very encouraged and comfortable in the Events group, had a lot of deliberations and talking about how events are planned. I found this extremely helpful. Nick was fantastic with engaging the students. I also had the privilege in meeting a lot of the students, SRC, Collectives and also the guest speakers. I am grateful for this training and experience.

ACTIVITY: Biggest Morning Tea – I am currently in a working group with Vicky-Rae organising a Biggest Morning Tea for Cancer Research. This event will be held at the Rydges Campbelltown location on the 22nd of June.

EVENT REQUESTS: I have put in a event request for an online "Laugh Therapy" session on the last Wednesday of every month. I am currently waiting for any feedback and response from the Events team. I believe this year has been tough on everyone, I once had a laugh therapy session at a conference, and it was fantastic! Its amazing what a bit of laughter can do for your mindset. I am really hoping that this event goes ahead.



AGENDA ITEMS: I am planning on having an end of year Winter Wonderland Fete at the Bankstown Campus, seeing it is very open and possibly its last year operating. I have sent out a few SRC related emails to the current SRC and collectives to see if there is any interest, and surprisingly there has been a lot of interest in helping and support. I brought this idea up during the C3 Conference (Events breakout room) and a lot of the students were really happy and excited to have something like a fete happen at the end of their teaching session (end of the year). A few new collectives and SRC members have also shown interest in helping me plan and organise this event, along with the wonderful Vicky-Rae. I also wanted to introduce a fundraising factor to this event, seeing Vicky needs to find some much needed funds for her important surgery, I suggested and emailed SRC members to find out who is willing to self-fund their own cupcake store, with proceeds from sales going towards Vicky's cause. There has been a few interests, and I am happy to go ahead if this is decided upon. Just note: Funds for cupcakes and baked goods are self-funded and will NOT be taken out of the SRC funding. This event will see stalls, rides and foods. I am also hoping that this will be a combined uni event, inviting all campuses to come along. It is still early days; I am waiting on the agenda item to be passed before creating a working group to gather ideas and get the ball rolling.

IDEAS: I have heard a few concerns from other SRC members and Collectives. I was asked if the food kitchen would be brought back to Liverpool Campus, I put out a poll on my socials, asking if they would be interested in having weekly dinners, and a few people responded with YES. I am thinking about getting this started, I will need to talk with Daniel or Marissa about bringing this to life before putting in an agenda item.

CONCERNS: I was also notified about the Liverpool storeroom which has a lot of outdated items such as diaries, food and posters. There also seems to be a trolley and a heap of mess in there. I was asked if I could sort this out so there could potentially be more space for other Collectives to store their items. I would like to be able to get this done however, I am unsure who I should see about disposing items. Vicky said she will talk to Nick about this.

I was also told that the queer room spaces are simply too small, especially in the Parramatta campus. If there is a way to move rooms or make it bigger than the current space (2 people), that would be helpful for that Collective.

I am also in talks with Jemma regarding the Women's Rooms on Campus. We want to make this a more inviting and safe space for women.

END NOTE: I would like to say that I have had a very productive month, and I am looking forward to seeing all these events through. I am really hoping we can make this Fete a fantastic "end of year" fair and show some love and FUN to the University life. I am hoping to create a Campus Forum, undecided if in person or online (or a combination of both), I am waiting for the events of this month to be completed before getting started on the forum and hopefully the fete!



WELFARE AND WELLBEING REPRESENTATIVE: VICKY-RAE REED

I FEEL THAT I HAVE ADEQUATELY UNDERTAKEN THE ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF MY ROLE FOR THE APRIL - MAY PERIOD 2022 BY ENGAGING WITH THE FOLLOWING:

- *Liasion with with Student Community and OEC re: mould in Bankstown Queer Space – April 14th*
- *SDSN Youth Q1 Town Hall – April 18th*
- *Zoom Planning and Information session with the Queer Collective to foster future collaborations – April 22nd*
- *Advocacy with Autism Spectrum Australia for student experiencing difficulty accessing Autism Assessment – April 22nd*
- *Authority to fundraise obtained from McGrath Foundation for High Tea – April 22nd*
- *Conversations with Campbelltown Arts Centre re: venue for Breast Cancer Awareness High Tea – April 23rd*
- *Delivery of ANZAC Day Wreaths to Student Leaders – April 24th*
- *Attendance at ANZAC Day Dawn and Commemoration Services at Ingleburn and Campbelltown to lay a wreath on behalf of Western SRC and the Western Student Veterans Association– April 25th*
- *SDSN Youth AuNZPac Regional Advisory Group Meeting – 26th April*
- *Conversations with Disability Collective regarding Guest Speakers for upcoming events – April 26th*
- *Liasion with McGrath Foundation and Cancer Council for Guest Speakers for Breast Cancer Awareness High Tea – April 26th*
- *C3 Conference Attendance at Novotel Olympic Park – April 27th*
- *Assisting Queer Collective to place Event Request for their Dr Strange Multiverse of Madness Movie Night – April 27th*
- *Bankstown City Campus Change and Communications Working Group – April 27th*
- *Attendance at Equity, Diversity & Wellbeing Monthly Meeting – April 28th*
- *Liasion with Keitah Martens-Shaw of B.OK Ideas to organize gift boxes for Breast Cancer Awareness Morning Tea in collaboration with the Women's Collective, Ethnocultural Collective, Disability Collective, Indigenous Collective & Liverpool Campus Representative – April 29th*
- *Follow Up with Andrew Fa'avae of Mana Pacifica to reschedule Pacifica Cultural Competency Training – April 29th*
- *Conversations with Women's Representative, Jemma Cook, regarding the implementation of an SRC Inclusion Plan – April 29th*
- *Liasion with Rydges Campbelltown regarding venue for Breast Cancer Awareness High Tea – Budget Impact of 1111.88 from preexisting ANZAC Commemorations budget under Collective Events allocation – April 22nd*
- *Mothers Day Giveaway – April 30th*
- *Break down of Ethnocultural Expenditure sent to Crystal Ram – May 2nd*
- *Complaint Resolution with Disability Services and Counselling regarding student having two wait 4 weeks for appointment with DA and Counsellor – May 2nd*
- *Payment submitted for Centennial Parklands Sports Centre – Budget Impact of \$750 from pre-existing Unity Cup allocation – May 2nd*
- *NSW Council for Pacific Communities Monthly Meeting – May 2nd*



- *Liasion with Musiq Entertainment for Breast Cancer Awareness High Tea – May 2nd*
- *Assistive Technology Catch-Up with Natalie McLaughlin and Sally Leggo – May 4th*
- *Liasion with Brendan Hoey in Sports regarding Intersarsity Attendance at Ukrainian Fundraising Soccer Gala – May 4th*
- *Organisation of facilitation of a OneStop payment portal for our Ukrainian Response Soccer Gala Day – May 4th*
- *Continued liaison with Anna Denejkina regarding organization and promotion of Ukrainian Response Fundraising Soccer Gala Day – May 3rd*
- *Conversations with Nick Dionisopoulous and Marrisona Waddington regarding cost centres and project codes for One Stop implementation – May 3rd*
- *Fundamentals of Complaint Handling Workshop with the NSW Ombudsman – May 5th*
- *Liasion with SBS Inclusion to enquire regarding facilitation of a Cultural Competence Program – May 5th*
- *LGBTQIA Mentorship pitch with Michelle Corbett of Ally Network and Rainbow Western – May 6th*



SMALL AND REGIONAL CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVE: ROMIT SAHARAN

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