RMIT UNIVERSITY STUDENT UNION

Summary of SUC Minutes

RMIT University Student Union Council

Sheldon Gait – General Secretary 16th December, 2021

Summary of the Meeting of the RMIT University Student Union Council, Thursday, December 16th, 2021, 6:00pm, Zoom

1.1. Outcome Definitions:

1.1.1. Carried Unanimously – A majority supported the motion without opposition and/or abstentions.

Carried – The motion was supported by a majority with opposition and/or abstentions.

Unsupported – No Mover and/or Seconder was found for the motion; therefore, it did not face a vote.

Defeated – A majority opposed the motion with support and/or abstentions. **Defeated Unanimously** - A majority opposed the motion without support and/or abstentions.

1.1.2. Attendance

Attendance records for the SUC held on December 16th, 2021, is available at https://www.rusu.rmit.edu.au/sucattendance2021

2. Motions:

2.1. 2022 RUSU Budget Approval

Submitted by: Sheldon Gait (General Secretary)

Moved: Sheldon Gait (General Secretary) **Seconded:** Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officer)

Outcome: Carried

2.2. Non-Voting Representative (Ex-Officio) Membership – RMITV Chairperson

Submitted by: Sheldon Gait (General Secretary)

Moved: Sheldon Gait (General Secretary) **Seconded**: Adam Steiner (President)

Outcome: Carried

2.3. Activism in 2022

Submitted by: Benjamin Milne (General Representative)

Moved: Benjamin Milne (General Representative) **Seconded:** Ella Marchionda (General Representative)

Outcome: Defeated

2.4. RUSU Supports International Women's Day Protest

Submitted by: Benjamin Milne (General Representative)

Moved: Benjamin Milne (General Representative) **Seconded:** Ella Marchionda (General Representative)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.5. RUSU Supports Invasion Day Protest

Submitted by: Ella Marchionda (General Representative)

Moved: Shylicia Mckiernan (Indigenous Officer)

Seconded: Ella Marchionda (General Representative)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.6. Sexual Assault and Harassment (SASH) in the University Sector

Submitted By: Beth Shegog (Women's Officer)
Moved: Bethany Shegog (Womens Officer)

Seconded: Shylicia McKiernan (Indigenous Officer)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.7. Elimination of Violence Against Women

Submitted By: Beth Shegog (Women's Officer) **Moved:** Bethany Shegog (Womens Officer)

Seconded: Shylicia McKiernan (Indigenous Officer)

Outcome: Carried

2.8. RUSU Advertising and Social Media Budget

Submitted by: Shana Schultz (Publications & Communications Officer)

Moved: Felicia Nguyen (Communications Officer)

Seconded: Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officer)

Outcome: Carried

2.9. RUSU 2022 Membership Merchandise and Competitions

Submitted by: Patrick Adams (Publications, Communication and Membership

Officer)

Moved: Felicia Nguyen (Communications Officer)

Seconded: Mark Morante (Disability and Carers Officer)

Outcome: Carried

2.10. RUSU 2022 Membership Fee and Member Stickers

Submitted by: Patrick Adams (Publications, Communication and Membership

Officer)

Moved: Felicia Nguyen (Communications Officer) **Seconded:** Angelin Tom (City Representative)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.11. Condemn the Religious Discrimination bill

Submitted by: Reggie Chang and Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officers)

Moved: Reggie Chang (Queer Officer) **Seconded:** Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officer)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.12. 2022 RUSU Student Representative Professional Photography

Submitted by: Felicia Nguyen (Communications Officer)

Moved: Felicia Nguyen (Communications Officer) **Seconded:** Bethany Shegog (Womens Officer)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.13. Women's Department Merchandise

Submitted by: Bethany Shegog (Women's Officer)

Moved: Bethany Shegog (Womens Officer) **Seconded:** Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officer)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.14. Bundoora Campus Department Merchandise

Submitted by: Ayesha Ahmed (Bundoora Coordinator)

Mover: Ayesha Ahmed (Bundoora Coordinator)

Seconder: Jack Spires (Bundoora East Representative)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

2.15. 2022 SSAF Project Delegation: All SSAF Student Priority Grants

Submitted by: Mandi Scott (Governance & Development Officer)

Moved: Sheldon Gait (General Secretary)
Seconded: Adam Steiner (President)
Outcome: Carried Unanimously

3. Motions moved in other business

3.1. Compass Merchandise for Semester 1 2022

Submitted by: Jenna MacLeod (Compass Coordinator)
Moved: Mark Morante (Disability and Carers Officer)
Seconded: Ayesha Ahmed (Bundoora Coordinator)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

3.2. Compass Postcards for Semester 1 2022

Submitted by: Jenna MacLeod (Compass Coordinator) **Moved:** Mark Morante (Disability and Carers Officer)

Seconded: Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officer)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

3.3. SUC Motion – Events T-Shirts Reprint

Submitted by: Mandi Scott (Governance Officer)

Moved: Reggie Chang (Queer Officer)

Seconded: Mark Morante (Disability and Carers Officer)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

3.4.2022 SUC Induction Motion - January Trip to Queenscliff

Submitted by: Student Engagement Officer (Caroline O'Farrell)

Moved: Sheldon Gait (General Secretary)

Seconded: Angelin Tom (City Representative)

Outcome: Carried Unanimously

3.5. Battery Powered PA Speakers for All Campuses

Submitted by:

Mark Cooley (Activities & Events Officer)

3.6. Audio PA Subwoofer - City Campus

Submitted by: Activities & Events Officer (Mark Cooley)

Moved: Patrick Pieciun (Queer Officer) **Seconded:** Reggie Chang (Queer Officer)

Outcome Carried Unanimously