

**University of Melbourne Student Union
Meeting of the Education Committee**

Agenda

Friday, 04/04/2025, 1:15pm AEST

Meeting #6(25)

Location: Hybrid(Zoom)

Room 201, Level 2, Building 168

[Zoom Link](#)

Sonika Agarwal is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Sonika Agarwal's Zoom Meeting

Time: Apr 4, 2025 01:15 PM Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney

Join Zoom Meeting

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Join our Cloud HD Video Meeting

1. Procedural Matters

Meeting opened at 1.22pm

1.1. Election of Chair

To elect Sonika Agarwal as the Chair of the Education Committee Meeting

Mover: Sonika

Seconder: Rutvi

Carried without Dissent

1.2. Acknowledgement of Indigenous Custodians

Acknowledged

1.3. Attendance

Viraj, Sonika, Harrishman, Abhie, Sophia, Reema, Rutvi, Senaya (Sam)

Sam and David entered the meeting late.

1.4. Apologies

Rhea Sankar

Absent: Yuito Takizawa

Proxies

None received

1.5. Membership

Aidan Wujanto-Hawe and Lola Bowers were terminated.

Senaya Rathnaweera and Reema Ababneh have been appointed.

1.6. Adoption of Agenda

To adopt the agenda, with a motion without notice Mover: Sonika Carried without Dissent

2. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

To confirm the minutes of the Education Committee Meeting 5(25) on the 20 th of March.		
Mover:	Abhie	Seconder: Rutvi

3. Conflicts of Interest Declaration
None conflicts of interests

4. Matters Arising from the Minutes
Viraj to still investigate circular motions.

5. Correspondence

6. Office Bearer Reports

All office bearer reports are attached, if not will be delivered verbally

Sonika

Sonika to share Office Bearer Reports

Elected reps meeting upcoming, attendance hurdles paper, de-weighting, lack of abdoe access.

Week 8 Southbank

Badgemaking Stall about Enrol to Vote

Naarm Student Society- Election on the May 3rd..

Academic Board Restructure-there will be vote

Viraj

Updates on Southbank Action

Updates on protest rules

Updates on Activity x Ed Collab

Updates

Harrishamn

Updates on Counter Course Handbook

-changes to the tech

-10th of April, super chill but food, increase the engagment, submit the test, review, 4-6pm

-APC Updates

Rhea Sankar

Attached to the agenda

6.1 Accept Office Bearer Reports Verbal/Written

To accept the Office Bearer Reports *en bloc*

Mover: Rutvi
Carried

Second: Sophia

7. Motions on Notice

Procedural Motion

To move motions 7.1, 7.2 and 7.3 en bloc

Mover: Sonika

CWD

Motions 7.1, 7.3, 7.3

Mover: Abhie

Second: Rutvi

Carried

Viraj and Sonika spoke about the need for more diverse food options, because we have done Sushi twice already.

7.1 To reimburse Sonika Agarwal for \$119.00 for Education Action Collective 2 food, from A1 Bakery from the Programs-Collectives' budget line 03-60-620-3839

Mover:

Second:

7.2 To reimburse Sonika Agarwal for \$287.30 for Education Action Collective 3, for food from Sushi Hub from the Program-Collective's budget line 03-60-620-3839

Mover:

Second:

7.3 To approve the expenditure of \$300 for the fourth Education Action Collective, for food and refreshments from the Programs-Collective Budget line 03-60-620-3839

Mover:

Second:

7.4 To reimburse Rhea Sankar of 41.24 for the purchase of Kahoot Premium, for Kahoot Trivia Night from the Events-General Budget line: 03-60-620-3840

Mover: Abhie

Second: Rutvi

Carried without Dissent

Viraj spoke how the collective will focus on renting in Melbourne, and how we can best support them. Additionally issues in regards to academic services
Abhie shared, that employability and food options were also major concern.

7.5 To approve the expenditure of \$600 for the Southbank Education Action Collective from the Event- Food and Beverages budget line 03-60-620-3840

Mover: Abhie

Second: David

Carried

Sonika and Viraj explained the new initiative on promoting awareness on key issues using badges.

We are making queer badges for Week 6.

7.6 To approve the expenditure of \$300 for the purchase of badgemaking resources, for badgemaking initiative at Bites and Bustles from the Events: Campaigns Budget line 03-60-620-3840	
Mover: Abhie	Second: Rutvi
Carried	

7.7 To approve the expenditure of \$200 for food and beverage on the Special Collective on the Counter Course Handbook Beta-Launch from the Events: Food and Beverage budget line 03-60-620-3840	
Mover: Abhie	Second: Rutvi
Carried	

8. Other Business (Motions without Notice)

8.1 To move approved expenditure of \$45 UMSU Assembly's from the Events: food and beverage to the to the Events-General budget line.03-60-620-384	
Mover: Abhie	Second: Rutvi
Carried	

9. Discussion Time/Updates on Committee Research

Okta Verify has been a increasing issue across the University
If people knew their options
Telling people there options
Post
Someone did a whole deep dive, a simple post, how to do it?
Reel, would it be.

Music Student Booking practice room, the booking system change, booking from 7am, booking problem.

No other blackmails, chinse speaking students, a few union mart volunteers, to chat with other. There is we chat stuff.

RSA, alchol certificates, and the UMSUint doing it again. They will certifications again. People are not getting aware out it. The sold out post. Limited number spots. Womens did RSA, the resume building workshops.

A note about how Okta Verify and the increase in annoyance over it. However, we note it is a security related issue. Additionally, Abhie, and David shared there are ways to get around that and we should consdier posting about it.

10. Next Meeting

Week 7-16/04- 4pm-5pm

11. Close

Meeting closed at 1:59pm.