



**University of Melbourne Student Union
Meeting of the People of Colour Committee
Agenda
4.30 PM, Friday the 17th of March 2022
Meeting 5(23)
Location: Teams**

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Meeting opened at 4.32 PM

1. Procedural Matters

1.1. Election of Chair

Motion: To elect Mohamed Hadi as Chair

Mover: Mohamed hadi

Second: Nawaar Noor

Carried Without Dissent

1.2. Acknowledgement of Indigenous Custodians

So acknowledged

1.3. Attendance

Natasha Mulay, Marko Younan, Malaz Mohamed-Bakhit, Manasi Deshpande, Hiba Adam, Mohamed Hadi, Nawaar Noor

1.4. Apologies

Upasna Goel, Dimi Olayanju

1.5. Proxies

Upasna Goel to Manasi Deshpande

Dimi Olayanju to Hiba Adam

1.6. Membership

No Changes

1.7. Adoption of Agenda

Motion: To adopt the agenda as presented.

Mover: Mohamed Hadi

Seconder: NA

Carried Without Dissent

2. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

To confirm the previous minutes of 4(23) as a true and accurate record of the meeting

Mover: Mohamed Hadi

Seconder: NA

Carried Without dissent

3. Conflicts of Interest Declaration

None.

4. Matters Arising from the Minutes

None.

5. Correspondence

A student reached out to the department asking to hold celebrations for Iranian New year

6. Office Bearer Report

- **Collectives**

POC Collective happened this week and the turnout was too good! Bla(c)k collective also came to a good start, QPOC is going strong, Women and enbies of colour will start from next week on Wednesdays straight after poc collective 3-4 PM, southbank poc collective will be also starting week 4

- **Ramadan iftars**

Submitted a ssaf grant for the iftars hopefully we'll get some income in for them, other than that working with welfare to start these next Thursday and continuing them every Tuesday/Thursday till the end of ramadan

- **Eid**

Looking to collab with clubs and the activities department to host this, we're looking at taking over concrete lawn and have sweets handed out with each club having an activity/handing out food

- **Racism in travel workshop**

Awaiting HR approval and the contracting process can start! Speaker is working on their presentation

Motion: to accept the office bearer report

Mover: Mohamed Hadi

Seconder: NA

Carried without dissent

7. Other Reports

None.

8. Operational Business

9. Motions on Notice

9.1. Ramadan Iftars

This is for catering for the Ramadan iftars happening from next Thursday onwards with welfare

Motion: To approve \$2000 from the Events – General (03-60-680-3840) budget line for catering for the Ramadan iftars

Mover: Nawaar Noor

Seconder: Manasi Deshpande

Carried Without Dissent

No Discussion

9.2. Application 1 – Anti-racism workshop

This is a resubmission of the Intersectionality workshop

Motion: To approve the anti-racism workshop application on Deconstructing white feminism and approve a payment of \$250 from the Events – General (03-60-680-3840) budget line for the presenter of the workshop

Mover: Natasha Mulay

Seconder: Nawaar Noor

Carried Without Dissent

Discussion:

- Committee discusses what is white feminism and a run down is given about the topic and implications it has for BIPOC
- Mohamed alerts committee to make a final decision on this application on whether to accept or reject it and not leave the applicant hanging.

10. Motions without Notice

10.1. Iranian New year celebrations

Motion: To approve \$500 from the Events – General (03-60-680-3840) budget line for the purchase of catering and items relating to Iranian new year

Mover: Natasha Mulay

Seconder: Manasi Deshpande

Carried without Dissent

No Discussion

11. Other Business

Mohamed encourages committee to volunteer for Ramadan iftars happening every Tuesday and Thursday with welfare

12. Next Meeting

Two weeks time

13. Close

Meeting closed at 4.49 PM