



University of Melbourne Student Union
Meeting of the Queer Committee
Agenda
(Thursday, 2nd, August, 2023, 3:15 p.m. AEST)
Meeting 8(23)

Location: Queer Department Office, Level 3, Building 168 / Zoom

Zoom link:

<https://unimelb.zoom.us/j/84242849418?pwd=dTBOeEx3L1g4YVNIVIBoOUZwVjdKdz09>

Meeting opened at 15:20

1. Procedural Matters

1.1. Election of Chair

Motion: That Mehul Gopalakrishnan is to be elected Chair.

Mover: Mehul Gopalakrishnan
CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Seconded: Inder

1.2. Acknowledgement of Indigenous Custodians

1.3. Attendance

Toby Mills, Inder, April Kelly, Madeline Brown, Theo Purchase

1.4. Apologies

Al Lin, Natasha

1.5. Proxies

1.6. Membership

1.7. Adoption of Agenda

Motion: That the agenda be adopted as presented.

Mover: Mehul Gopalakrishnan
CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Seconded: Inder

2. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

Motion: That the Queer committee takes the previous minutes as an accurate depiction for meeting 7(23)

Mover: Mehul Gopalakrishnan **Seconded:** Inder

3. Conflicts of Interest Declaration

4. Matters Arising from the Minutes

5. Correspondence

Leslie talked about: Speaking to Ari Dunphy (Senior Advisor for Safer Community Program), being involved in a queer health workshop series in collaboration with HPP (Health Promotion Program)

Mischief talked about: Speaking to CME about matters regarding the Queer ball

6. Office Bearer Reports

Leslie spoke about their involvement in the queer health workshop and some of the workshop details including collaborations with the Disabilities department. They also talked about the upcoming Collectives for this semester. They also talked about the CAMP magazine progress, including designing promotional material and the current plan for the aesthetic and theme. Also mentioned to the committee that the queer department is under budget currently and the status of the profit and loss statement. Specifically trans collective and Qpoc underspending as well as G&Ts.

Mischief talked about Merchandise, Queer ball and the Winterfest Drag night show. Specifically about the Venue, and considering using Market hall as it would be on campus. Also the struggle of finding accessible venues and considering hiring Red Frogs.

7. Other Reports

8. Operational Business (Motions on Notice)

9. General Business (Motions on Notice)

Motion 9.1: That the Queer Committee approves the expenditure of \$3,000 from the Programs budget line for weekly catering at Queer Lunch.

Mover: Inder

Seconded: Madeline Brown

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Motion 9.2: That the Queer Committee approves the expenditure of \$1,000 from the Programs budget line for weekly catering at Trans Collective.

Mover: Inder

Second: Toby Mills

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Mehul moved a Procedural motion: That motions 9.3 and 9.5 be moved en bloc.

Mover: Mehul Gopalakrishnan

Second: Inder

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Motion bloc 9.3 and 9.5:

Mover: Inder

Second: Madeline Brown

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Motion 9.3: That the Queer Committee approves the expenditure of \$1,000 from the Programs budget line for weekly catering at Ace/Aro Collective.

Motion to Amend motion 9.4: That the Queer Committee approves the expenditure of \$2,800 instead of \$2,000 from the Events budget line for the biweekly purchase of alcohol and supplies for G&T's with the LGBTs.

Mover: Leslie Ho

Second: Inder

WITHOUT DISSENT

Amended Motion 9.4: That the Queer Committee approves the expenditure of \$2,800 from the Events budget line for the biweekly purchase of alcohol and supplies for G&T's with the LGBTs.

Mover: Inder

Second: Theo Purchase

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Motion 9.5: That the Queer Committee approves the expenditure of \$150 from the Consumables & Supplies budget line for the purchase of safe space supplies.

10. Other Business (Motions without Notice)

10.1. Motion 10.1: That the Queer Committee approves the reallocation of \$3000 from the “Grants” budget line to the “Events” budget line

Mover: April Kelly

Second: Inder

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

Motion 10.2: That the Queer Committee approves the reallocation of \$1000 from the “Programs” budget line to the “Publications” budget line

Mover: Inder

Second: April Kelly

CARRIED WITHOUT DISSENT

11. Next Meeting

To be decided

12. Closed at 15:42