

Full-Time Officer Group (FTOG)

Teams Meeting

Present

Hope Aquilina, Welfare & Community Officer (WCO) (Chair)
Devansh Jhamnani, Activities & Employability Officer (AEO)
Lara Parker, Sports Officer (SO)
Ravikiran Rajashekar, International Officer (IO)
Ritakshi Maheshwari, Postgraduate Officer (PGO)

Also in Attendance

Jo Thomas, Chief Executive (JT)
Amber Challinor, HR Coordinator (AC) (note taker)
Lisa, Clark, People and Administration Manager (LC) (For AOB only)

Apologies

Alex Keen, Education Officer (EO) Syed Sadath, Guild President (President)

The Chair welcomed everyone, and the meeting started at 12:00.

No	Item for Discussion	Notes	Action
1	Minutes of the Previous meeting (30.09.24)	The Chair presented the minutes of the previous meeting, dated the 30 th September 2024 for the Officer Team's approval.	Noted
		The Officer Team approved the minutes as an accurate record of the meeting.	Noted
2	Items for UEB / Guild	JT noted the upcoming UEB / Guild meeting and noted the draft agenda for the meeting, to include a Guild update from this year's Welcome Week.	Noted
		JT requested that the Officer Team email JT if they have any additions to the agenda.	Officer Team
3	Officer Feedback on School and College Welcome Talks	The Officer Team discussed their feedback from their Welcome Talks at the university.	Noted
4	Officer Diaries	The Officer Team discussed their key meetings for the week ahead:	
		SO – Finance committee, Worklink meet and greet, EDI working group meeting with UBSport	Noted
		WCO – Meeting with the Community Safety team, C&M catch up, Lunch with the Chancellor	Noted
		IO – Language Café, Finance committee, University Council	Noted

		PGO – Catch up with James, Coole Insight mentoring session, Language Café,	Noted
		AEO – Valefest meeting, Activities committee provision meeting, Incident catch up meeting,	Noted
		President – Finance committee, University Council, University council dinner	Noted
5	Officer Projects	President: Coffee with the President, West Midlands conference	Noted
		PGO: Speed friending event was successful with 200+ enrolled and 50+ attendees. Now working on pumpkin carving event for Halloween	Noted
		SO: Sport access fund to open on 21st October, Women in sport meeting last week was positive	Noted
		IO: Language café, Halloween Desi night, International wellbeing cafe	Noted
		WCO: Work surrounding housing, creating videos to show students how to do things such as check their meter	Noted
		AEO: Desi fab and Bollywood nights to progress by the end of the month	Noted
6	Schools/Colleges/ Dubai Update	Nothing to discuss.	Noted
7	Part-Time Officers	Nothing to discuss.	Noted
8	AOB	LC joined the meeting to discuss the Guild's EDI committee with the Officer Team.	Noted
		LC noted that the WCO chairs the committee, and the President is also a member. LC noted that the Officer Team should choose one more Officer to sit on the committee and to let LC know who they would like to nominate for this role.	Officer Team

The meeting finished at 12:40.