AGENDA – Education Council (EDC) 6 2023

Wednesday, 27 September 2023

Graneek room and zoom – 6:15pm

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 852 4382 2419

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Item 1: Meeting Open and Apologies

- 1. Acknowledgement of Country
- 2. Apologies
- 3. Passing of previous meetings minutes

Item 2: Executive Reports

- 2.1 President's Report (B. Yates) [Reference A]
- 2.2 Vice President's Report (G. King) [Reference B]
- 2.3 General Secretary's Report (P. O'Neill) [Reference C]
- 2.4 Education Officer's Report (B. Tucker) [Reference D]

Item 3: College Representative Reports

3.1 College of Engineering, Computing, and Cybernetics [Reference E]

- 3.2 College of Arts and Social Sciences [Reference F]
- 3.3 College of Law [Reference G]
- 3.4 College of Sciences, Health and Medicine [Reference H]
- 3.5 College of Business and Economics [Reference I]
- 3.6 College of Asia Pacific [Reference J]

Item 4: Discussion Items

Item: 5: Other Business

Item 6: Meeting Close

Expected close of meeting 7:30pm

Reference A

Reference B

Reference C

Reference D

Reference E

Undergraduate CECC EDC 6

Harrison Oates and Punit Deshwal

This report shares updates from the agenda items of the recent CDC meeting for SOEN and SOCO. Unfortunately, we couldn't attend these due to time clashes.

There weren't any major announcements. Some key takeaways were:

- 1) The college has to review 25 courses per year according to ANU policy. They are looking at ways to select these courses in a timespan of 5 years.
- 2) There were discussions to change learning outcomes on the P&C website for some of the major courses like comp1100.
- 3) ANU accreditation procedures are currently underway as well which means college has to review every course. They will have a "light review" for courses with less enrolments.
- 4) The cyber security major and systems and architecture specialisation aren't achievable due to course destablishments. Although cyber security is fixed, systems is still pending.
- 5) Due to introduction to application fees for international applications, SOEN is expecting less enrolments next year and they will keep an eye on how this affects the overall numbers.

Reference F

CRC Report 5 – College of Arts and Social Science

Mickey Throssell and Lara Johnson

1. Introduction

Hi everyone! With a new term, students are super busy with assessments and course work, so we hope everyone is doing well and a reminder that we are both here to help with any troubles that arise with courses.

2. CASS CEC Meeting

Lara attended the CASS College Education Meeting. The key points from the CEC were:

- Further discussions on the compulsory minor, specifically the transdisciplinary and Indigenous course elements.
- Brief conversation on the online, recorded, short Postgraduate courses.
- The meeting was primarily about staff and consultations for new master course.

3. Issues with Courses

We have received an email with concerns about an exam commencing at 7pm and it going for two hours long.

4. ANUSA Events

- Mickey and Lara both attended the relevant ANUSA meetings
- Mickey attended the EAG meetings

Reference G

Reference H

Reference I

CBE rep report:

Mid sem exams - Some issues with automatic marking of multiple choice questions, issues with students not correctly filling out the boxes or not listing names. So far most of this seems to have been resolved but will keep an eye on it.

Marvin (Director of Students and Learning) is stepping down from his role, Marvin has been really helpful with issues coming from students so will be very interested to see how succeeds him.

Feedback sessions have been and are continuing to go on, seems like we are getting good engagement.

Was actually asked at the CBEEC if I wanted to provide a report to the committee (nice to be included), while providing feedback on specific points is good this presents as a good opportunity to get to put issues front and center within the College, hopefully more to come on this.

Not much else to report besides general student issues which we have been dealing with :)

Reference J