



EDUCATION ZONE MINUTES

WEDNESDAY 13TH MARCH 2019,
MEETING ROOM 3, STUDENT CENTRAL

Attending:

Charlotte Durham (CD)
Sanaa Sabir (SSa)

Fran Trzeciak (FT, secretary)

Apologies received from Lee Pearson (LP), Isobel Hall (IH), Gavin Zhongxiaocho Gong (GZG), Saalo Sparkes (SSp) and Rosie Russell (RR).

1. PTO Updates

Faculty Rep for Science and Engineering (SSa)

SSa updated the Zone on the FSE careers and employability week, which she is organising. At the moment she is promoting this event.

PGR Rep (CD)

CD updated the Zone on her plans to disseminate more information about the application process for PGR degrees. She plans to create a leaflet and host a drop in session in late spring.

CD also mentioned the name change of the Graduate School to the Doctoral College. She highlighted it wasn't clear how students were consulted and suggested the process for decision making in Senate – where this decision was passed – was opaque. She plans to follow this up.

2. SLTSAs

FT provided an update about the Student-Led Teaching and Support Awards. All members of the Education Zone will have a chance to get involved and present the prizes. She will circulate information about this nearer the time.

3. RepFest

All Education Zone members have the chance to sign up to RepFest. Details have been emailed out. They must do so by 15th March.

4. AOB

Course Rep Celebration. FT invited all members of the Zone to Course Rep Celebration which – despite the name – will celebrate their achievements. The event is on the 5th April in Sanc between 7 and 9pm. There will be food and drink and the chance to win prizes. All PTOs and Reps will receive a certificate. They are also eligible to win one of the other awards.