



MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SYDNEY UNIVERSITY
POSTGRADUATE REPRESENTATIVE ASSOCIATION HELD AT 6 PM ON Thursday
12th March AT THE SUPRA OFFICES

Chair: Rashmi Kumar

Minutes: Lian Jenvey

Apologies: Sam Greenland, Kate Barnsley, Nicholas Scott

Present: Heidi Claus, Lulu Stewart, Paolo Mazzi, Tahrid Chowdhury, Rashmi Kumar, Rosemary Whitecross, Lian Jenvey, Cipi Morgan

1. Acknowledgement of Country

2. Minutes

That the minutes of the council meeting 29/1 and 16/2 be accepted.

That the minutes of the management committee 9/3 be accepted.

Moved: Lian Jenvey CARRIED

3. Resignations and nominations to council

i. that the resignations of Tahrid Chowdhury and Thomsa Huang be accepted

ii. Nominations: Qiang Ju, Chihong Choi, Nick Irving and Jason Judge

That the above nominations be accepted **Moved: Rosemary Whitecross CARRIED**

That Lulu Stewart be appointed acting Treasurer Moved Rosemary Whitecross CARRIED

4. Office Bearer Reports

- a) Presidents:
- b) Co-Vice-Presidents
- c) Secretary
- d) Treasurer

That the reports are accepted **Moved Nicholas Wilson CARRIED**

5. Equity Officer Reports and Updates

- a) Queer Officer
- b) Women's Officer
- c) International Officer
- d) Campaigns and Policy
- e) Publications

That SUPRA allocate an additional \$1000 to Students For Palestine to fund Palestine Solidarity Week, on the proviso that all stalls and events carry SUPRA material Moved Cipi Morgan **CARRIED**

5. Membership drive

That SUPRA sets up a working party to investigate redesigning the membership model comprising Rashmi, Rosemary, Kate, Heidi and Lian Jenvey
Moved Heidi Claus CARRIED

6. PRN

7. WCC

Ann Turner's resignation is noted.

7. Staffing

8. VSU, Bradley review and NUS NDA

9. NTEU

That SUPRA supports the NTEU EBA campaign and any industrial action that union takes including encouraging SUPRA members to respect any picket lines and participate in picketing where possible. **Moved Lian Jenvey CARRIED**

10. Petition about quarantining of ABSTUDY

That SUPRA endorses the anti-racism collective's petition about the quarantining of ABSTUDY **Moved Heidi Claus CARRIED**

11. Other Business

That the SUPRA council accepts the resignations of Tahrid Chowdhury and and Thomas Huang **Moved Nick Wilson CARRIED**

That SUPRA purchases a printer for the resource room and empower Anne Coates to investigate this purchase to be signed off by Rashmi Kumar **Moved Cipi Morgan CARRIED**