

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY 30th Students' Union Council First meeting of the 30th NTUSU Council

Date: 26th September 2020 Time Started: 0900H

Venue: Zoom

Present on Time	Club Panyasantad/Pasition Hald
Present on Time	Club Represented/ Position Held
Non-Academic Constituent Club	President SC
1. Neo Jiun Hao, Joel	President WSC
2. Jessie Tan Huixian	Vice-President WSC
3. Ellie Lew Yi Ting	President CAC
4. Lim Ting Wei, Sherleen	Vice-President CAC
5. Cai Yong Kang	Vice-Fresident CAC
Academic Constituent Club	
6. Timothy Yip	President SSS
7. Ang Shang Le	President CEE
8. Justin Teo Zhong Heng	President WKW SCI
9. Hoo Kah Jun	President SCSE
10. Deon Lee Jie Hui	President ASE
11. Sean Ng Ming Sheng	President LKCMED SMS
12. Neoh Eng Tiong	President MSE
13. Looi Hui Jun	President MAE
14. Dervin Rochi	President SPMS
15. Fan Chongyue	President SBS
16. Alex Lim Tze Ming	President TTC
17. Teo Wei Kiat	President EEE
18. Loi Xin Zhe Hubert	President ADM
19. Ng Shi Mian, Ann Nicole	President SOH
H. D.	
Union Representatives	Union EXCO Representative – CAC
20. Dion Sng Jia Sin	Union EXCO Representative – CAC Union EXCO Representative – CAC
21. McCully Ayrton Leonard	Union EXCO Representative – WSC
22. Ng May Lin	Union EXCO Representative – WSC
23. Bong Ru Hui	Union EXCO Representative – WSC Union EXCO Representative – Sports Club
24. Er Joey	Union EXCO Representative – Sports Club
25. Ong Shao Wei, Wesley	Union EXCO Representative – MAE
26. Ong Li Xin, Randelle 27. Cheah Guan Ying	Union EXCO Representative – IVAE Union EXCO Representative – SSS
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28. Hoo Wen Ann, Janeil	Union EXCO Representative – SCSE
29. Lim Gia Lim	Union EXCO Representative – SOH
30. Glen Tang Jun Hao	Union EXCO Representative – SOH
31. Lim Yih Ching32. Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan	Union EXCO Representative – ABC
	Union EXCO Representative – ABC Union EXCO Representative – ABC
33. Loh Mei Ling	Union EXCO Representative – ABC Union EXCO Representative – SBS
34. Song Xin Jie (Steph) 35. Violin Yapputri	Union EXCO Representative – SES Union EXCO Representative – EEE
	Union EXCO Representative – SPMS
36. Salmah Sng Mei Wen	Union EXCO Representative – SCBE
37. Ashley Soh Wem Qi	Onion EACO Representative – SCBE
Observers	
1. Tneoh Yuan Chen (Kenji)	Observer
2. Kee Yong Jie	Observer
3. Amarpreet Kaur	Observer
4. Bryan Michael Chiew	Outgoing 29th Students' Union President
5. Cheng Si Min	Outgoing Vice-President (Corporate Communications)
6. Yap Ying Qian	Outgoing Corporate Communications Executive (Branding)



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7. Tong Kai Ting	Chief Returning Officer	
8. Cheryl Lim Yan Shan	Outgoing Corporate Communications Executive (Relations)	
9. Tilden Tan Jun Leong	Outgoing Finance Executive	
10. Wong Wei Xiang, Alvin	Outgoing SPMS President / Stand-in Council Chair	
11. Amann Kaur	Outgoing Integration Executive	
12. Lee Wei Jun, Javier	Outgoing President ABC	
13. Muhammad Firdaus Bin Kamsani	Outgoing President CEE	
14. Tang Wei Quan (Eugene)	Outgoing President WKWSCI	
15. Xaiver Sim Le Jing	Outgoing President ASE	
16. Wong Jia Mian	Outgoing President MSE	
17. Pu Wen Wei	Outgoing President MAE	
18. Lim Kai Yi (Eldeen)	Outgoing President SBS	
19. Goh Cheng Ze (Tristan)	Outgoing President TTC	
20. Iswari Joyce Kaliappan	Outgoing President WSC	
21. Smeetha Nair	Outgoing Vice-President WSC	
22. Liu Bingyu	Outgoing President CAC	
23. Benedict Teo Wei Hwa	Outgoing Vice-President CAC	
24. Felix Loo Khai Chieck	Outgoing President SC	
Late with apologies	Position Held	
1. Wang Anqi	Vice-President SC	
2. Goh Kai Yong	President SCBE	
3. Shaun Sim Jia Xing	President ABC	
4. Lim Hun	Union Representative – NIE	
5. Vicki Sim Wen Qi	Outgoing Student Engagement Executive	
Absent with apologies	Position Held	
1. Jared Tan	Outgoing President SOH / Council Chair	
2. Ashwin S/O Singaram	Outgoing LKCMED SMS	
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 Ashwin S/O Singaram Hashen Singh Dhillon Kan Siew Yin, Debbie Park Kunyoung Cheng Boon Ruan (Clara) Lee Jie Si (Jane) 	Outgoing LKCMED SMS Outgoing President SSS Outgoing President EEE Outgoing President SCSE Outgoing President ADM Outgoing Operations Executive	

- **Meeting Agenda 1. Council Chairperson Election**
- 2. NTUSU Executive Committee Election
- 3. AOB



S/N Agenda

1. 1.1 Proposal for Representatives to be Present and have Speaking Rights

Proposer: Ms Tong Kai Ting Seconder: Ms Cheah Guan Ying

1.2 Proposal to Proceed to the First Agenda

Proposer: Mr Bryan Michael Chiew

Seconder: Ms Lim Gia Lim

The procedure of the Council Rally was briefed by Ms Tong Kai Ting and the procedure included Presentation, Question and Answer and Voting.

1.3 Council Chairperson's Council Rally

Nomination for Council Chairperson: Neo Jiun Hao, Joel

Proposer: Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel Seconder: Ms Fan Cheong Yue

1.3.1 Presentation

Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel felt that the pandemic brought new opportunities to provide for the student body. He brought up his previous leadership experience in the Sports Club where national flagship events and their annual Sports Unlimited were cancelled. It was a painful experience for him as the events chairperson as his team had spent months preparing for the event. Joel felt troubled as he did not know how to proceed. After consulting with his peers, Sports Club had decided to build a culture of inclusiveness in NTU, one which everyone would be excited to join. The phase "Amor Fati" translated to "Love of Fate", guided his thoughts. It is an attitude which ones sees everything that happens in one's life, including suffering and loss, as good or necessary. He felt that it is important to control the situation at hand and to recognize the issues that matter- students. As council chair, he endeavors to enable students to become better leaders and wants to provide opportunities for students to succeed during tough times. He hopes that council can work together as a family to act in the best interest of students, to the best of their ability. He recognizes that council has to stay relevant to the current situation and place the Students' Union in a position to coordinate and execute policies to elevate the student experience. As a former national athlete, he had an amazing team of administrators to help with his needs while he focused on reaching his goal to become the best athlete. Hence, he took on a leadership position, to pay it forward and do the same for students. He felt that failure to plan diligently and over-looking details will result in students losing trust for council. As such, urges council to build and maintain a higher morale ground. He feels that as an intermediatory between the school management and student population, council must have the ability to manage the relationship between multiple stakeholders and have the courage to voice issues from students while understanding the position of the school. He intends to utilize resources and his experiences to ensure that students get the support they need. Above all, the council chair must have the integrity to stand up for what is right and to challenge the status quo to ensure that students can be their best. He believes that his experiences as a former athlete and in leadership positions can shape the future of NTU.

1.3.2 Question and Answer

- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew asked what about his understanding of council and if he had any issues he would want to work to resolve as council chair.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel said council chair should provide the direction for council. He
 hopes to create a more inclusive and diverse environment for students. He felt that more
 support could be given to provide students with a holistic experience in NTU, instead of
 solely focusing on academics.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew asked how Joel would differentiate between his role as council chair and a president of a non-academic club. He also asked about Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel's thoughts on the role of the Union's Executive Committee in council.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel said council should decide on the direction and message to send
 to all students. Council can also provide feedback from different sources to have a better
 understanding of student's sentiments. The Executive Committee should aid to look into



- matters which council has raised from student feedback. As council chair, Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel felt that he needs to remain neutral and objective while facilitating conversations between presidents and the Union to benefit students.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim asked how he would achieve his goal of ensuring a more inclusive NTU
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel would look at the finances of the Union. He would like to explore the topic of Union fees and how it is being distributed to the different clubs. He felt that the goal of being inclusive is rather broad and hopes for council to convene to chart the overall direction.
- Ms Juliet Tan Li Xuan asks about the challenges Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel foresees he
 would face and how he intends to overcome them.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel mentioned about the difficulties of charting the direction of council. Managing the views of the Union's Executive Committee and the Presidents of each club would be tough as well but he hopes for everyone to remember to work for the students instead of against each other.
- Mr Cai Yong Kang foresees an issue where council will have diverse opinions due to the different backgrounds. He asked how Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel would resolve conflicts in Council should it happen.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel emphasizes on the importance of doing the best for students. He
 hopes council can be objective in the way debates are carried out and when ideas are
 pushed through. He hopes council would be able to set the direction for student life
 which would then be executed by the Union's Executive Committee.
- Ms Juliet Tan Li Xuan requested for Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel to clarify his comment on whether policies on student life should be initiated by council. She asked what Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel expectations for presidents are to formulate policies for the School when they already have the responsibility to look after their own clubs. She also asked if Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel would like to raise any policies for council to consider.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel felt that Presidents should put their club first and ensure student life is managed within their jurisdiction. Feedback from students should then be relayed to Council during meetings from each club. He agrees that the Executive Committee should continue to raise policies for students as they would have the resources to do so as well. He hopes student life can be more inclusive and diverse but feels that it is unfair to solely take his view on how council should chart the direction for now.
- Ms Juliet Tan Li Xuan mentioned that President wear two different hats, one as a leader looking out for his club members and another as a leader looking out for the entire student population.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel felt that Presidents should be able to understand their students concerns and hence would be in a better position to speak for their students. He felt that he only sees presidents wearing "one hat" in council, the hat with the understanding of their students concerns within the club.

Proposal for Time Extension

Proposer: Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Seconder: Ms Juliet Tan Li Xuan

- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew gave an example of how classes moving online might affect one group of students more than the other. He felt that if presidents come into council with the impression that they only represent their club, it would be hard to agree on the best policy or decision to be made for the overall student body. Hence, placing their own club as priority would result in conflict. He asked if Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel would maintain his stance that presidents should place the concerns of their club first.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel agrees and mentioned he will keep with that stance. The policies raised in council should be revised with their own club to ensure that any club are not at a disadvantage. He felt that he had an advantage of having 2 representatives from Sports Club in council. Hence during meetings, he would be able to remain neutral and mediate conversations in council while his other representative would instead focus on pushing agendas from Sports' Clubs perspective.

Proposal for Time Extension



Proposer: Ms Juliet Tan Li Xuan Seconder: Mr Cai Yong Kang

- Ms Lim Gia Lim asked what Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel would do differently from his predecessor.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel mentioned that his main concern was how policies were being set by the Union and approved by council. He hopes that Presidents could take the lead in formulating policies and their respective club members should be consulted before it is proposed in council.

Mr Wong Wei Xiang, Alvin declared the end of the question and answer session. Mr Wong Wei Xiang, Alvin invited Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel left the room for voting.

1.3.3 Voting

Total vote: 36

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
25	5	5	1

Council Chairperson: Elected in position

Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel took over the Council proceedings as the new Council Chairperson and Mr Wong Wei Xiang, Alvin retreated to the back.

Proposal for break

Proposer: Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel Seconder: Mr Felix Loo Khai Chieck

2. **2.1 Honorary General Secretary's Council Rally**

Nomination for Honorary General Secretary: Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph)

Proposer: Ms Tong Kai Ting

Seconder: Ms Er Joey

2.1.1 Presentation

Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) is a year 3 student at the School of Biological Sciences. Her experience in the Students' Union include being an Assistant Group Leader for the Union Orientation Committee in 2019, as well as the Vice-Chairperson of UOC Battle Royale in 2019 and subsequently the Chairperson in 2020 where she spearheaded the administration and planning of the event and managed the social media platforms. Through her experience, she understood how cohesions and synergy between different portfolios and members were key in the execution of an event. She felt that this can be achieved through internal communications and how it is converted into meaningful actions. Her experiences and determination to build personal connections and enable everyone to have a sense of belonging would aid her in the role of becoming a Honorary General Secretary. She wants to ensure that students have a holistic tertiary education while serving the student body. She felt that Transparency and Internal Governance should act as a compass for how the union would work. She would be precise with accurate documentation of meetings and hopes to safeguard students' interest to ensure that the student body would continue their trust in the Union. She would like to propose the student-ideation platform which allows students to submit and share their ideas which can improve student life in NTU. If other students feel that that the ideas are good, they can give their vote of confidence. Should the idea achieve a significant level of support from the students, she would bring the idea to discussion with the relevant executives where they would work towards the realisation of the idea. To create a strong foundation for Internal Governance, she would ensure that deadlines should be tracked, she will hold anyone accountable for their actions and enforce disciplinary action, shall the situation arise. To aid in keeping track of progress within the Union, she would implement an Internal Audit Report for all committees. She would also like to closely monitor the Exco's timeline and individual KPI through midterm reviews. The reports will encompass any feedback to help the individual improve on their



leadership skills.

2.1.2 Question & Answer

- Ms Tong Kai Ting asked Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) to provide more details on the Ideation Platform.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) mentioned that students would submit solutions to common
 problems they observe in NTU on the platform. Once it is published online, students
 can upvote the solutions raised. The ideas will be brought up to the relevant
 Executive for consideration. Students can also track the progress of their ideas,
 whether it is passed or in progress,
- Ms Ng May Lin asked Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) to clarify on what the internal report would include.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) mentioned that the goal was to identify any gaps in the
 committee, whether or not they meet with their KPIs or if the committee's followup on the actionable after the meeting. She would want to include a timeline in the
 report which would act as a "to-do" list for committees to complete in-between the
 different reports.
- Mr Cai Yong Kang felt that the Student Ideation platform was a good idea, he asks where the platform would be.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) would want to place the platform on the Students' Union website and would discuss with the relevant executive to implement it.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentioned that the platform may be similar to the existing U-feedback service. She asked how Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) would differentiate the two platforms.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) mentioned that the platform was only for solutions and not general feedback from the students. She recognizes that there are no existing platforms for students to raise their ideas and felt that solutions proposed were mostly from Council or the Executive Committee.
- Mr Cai Yong Kang asked how Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) intends to publicize the platform to students.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) intends to work with the communications arm of the Union to push for the platform.
- Ms Er Joey mentioned that the U-Wave application has a discussion forum as well.
 She asked how Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) would differentiate the ideation platform from the discussion forum.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) mentioned that the discussion forum was quite informal, and it was a place for students to connect. She would market the ideation platform to show how students' ideas are taken into consideration by the union and council. The platform will be frequently reviewed by her to sieve out suggestions from the community. She hopes to drive student innovation and realizing them.

Proposal for Time Extension

Proposer: Ms Er Joey Seconder: Ms Ng May Lin

- Ms Fan Chong Yue asked if she had a timeline on when the platform would be executed
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) mentioned that she does not have a specific date for when
 the platform would be released as she would need to discuss with different
 stakeholders about the idea.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew asked Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) on how she would improve on her predecessor's work.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) understands that the Honorary General Secretary would have a wide overview on how the Union and Council operates and would be able to give input to other portfolios. She would take more initiative to be an advisor to the different portfolios in the Union. She understood that some disciplinary issues stem from the lack of a structured reporting system and hence thought of the Internal Audits for committees to resolve the issue. She hopes to standardize meeting procedures such as the adoption of meeting minutes and following up on actionable



after the meeting.

- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew mentioned that part of the role of the Honorary General Secretary would be to handle disciplinary issues within the Union. He asked how Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) would approach and handle cases within the Executive Committee should it happen.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) places a large emphasis on forming personal connections with her committee and felt that having these relationships are key to ensure a strong committee. If she recognizes that a member is unable to cope with her workload or is not performing up to standards, she will lend a listening ear to them. If the member does not act on his/ her issues, disciplinary action should be taken.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao mentioned that the difficulties of pushing for a bi-monthly review would be the different work schedule of the committees. Some committees might have high and low points in their performance. He asked how she would handle committees who are less activate within the certain period of time.
- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) felt that committees should have an actionable from meetings which happens every two weeks. She understands that not all committees have the same workload all year round and would work with the next Chief of Staff to understand the situation.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) left the room for voting.

2.1.3 Voting

Total vote: 34

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
30	2	2	0

Honorary General Secretary: Elected in position

Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) took over the Council proceedings as the new Honorary General Secretary and Ms Tong Kai Ting retreated to the back.

2.2 President's Council Rally

Nomination for role: Ms Cheah Guan Ying

Proposer: Mr Cai Yong Kang

Seconder: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

2.2.1 Presentation

Ms Cheah Guan Ying spoke about her work experiences, where she was involved in admin and training, and on business development and marketing. In NTU, Ms Cheah Guan Ying participated in various involvements, such as in the Union. She was the Vice-chairperson of the editorial committee in Year 1, and was the Special Projects Executive in the 29th Student Council. On top of that, Ms Cheah Guan Ying was a SAO integration and inclusion student ambassador, where she helped with the integration of international students and handicap students. Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that after 2 years in the Union, she is aware of the gaps that she wish to fill, such as increasing standards of SU events, work on communication to the student body and work on internal governance of SU to maintain Union values. Ms Cheah Guan Ying then shared her plans for the next year. Moving forward, Ms Cheah Guan Ying identified campus vibrancy and financial assistance as two of the key planning ideas she wants to work on. On top of that, Ms Cheah Guan Ying introduces "IDEN30". which is her planning ideas for the next academic year. She hopes to create a collective identity among NTU students and the Union, and to aid students in development and skills-upgrading. She also wishes to further emphasize on empowerment and mental health, to help in putting in place policies and platform for such support. Ms Cheah Guan Ying also wishes to highlight and promote sustainability in NTU. After sharing her plans, Ms Cheah Guan Ying share with the Council her proposed structure for the 30th Students' Union, which includes some new roles, namely, Vice-President (Policy), Communications Project Executive, Transport Policy Executive and Housing Policy Executive, and some name changes. She then shares with the



Council on the new roles and structural changes, and how such a new structure would potentially aid the 30th Students' Union in its function.

Ms Ellie Lew Yi Ting and Ms Ng Shi Mian, Ann Nicole left room at 1156Hr.

2.2.2 Question and Answer

- Mr Cai Yong Kang asked about sexual harassment issues, and whether Ms Cheah Guan Ying has any concrete ideas to share about the platform initiative she mentioned in her presentation. He then cites some examples, of current affairs about NTU's sexual harassment cases, and what ideas Ms Cheah Guan Ying have towards the prevention efforts, and how she would propose to the school for a platform to allow proper discuss about these issues.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying agress that sexual harassment has always been more focused on females and neglected on males and mentions that the NTUSU empowerment committee also handles a lot of social issues such as sexual harassment and gender inequality. To push this committee forward by working closely with SAO, she also mentions about the training of peer helpers to talk to victims and to provide a good support system. Ms Cheah Guan Ying then spoke about her chat with Minister Ong Ye Kung, on how sexual harassment issues should be raised to a nationwide level, but a lot has to be done and it is not possible for instantaneous results, instead this is a long-term goal.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao asked about how she plans to motivate her Executive Committee members to work.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that this motivation comes for how NTUSU is branded, and not so much about incentives. She believes that a sense of purpose is important. She also highlights that she wishes to provide welfare for her Union members, and to give the members more of an intrinsic value-add and for them to grow together with NTUSU.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao then questions about the racial issues and social issues, and how Ms Cheah Guan Ying hopes to promote healthy communication platforms, on top of the Ministerial Open Discussion and Events (MODE).
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying first highlights that these issues raised are highly sensitive issues, that the school may have reservations on. She believes that the Union needs to put a strong front and try to convince and show the school management these discussions are needed and desired by the student body. She also mentions that external organizations, like NYC, can be sourced to support such discussions.
- Mr Alex Lim Tze Ming clarifies on the new structure proposed by Ms Cheah Guan Ying, where he questions the need for the new roles, and whether the new proposed structure has been passed by the Council
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that the change in structure is based on feedback given from the 29th and that it is the President's right to make such structural changes, for a more efficient and effective function of the Union.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew further clarified that the consultation of the structural change with the Council is part of the presidential candidate's rally.
- Mr Alex Lim Tze Ming further questions on the purpose of the two new roles added, naming the Transport Policy Executive and Housing Policy Executive.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying clarifies that the job scope of these two new roles used to be under Welfare Executive (Student Life) but it was too much workload. Hence the splitting of the role into 2 separate roles, so each role can focus on their portfolio to a greater detail.
- Ms Er Joey asked for greater elaboration on Ms Cheah Guan Ying's IDEN30 planning.
- Mr Cheah Guan Ying first means that the IDEN30 planning is going to be her foundation for the 30th NTUSU. The 4 pillars under IDEN30 would help her with the direction in her run. Her 4 pillars, namely, are "Collective Identity" "Development", "Empowerment and Mental Health" and "Sustainability".
- Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle raises a hypothetical situation of #BlackLivesMatter on how about it is a touchy issue and the school management might not be agreeable to speak about these topics. However, students may desire such issues to be addressed,



- and feels that NTUSU are not speaking up for their wants. She questions how to Ms Cheah Guan Ying would mediate such an issue.
- Mr Cheah Guan Ying reiterates how these issues and discussions are highly sensitive. She mentions that she would relate to the school management that these topics may be sensitive, but it is what the students are concern about. She believes that it is necessary to communicate clearly with the school management.
- Mr Justin Teo Zhong Heng raises a clarification on the structure, questioning what the role of the Chief of Staff is.
- Mr Cheah Guan Ying clarifies this by mentioning that the Chief of Staff role is just a change of name, from the previously Human Resource Executive.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asked what how Ms Cheah Guan Ying would handle a situation where the government and NTU perspective is not aligned with the demands of the student body. He then asks how she would build a good relationship with the government and the school management.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that the President's role is to be the voice, and she
 will always keep that at the back of her head. She reiterates that she believes that a
 good relationship can be forged via good communication with all the stakeholders.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen then further questions how Ms Cheah Guan Ying would manage if the senior management and students have opposing views.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying cites the S/U option as an example. She believes that it is necessary for good communication, to both the school management and the student body. She also hopes to innovate alternative ways to solve a problem.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen then asked whether the S/U option is what Ms Cheah Guan Ying would work towards, in her run.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying says that the S/U option is not a priority in her run.
- Mr Bryan Michae Chiew Sen asked Ms Cheah Guan Ying to critically access the 29th NTUSU, and to raise up some areas of improvements.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that the 29th NTUSU did a lot of work in the entire term. She identifies Executive Committee management as something she hopes to improve. She hopes that the Executive Committee would function in the way that members will get burnt out easily, to ensure more work-life balance, without compromising commitment and responsibilities.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Cheah Guan Ying to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Cheah Guan Ying left the room for voting.

2.2.3 Voting Total vote: 34

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For	Abstain	Against	Invalid	
24	2	8	0	

President: Elected in position

Council has approved of the NTUSU Executive Committee structural changes.

Proposal for lunch break

Proposer: Ms Ng May Lin

Seconder: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

Mr Lim Hun entered the room at 1333Hr.

Proposal to resume meeting

Proposer: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

Seconder: Mr Goh Kai Yong

Ms Ellie Lew Yi Ting, Mr Shaun Sim Jia Xing and Ms Ng Shi Mian, Ann Nicole left the room at 1335Hr.



2.3 Vice-President (Policy)'s Council Rally

Nomination for role: Ms Lim Gia Lim Proposer: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan Seconder: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

2.3.1 Presentation

Ms Lim Gia Lim introduces herself as a year 3 Computer Science student, and that she wishes for NTU student's voice to be heard in policies. She then briefly introduces her background, where she was part of the 29th NTUSU Executive Committee, as the Information & Research Executive, and chaired the empowerment committee. In her term, she researched on transport hotspots, and developed ideas for checking and tracking of crowds with Welfare Executive (Student Life . She also conduced events and research on mental health and sexual harassment on campus, and surveys, such as for online learning experiences. On top of that, she was the founder of MeTooSG, a MOE CCE curriculum reform workgroup. Ms Lim Gia Lim then elaborates on what her scope of VP(Policy) in the 30th would be. She selects 6 areas that she was going to focus on: Academic Development, Hall, Transport, Empowerment, Healthcare, Sustainability and Information & Research. She then shares her plans for each of these 6 areas. She the identify how her role as VP(Policy) can help in identifying trends and work on them, and hence better improve on such schemes and policies. She wants to work with the relevant stakeholders, and explore new ways to sustain engage students. Ms Lim Gia Lim wants to work closely with academic board leaders and strengthen communications and raise relevant student concerns to make sure policies are address student concerns to its best abilities.

Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel and Ms Wang Anqi entered the room at 1350Hr.

2.3.2 Question and Answer

- Mr Cai Yong Kang mentions that the previous policies drafted seems to not be communicated to the student body well. He asked Ms Lim Gia Lim how she plans to increase transparency of such motions.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that she is plannin to work closely with the communications division. She proposes that the policies should be rolled out before the new semester. Ms Lim Gia Lim plans to disseminate information concisely and before the students come back to school. She also plans to release yearly consolidated plans for policies. Ms Lim Gia Lim also believes that early gathering the information and early intervention, coupled with large amounts of publicity would aid in transparency.
- Mr Cai Yong zKang suggests a "single source of truth". He states an example, such as having all policy-related information to be released on the NTUSU website.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim says that she does not think that the SU website would be feasible, and that she will work closely with the communications division to find a suitable platform.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao raises his concerns on the difficulty of working with school management, and how Ms Lim Gia Lim aims to deal with it.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim explains that she has interacted with the school management numerous times in her run in the 29th NTUSU. She states that she notices that most of the senior management do try to implement things in the best interest of students, and she identifies that the best way to work with the senior management is to befriend them. She furthers that befriending is how she plans to work with senior management. She also elaborates her beliefs on how personal relationships would increase reliability and credibility in the polices she pushes out.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao raises queries on the peer support scheme, asking specifically
 who the stakeholders are involved and the plans she has for this scheme in the 30th
 NTUSU.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim explains that the peer support scheme was set up in 28th NTUS Udue to rise in number of people reaching out to the 28th SU Executive Committee, regarding such issues. She then mentions that this scheme started off with peer-support leaders, which were trained by the University Wellbeing Center, together with Health Promotion Board. Ms Lim Gia Lim also mentions how she notices that the existing support scheme is more focused on mental health, and less focused on others such as crisis management. She also mentions that this peer support scheme is



- an alternative arm to support students. Ms Lim Gia Lim then mentions that once all the students in the peer-support group is trained, she hopes to publicize them, together with the empowerment committee.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asks for Ms Lim Gia Lim's personal stance, as a Vice President (Policy), towards NTUSU representation on LGBTQ+, considering that it is very divisive in SG community.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim emphasizes that that this is a very sensitive topic. She mentions about an inclusive community and how NTUSU is supposed to represent the whole student body, both the more liberal and conservative people. Hence, the NTUSU has to be extra careful when addressing such issues. She believes that NTUSU needs to provide reassurance and show that NTUSU understands how these issues are very delicate. She believes that NTUSU needs to moderate such a topic, appropriately and safely. She then reiterates how NTUSU should not have a firm stance but be firm that communications between the different views from the different students are encrouaged.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asks about Ms Lim Gia Lim's personal challenges and how to overcome them.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that in her run in the 29th NTUSU, she was very busy and had a lot of commitment, where she became very over committed. She mentioned that it was difficult for her to let go of her sporting commitments and fully commit to her role in the 29th NTUSU Executive Committee, which resulted in her not being as present as she wished. This process taught her about time management, prioritizing her commitments, and learning how to ask for help when needed. Ms Lim Gia Lim emphasizes that she has made changes to step down from her sporting commitments and will be giving her 100% dedication on studies and NTUSU.

Proposal for Time Extension Proposer: Ms Ng May Lin Seconder: Ms Er Joey

- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asks for some experiences that she can land on, and how she plans to guide her follow junior Executive Committee Members.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim emphasizes on her belief in nurturing people, that that she hopes to play a role of guidance to her junior Executive Committee members.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asks Ms Lim Gia Lim to rate, from 1 to 10, the current state of policies, both in and outside of NTUSU, pertaining to students, and what actions would she to take and the goals she wants to achieve.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim clarifies that she is still unsure of all the policies at hand and cannot rate as she feels that policies are inconsistent through the different areas. For example, she states that for many academic policies, students' concerns are not properly communicated, and the policies drafted do not targeting students' obstacles. On the other hand, for disciplinary policies and healthcare policies, many policies are changing to include more things that students are concerned about. She hopes to update the student body, in a timelier manner, in communicating the policies and their changes.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asks, with respect to the state of the NTUSU constitution, what is one area that Ms Lim Gia Lim feels can be improved.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that she is currently not very sure of the state of the NTUSU constitution, but she will look into it.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Lim Gia Lim to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Lim Gia Lim left the room for voting.

2.3.3 Voting Total vote: 34

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
32	2	0	0



Vice-President (Policy): Elected in position

2.4 Vice-President (Student Activities)'s Council Rally

Nomination for Vice-President (Student Activities): Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao

Proposer: Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen Seconder: Ong Shao Wei, Wesley

2.4.1 Presentation

Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao is a Year 4 History student. He first shares his key experiences in his past 3 years in NTU, which include his experiences as the Human Resource Executive in the 29th NTUSU Executive Committee, Chief Group Leader of SOHTOP and Hall 10 Social Director. These experiences gave him a multi-faceted perspective of various student activities. His experiences gave him 3 visions for student activities: Vibrancy, Meaning and Intention. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao then introduces his proposed Student Activities division's structure. He then shares his projected outcomes, which is to ensure that NTUSU events are to be professional and are to address students' need. Also, he wants to support clubs, especially in this COVID-19 period. He also mentions how he is going to work with SAO to help in achieving clearer event guidelines, in this situation. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao then ends his presentation sharing that despite this uncertain period, he hopes to aid all the different clubs to alleviate their concerns with regards to events.

2.4.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Lim Gia Lim questions about what plans for COVID19 Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao has. She adds on how vibrancy requires physical presence and questions how he would help students in planning activities that protect such vibrancy. She then asks if Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao has any other alternatives for event planning.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao explains that he will work closely with SAO on the student activities guidelines. He mentions that the issue with the existing guideline is that the current regulations in place are very broad and leaves very little lead time for students to plan their events. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao wants to help in the dissemination of regulations, and he propose that the guidelines to be very accessible, to all clubs, to aid in activity planning. For alternatives for events, he feels that it is event specific, where some events can be completely virtual, others an consider a more hybrid approach.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui raises her concerns that the role of Vice President (Student Activities)
 have many events in their purview, and questions how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao plans to
 juggle the efforts of committees, in view that these efforts could be downplayed with
 the new COVID-19 guidelines.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao reiterates on proper talent acquisition, proper handover process and he importance of aligning the direction and motivation of the committees. He sees the need to scrutinize events, hold a high degree of expectation of his committees from the beginning and to constantly remind his committees on the intentions of the events at hand.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew Sen asks Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao to rate, out 10, and evaluate NTUSU's event execution, and to identify some areas that can be improved.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao rates NTUSU's events execution to be about 6 but reiterates that different events fair very differently. He identifies that some areas that can be improved is the planning phase. He mentions that the key reasons and goals of events are often lost, and committees than to innovate but rely on previous years' execution. He also identifies user interface as an area of improvement, such as crowd control.

Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi entered the room at 1445Hr.

- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel asks how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao plans to engage students, and how to delegate events to constituent clubs.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao answers that he will bring this up on a council level and he hopes to get all constituent clubs' events to show a united front and a collective identity.
- Ms Er Joey asks how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao how he envisions a hybrid event



execution, and how to incorporate online and offline transitions.

• Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao defines hybrid event and cites Welcome Week as an example. He mentions that for previous years Welcome Week was fully physical. However, this year, Welcome Week was greatly hybrid, where all information are on online booths, which aided in crowd control.

Proposal for Time Extension Proposer: Ms Er Joey

Seconder: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

• Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks what Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao's communication style is, and how he hopes to liaise with the Executive Committee members and his committees.

• Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao mentions that his communication style is that he tends to work closely with some people than others. He wishes to improve on this and have more collaborative discussion to get more perspectives. He aims to work closely w SAO in this reactive period and intend to see if information is disseminated properly with more detail in the regulations. He hopes to have more frequent discussions with SAO, and constantly update the constituent clubs on these.

Mr Shaun Sim Jia Xing entered the room at 1450Hr.

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying raise the concern that with Singapore heading towards phase 3, SAO could still have reservations despite government regulations. She questions how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao would push for this and represent students.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao mentions that he would discuss with SAO. There might be
 valid reasons and concerns on SAO side, but if these reservations are too strict, he
 would discuss further with SAO.
- Mr Tilden Tan Jun Leong raises up the exam welfare initiative, which SAO is strongly against. He asks Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao what his ideas are moving forward, and whether he has any plans for this initiative for all clubs.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao mentions that he will have more discussion on this with the Deputy Student Activities Executive. He understands that SAO is not very particular with the guidelines across all clubs, and he plans to ask the clubs about their stance with respect to COVID19 and bring this up as an agenda for Council Meetings. Furthermore, he hopes to make changes to this initiative, to make it more reciprocal and meaningful, and he intends to explore more areas of welfare.
- Ms Amann Kaur asked Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao how he plans to balance or mediate possible conflicts of interests between what his committees are pushing for and the demands of going in the NTUSU's direction.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao emphasizes that his role needs to aid in the aligning of directions of NTUSU, and what NTUSU want to give to the students. If such a situation arises, he would need to have a conversation with his committees to find a middle ground.
- Ms Amann Kaur mentions that in the 29th NTUSU Executive Committee, Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao only has 1 Junior Executive Committee member under him. But in his new role, he now has 4 Junior Executive Committee members under him. Ms Amann Kaur questions how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao plans to manage this.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao plans to help his Junior Executive Committee members by guiding them in the correct direction and help them be self-sustainable and achieve good standards. He hopes to always be there to help them, nonetheless.
- Ms Amann Kaur asked Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao what his biggest takeaway from the events he held, as the Human Resource Executive in the 29th NTUSU Executive Committee. She also adds a follow-up question, asking how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao how he would measure the impact and success of the events NTUSU has.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao states that he learnt to stick firmly to his end goal, and work towards his events with his intention. He mentions that, through his events as Human Resource Executive, he realized the importance of an event's intention, and how that value adds. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao, then answers the follow-up question of impact assessment. He first states that different events require different assessments, such as



engagement, cost and attendance. He notes that achieving such assessment might be hard to compare as more events will be going virtual. He then mentions the possibility of having post-event surveys, that contains specific questions. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao then mentions that he hopes to explore more ways for impact assessment.

<u>Proposal for Time Extension</u> Proposer: Mr Bryan Michael Chiew

Seconder: Ms Ng May Lin

- Ms Cheng Si Min states that there are actually many trends in all events, which spreads
 across-divisions in NTUSU, where many events tend to make common mistakes
 despite having After Action Reviews (AARs). Ms Cheng Si Min asks Mr Glen Tang
 Jun Hao how he hopes to mediate this.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao states that there is a need to convey AARs on NTUSU
 Executive Committee meetings, then have the Executive Committee member convey
 such information to their committees.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew asks how Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao would think others would perceive his strengths.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao states that he thinks his strengths are being consultative and patient.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew askes for Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao's interpretation of being a Constituent Club, and how he can work with the Constituent Clubs, to show that these clubs are actually a part of NTUSU, especially from the events perspective.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao mentions that he has yet to give this much thought. He mentions that a collective identity would be nice and can possibly achieved through alignment of events conducted. He states the possibility for Constituent Clubs' events to have the same motivations, same events timeline.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao left the room for voting.

2.4.3 Voting

1 otal vote: 34				
For	Abstain	Against	Invalid	
27	5	2	0	

Vice-President (Student Activities): Elected in position

Proposal for break

Proposer: Ms Ng May Lin

Seconder: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

Proposal to resume meeting

Proposer: Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley Seconder: Mr Justin Teo Zhong Heng

2.5 Vice-President (Communications)'s Council Rally

Nomination for Vice-President (Communications): Ms Er Joey

Proposer: Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) Seconder: Ms Violin Yapputri

2.5.1 Presentation

Ms Er Joey introduces herself as a Year 3 Sociology student. She first shares her background, which includes a Diploma in Advertising and Public Relations and internship experiences, such as at Touch PR and Events and Golin Singapore. She also took on many roles in the NTUSU, such as being a Group Leader in the Union Orientation Committee in Year 1, and Secretary in the following year. She also shares the many ad-hoc projects she took on in



NTUSU, such as the freshmen booklet, where she was the illustrator. In these experiences, she noticed a disconnect of the communications between students and NTUSU. Hence, she aims to build the SU's identity in the student body, improve engagement and promote active communication. Ms Er Joey then introduces the 3 principles she hopes to hold in her run if she was elected as the Vice-President (Communications). With her 3 principles, she aims to make a Union for students, by students. Ms Er Joey then introduces the 3 pillars she hopes to achieve, which are to increase the Union's visibility, to better internal coordination and quality, and to promote peer-centric support and engagement. She then identifies the area of improvements she hopes to work on. Lastly, Ms Er Joey hopes to make Union a better known support for students, to increase NTUSU's Instagram following and to improve NTUSU's overall impression among students.

2.5.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Cheng Simin states that NTUSU serves as bridge between the University and student body. She asks how Ms Er Joey would manage the situation if controversial topics are being discussed.
- Ms Er Joey states that she feels that it is important to remain objective and understand various perspectives. She hopes to align with these perspectives with objectivity, while representing the whole student body.
- Ms Cheng Simin then adds a follow-up question, bringing up a hypothetical situation of student interests' that are controversial. She cites a hypothetical situation, where students want to organize something regarding a controversial topic.
- Ms Er Joey states that she feels that it is not wise to take a stand on these. She
 reemphasizes that importance of remaining objective, such that while NTUSU can
 support the students' voice and help express their thoughts, NTUSU must not take a
 firm stand as it could form a divide.
- Ms Cheng Simin asks Ms Er Joey to quote a time she overcome a PR crisis.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that in her run as Secretary for UOC, there were many burst of
 false information being spread. Ms Er Joey had to carry out crisis management to
 mediate such occurrences.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks Ms Er Joey to share her plans for physical publicity.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that with phase 3 around the corner, she hopes to tap on the opportunity that the new normal brings. She mentions that in addition to increase digital presence, a 2-way communication is necessary and establishing better communications is much easier to do so in real life. Ms Er Joey hopes to build more opportunities for interactions with students, and to expand on this to build on physical presence.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying states that many students do not know what NTUSU does. She asks what Ms Er Joey thinks the reason behind this is.
- Ms Er Joey states that students do know of NTUSU through flagship events. However, beyond these events, students do not know what NTUSU does and do not know how the system works. She feels that there are many NTUSU events that have not been broadcasted to the students.
- Mr Cai Yong Kang mentions that the NTU email communication channel is often overlooked by students as this channel is often flooded with other emails. Mr Cai Yong Kang asks Ms Er Joey if she has any plans, or innovative ideas, to communicate events to the student body.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that she does hope to inform and educate students on the happenings on NTU. She agrees that there is a lot of flooding in the NTU email inbox. Ms Er Joey mentions that she plans to look into decluttering this in a more coherent way, by sharing such information through a weekly newsletter system. This would also allow all the events to be presented as a united front. Ms Er Joey adds that she also hopes to explore more platforms and channels to promote and reach out to students.
- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew mentions that students often use NTUConfessions as an avenue for students to voice their concerns. He asks for Ms Er Joey's stance on this platform, as compared to NTUSU's U-Feedback.
- Ms Er Joey first mentions that NTUConfessions is a more controversial platform, hence students may feel more heard on NTUConfessions. Ms Er Joey then mentions the need to raise awareness for U-Feedback, where she feels that the lack of usage of



U-Feedback is due to students not known the existence of this platform.

Proposal for Time Extension Proposer: Ms Ng May Lin Seconder: Mr Cai Yong Kang

- Mr Bryan Michael Chiew mentions that many students send emails to Constituent Clubs, but do not receive any reply. These students then email NTUSU, agitated. Mr Bryan Michael Chiew ask what Ms Er Joey intends to do to work on this, such as to work closer to the Constituent Clubs' publicity officers.
- Ms Er Joey hopes to advice and help Constituent Clubs on their channels. Although it
 might be difficult, Ms Er Joey hopes to work with Constituent Clubs, to align their
 messages, to be more consistent throughout all clubs. She adds that it would be best if
 people were more responsive on emails, as that is main channel of complains.
- Mr Bryan Chiew asks what measures the Council can use to can gauge Ms Er Joey's success.
- Ms Er Joey states that the main indicator would be the engagement rate on NTUSU Instagram. She mentions that, as of right now, engagement rate is 1.7%. She mentions that this number is easy to track across the year and would be her KPI.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel mentions that NTUSU has a lot of platforms. He questions what more can be done to address the spread of fake news.
- Ms Er Joey states that when confronting false news, on top of fast reaction, she feels
 that other alternatives, such as telegram, can allow NTUSU to update the student body
 instantaneously. She mentions that this is an area she hopes to work on and address, if
 elected.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao adds that events can become misaligned with what was intended. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao asks how Ms Er Joey hopes to align NTUSU events via communications.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that with a Communication Projects Executive to be in-charge of
 the communications of the 19 committees in NTUSU, this would greatly help to
 streamline and bridge all the communication collaterals being pushed out and would
 avoid misalignments.
- Ms Cheng Simin states that with an additional role in the communication division, this
 might bring more challenges in the aligning of Ms Er Joey's Junior Executive
 Committee members. On top of that, she asks how Ms Er Joey plans to manage the
 creative differences of her members and committees.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that she would have the ability to understand and be objective to
 align with the branding of NTUSU. Ms Er Joey says that there is definitively a need to
 be specific with the branding guidelines. She hopes to aid in managing these creative
 difference and revisit goals and reiterates that it is important to stay flexible and
 receptive to these differences.

<u>Proposal for Time Extension</u> Proposer: Mr Sean Ng Ming Sheng

Seconder: Ms Ng May Lin

- Ms Cheng Simin states that the role of the Vice-President (Communications) acts as
 the Data Protection Officer. In view of the increased PDPC regulation, together with
 careless students and more digitalization of information, Ms Cheng Simin asks how
 Ms Er Joey hopes to secure the students' privacy.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that there is a need to inform and educate students of the
 protocols, and states that many students do not know about the PDPA. Ms Er Joey
 mentions that it is essential to address these protocols to the students, especially to
 students who are planning events throughout the year and managing of privacy for
 admin purposes.
- Mr Cai Yong Kang mentions that about the PDPA issue, students might do what is more convenient and not comply the guidelines, despite being educated. He asks how Ms Er Joey hopes to force compliance.
- Ms Er Joey mentions that enforcing these would require her to work closely wall



PDPA officers for all the clubs. She mentions that she believes in the importance of ensuring safety while having fun.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Er Joey to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Er Joey left the room for voting.

2.5.3 Voting

Total vote: 35

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid	
31	2	2	0	

Vice-President (Communications): Elected in position

Ms Jessie Tan Hui Xuan entered the room at 1620Hr.

Proposal for break

Proposer: Ms Violin Yapputri Seconder: Mr Dervin Rochi

Proposal to resume meeting

Proposer: Mr Justin Teo Zhong Heng Seconder: Ms Violin Yapputri

2.6 Honorary Financial Secretary's Council Rally

Nomination for Honorary Financial Secretary: Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley

Proposer: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

Seconder: Ms Lim Yih Ching

2.6.1 Presentation

Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley introduced himself as a Year 2 Accountancy student. Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley then shares his professional accounting background, and his experience as a treasurer in the 29th NTUSU Student Engagement Committee and in Nanyang Polytechnic's Law SPIN group. He also shares about his experiences in his internship in KPMG Singapore. Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley then shares his other leadership experiences, such as being the Chief Group Leader in NBSFOP. He then emphasizes the importance of a strong financial control in a Union. He also mentions how he wants to continue his commitment to NTUSU, which is the reason why he wants to take this role, as the Honorary Financial Secretary in the 30th NTUSU. On top of that, he feels that his professional background in accountancy would help him greatly as an Honorary Financial Secretary. Next, Mr Ong Shao Wei shares the 3 goals he hopes to achieve in his run, if elected. First, he hopes to introduce a Work-Study Grant, which aims to provide students an additional source of money while gaining work experiences. Next, he hopes to revive U-Pushcart, and encourage entrepreneurism in the student body. Lastly, he wishes to introduce an NTUSU exclusive Debit Card, which would have additional perks and rewards, while aiding in NTU's journey of going cashless and to make NTUSU a high value partner.

2.6.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks how the Work-Study Grant would differ from student bursaries.
- Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley mentions that the Work-Study Grant would provide job opportunities for these students to work within the school. He hopes to form a review committee and set in place a strict criterion to ensure fairness, such as students benefitting from existing bursaries cannot be eligible or guidelines for compulsory documents to submit. He feels that this is especially important during COVID19, where some families may be facing significant loss of income, hence he hopes that this grant would help to address that.
- Ms Er Joey asks for how Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley hopes to roll out U-pushcart, citing that U-Pushcart was previously not successful.



- Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley mentions that the U-Pushcard would aid aspiring entrepreneurs and give them an opportunity to run small stall. Then, the rental fees are directed back to student bursaries. Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley then shares the current problems with the U-Pushcart, that it is currently spoilt. He elaborates that he needs to weigh whether repairing the U-Pushcart or build new one would be more cost effective.
- Ms Er Joey states her concerns on having an NTUSU debit card. She raises her concerns on student receptivity and whether there would be a conflict of interest with OCBC Frank.
- Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley mentions that he has done ground-sensing and states that
 there is potential. He states that the NTUSU Debit Card would tap on to NTU Student
 Perks, which may create additional incentives for students to get the card. For Ms Er
 Joey's concern on OCBC Frank, he states that as OCBC is one of NTUSU's partners,
 OCBC would be one of the first partnerships he plans to reach out to.
- Ms Er Joey then states about how NUSSU had a debit card, which failed. She asks how
 Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley hopes to differentiate the NTUSU Debit Card from the
 NUSSU Debit Card.
- Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley states that NUSSU Debit Card has an annual fee tied to it, which he identifies as a main point that deterred students from getting the card. He adds that he hopes to work with all NTUSU's Constituent Clubs to introduce the NTUSU Debit Card in their events, and to push for a stronger publicity to aid in promoting the card.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel questions how the NTUSU Debit Card can benefit students in the bigger picture. He then asks whether time might be better spent on other things, such as the delegation of union funds.
- Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley states that the NTUSU Debit Card is more of a side project, while his main focuses would be on reviewing financial processes and union funds. He hopes to involve more people in this side project, such as the Corporate Liaison Executive. He emphasizes that the NTUSU Debit Card is only in its initial stage now, and he has yet to have yet to move on to feasibility analysis of this idea.

Proposal for Time Extension

Proposer: Ms Er Joey

Seconder: Ms Cheah Guan Ying

- Mr Tilden Tan Jun Leong asks how Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley would convince students to get the card, compared to PayNow and PayLah options, that are free.
- Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley hopes to propose the NTUSU Debit Card to have no annual
 fees, and just plays as an alternative debit card available. He hopes to convince students
 with the convenience in paying, such a cashback system. However, he emphasizes that
 these are all just ideas off his head, as he needs to invest time to talk to all the
 stakeholders.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley left the room for voting.

2.6.3 Votingxs

Total vote: 35

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
23	8	2	2

Honorary Financial Secretary: Elected in position

Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi entered the room at 1656Hr.

2.7 Welfare Executive (Academic Development)'s Council Rally

Nomination for Welfare Executive (Academic Development): Ms Bong Ru Hui

Proposer: Ng May Lin

Seconder: Salmah Sng Mei Wen



2.7.1 Presentation

Mr Cai Yong Kang entered the room at 1700 Hr.

Ms Bong Ru Hui introduces herself as a Year 3 Accountancy and Business student. She shares her previous experiences in NTUSU, in its various capacities, such as her involvement in the Welcome Week Committee and in the Human Resource Committee. As a Year 3 student, Ms Bong Ru Hui shares that she has ample academic experience and can better understand of academic issues the student body may face. Furthermore, she wishes to aid in in the management of NTU's COVID19 contingency plans. Ms Bong Ru Hui mentions that she will be focusing on improving internship availabilities, aid in alleviating OGEM issues, to improve teaching and pedagogy, and to improve student portals. She hopes to improve online learning, where she hopes to look into other possible ways to make online learning more meaningful and suitable. Another goal she has is to communicate NTU's COVID19 contingency plans, such to allow students to make more informed decisions on their modules. Ms Bong Ru Hui's last goal is internship opportunities, especially amongst this uncertain time. She hopes to uphold internship qualities and ensure that there are sufficient on-the-job opportunities. How Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to achieve all this is to understand management and get student feedback and surveys, and to bridge this gap.

2.7.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that many students have voiced out, stating that they prefer physical lessons, as it provides the experience of a vibrant student life. Ms Cheah Guan Ying than asks for Ms Bong Ru Hui's thoughts on online and physical classes.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui agrees that physical classes are good but clarifies that her focus on online learning is both for COVID19 plans, and also to help in improving teaching pedagogy as the society becomes more digitalized.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks how Ms Bong Ru Hui would manage a situation where students feedback on the difficulty of focusing on online class.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui mentions that the government and school regulations must be followed, but she would actively discuss with the school management if the regulations are relaxed.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks for Ms Bong Ru Hui to further elaborate on how she hopes to address the 4 issues she mentioned.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui mentions that she hopes to gather feedbacks on internships via InPlace and work with the Career and Attachment Office (CAO), to provide NTU students with adequate opportunities and of good quality, across all the faculties. She hopes to address the students' concerns on exchange opportunities for the next few semesters and she wants to work out more opportunities and channels to provide NTU students with similar overseas education experiences, despite the COVID19 situation. For pedagogy, Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to improve both online and offline pedagogies, and to better improve and better harnass both channels. Lastly, for student portals, such as Stars and NTULearn, Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to to work closely with IT services and create an integrated channel student portal.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that some faculties do not have professional internships, which hence does not provide these students with such an opportunity. She asks Ms Bong Ru Hui to share any ideas she has to aid and alleviate this.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to work with the academic club presidents, especially with schools without these professional internship opportunities. She hopes to conduct surveys on students' sentiments on this matter, and work with CAO on this.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that every faculty has different policy changes. She asks what Ms Bong Ru Hui would do to equality and standardization among all the faculties.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to work with the academic club presidents on this. She agrees that it will be highly impossible to achieve standardized changes for all faculties, due to the different nature of the courses.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim asks how Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to bridge the gap between online learning and student engagement.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui hopes to reach out to the students and professors on their sentiments



of the current online learning and see how engagement ca be improved.

Proposal for Time Extension

Proposer: Ms Er Joey

Seconder: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

- Ms Er Joey mentions how online learning might be the new normal. She questions on how Ms Bong Ru Hui aims to make a better learning environmental w the existing online platforms, such as NTULearn.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui mentions that she hopes to make online as an extension for learning, whether classes are physical or online. She hopes to harness technology to further online learning.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao asks for Ms Bong Ru Hui's sentiments on students being able to co-create and propose their own curriculum.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui states that this is a good idea, to allow students to be able to take charge of their learning. She also mentions that some universities in UK uses a smaller group setting in class, which she feels can be explored and maybe implemented.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Bong Ru Hui to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Bong Ru Hui left the room for voting.

2.7.3 Voting

Total vote: 35

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
30	2	1	2

Welfare Executive (Academic Development): Elected in position

Proposal for break

Proposer: Mr Lim Hun

Seconder: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

Ms Looi Hui Jun and Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin left the room at 1734Hr.

Proposal to resume meeting

Proposer: Mr Sean Ng Ming Sheng

Seconder: Mr Lim Hun

2.8 Chief of Staff's Council Rally

Nomination for Chief of Staff: Ms Ng May Lin

Proposer: Ms Er Joey

Seconder: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

Mr Timothy Yip left the room at 1735Hr.

2.8.1 Presentation

Ms Ng May Lin introduces herself as a Year 2 Business student, who specialises in Human Resource Management. She also mentions that she majored in Human Resource Management in Singapore Polytechnic. Ms Ng May Lin states that her Human Resource background would help her in her role as Chief Of Staff, to improve on Ussociates' experiences, and to build a stronger Ussociate identity and culture. She hopes to provide more opportunities for Ussociates to improve their skills via learning and development opportunities, and to provide Ussociates with the opportunity for personal growth. Ms Ng May Lin also wants to improve internal communications, to instil NTUSU values and to remind that Ussociates' mission of working together to benefit the student body. She proposes to have Townhall events, for better communication between the Ussociates and Executive Committee members. Ms Ng May Lin



wishes to promote a more positive culture and to achieve a more robust Union, that is committed in serving the student body.

2.8.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Lim Gia Lim asks how Ms Ng May Lin would select the topics for learning and development opportunities.
- Ms Ng May Lin hopes to conduct surveys to find out what Ussociates want, and to
 conduct surveys to find out what Ussociates need, via the Executive Committee
 members in-charged of each committee. Ms Ng May Lin states that there is a need to
 balance that is wanted and what is needed.
- Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao mentions that the Chief of Staff is also part of the discipline committee. He mentions that one of the challenges of this, is that she would be the contact point for whistleblowing and investigation. Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao asks how Ms Ng May Lin would work around this.
- Ms Ng May Lin mentions that would talk to the accused person and learn his perspective of the story, to ensure that there no misunderstanding. She would emphasize to the Ussociates the importance of follow guidelines of the internal order. She believes that she has to approach these humanely and if dismissal is necessary, she want to do it on a good note.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Ng May Lin to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Ng May Lin left the room for voting.

2.8.3 Voting

Total vote: 32			
For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
26	2	1	3

Chief of Staff: Elected in position

Ms Looi Hui Jun and Mr Timothy Yip entered the room at 1751Hr

2.9 Operations Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Operations Executive: Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard

Proposer: Mr Lim Hun Seconder: Ms Lim Yih Ching

2.9.1 Presentation

Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard introduces himself as a Year 1 Accountancy and Business student. He says his experience lays in NS, where he was a Signal IC. He mentions that he wants to be part of the NTUSU Executive Committee because he wants to make a difference, and to challenge himself and apply his strict regulative background on logistics. If elected as an Operations Executive, he shares some of the duties that are under his purview. Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard mentions that hopes to support other clubs and committees' operations, and to work on improving the Weplay event, and increase the use of union assess. He then explains what WePlay is, and how he wants to increase WePlay's participation and use it to publicise U-ROC. Also, he hopes to make a centralized list of the inventory, which he would often check to keep the inventory list updated. He also wishes to move this list online, so that updates will be easily updates and easily requested. Next, he mentions U-facility, where he hopes to work on the booking guidelines, to smoothen the booking of facilities and to expand U-facility to other clubs.

Ms Fan Chongyue left the room at 1758Hr.

2.9.2 Question and Answer

Ms Tong Kai Ting mentions that, being a Year 1 student, Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard probably does not know the school well. Ms Tong Kai Ting asks how he would hope to reach out to the student body for feedbacks.



- Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard mentions that he has spoken to his predecessor, which has aided him greatly in his understanding of what is necessary. He plans to rely on the U-Feedback system and to be on the ground, and speak to his committees, or to rely on surveys.
- Ms Tong Kai Ting mentions that the Information & Research Committee has conducted a survey on facilities. She asks Mr McCully Ayrton would leverage on these surveys to improve the facilities.
- Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard mentions that he is unaware of this survey and mentions that he will look into the results.

Mr Justin Teo Zhong Heng left the room at 1802Hr.

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mention that some publicity outlets are under the purview of the Operations Executive, such as the bus stop notice boards. She asks how Mr McCully hopes to ensure that these assets are properly used, and that the contents are kept updated.
- Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard hopes to mobilize his committee members to maintain these notice boards. He hopes to send his committee members on regular patrols to maintain the notice boards.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard to share any new innovations he has in mind.
- Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard mentions that he has not given this much thought and will look into how he can innovate and improve on things in his purview.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr McCully Ayrton Leonard left the room for voting.

2.9.3 Voting

Total vote: 32

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
18	7	6	1

Operations Executive: Elected in position

2.10 Housing Policy Executive's Council Rally

There are no nominations for this role, Council rally proceeds to the next role.

2.11 Transport Policy Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Transport Policy Executive: Mr Lim Hun

Proposer: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle Seconder: Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen

2.11.1 Presentation

Mr Lim Hun introduces himself as a Year 2 student from the National Institute of Education, majoring in English. He enjoys giving back, and has been heavily involved in the Trainees Teacher's Club, as the Sports and Recreation Officer last academic year. Mr Lim Hun shares his philosophies, which include empathy, tact, dedication and leadership. Mr Lim Hun then shares his work plan for the year. He first explains the stakeholders that his role will communicate with, namely, the Office of Hall & Auxiliary Services (Transportation), Tong Tar Transport Service Pte Ltd and the NTU student body. He hopes to upgrade U-Wave app, to add more utilities and to add a tab to collate feedback on the campus buses via the U-Wave app. On top of that, he wishes to add a new function to the U-Wave app's bus tracking function which will reveal the capacity of the campus buses, in real-time. Mr Lim Hun would also like to work on the designation of the campus bus termination points, which are now often random and not properly displayed. Lastly, he also want to work on minimizing disruptions to transportation in NTU, which the new Jurong Region Line constructions may bring.



2.11.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks Mr Lim Hun for his rough timeline for first 2 workplans, which are the feedback tab and the real-time capacity tracking function of the campus buses, on the U-wave app.
- Mr Lim Hun says that he plans to implement upgrading U-wave app first. He says that he hopes to communicate and figure out all these things with the U-wave stakeholders in a month. After which, he will then move onto the next workplan, on the real-time capacity tracking of the campus buses.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel as for other mid-term or short-term goals that Mr Lim Hun has. Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel suggests the addition of more bus stops to the campus buses' routes, like those bus stops that are currently not utilized.
- Mr Lim Hun mentions that, with respect to his mid-term plans, he wants to greatly
 focus on upgrading the U-Wave app. Mr Lim Hun then mentions that the addition of
 bus stops to the routes is difficult, as some of the bus stops do not belong to NTU,
 hence they cannot be used by the campus buses. He also adds that he will look into
 it.
- Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel further asks for more clarification on why utilizing those existing bus stops would be a difficult task. Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel that some students are forced to have to walk a distance to a further bus stop to take the campus buses, despite the presence of a nearer, but not utilized, bus stop.
- Mr Lim Hun reiterates that some of the bus stops are under the Land Transport
 Authority or SBS Transit, and negotiation with these stakeholders would take a long
 time. He then mentions that these negotiations had happened previously but were all
 denied, and the reasons that were stated were safety and accessibility. Mr Lim Hun
 adds that he will survey the ground on this problem that Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel raised.
- Ms Er Joey asks Mr Lim Hun to elaborate on the proposal to have a separate feedback plaform on U-Wave, and to justify why he wants to diversity the communication channels.
- Mr Lim Hun clarifies that he wants this feedback on U-Wave to be on transportation, more specifically, on the campus buses. He feels that with this feedback platform, it would reduce the burden on U-Feedback, and he wishes to direct these feedbacks and complaints to the service provider, Tong Tar Transport Pte Ltd. He also states that with this single channel of feedback for transportation would allow him to better keep track of the student sentiments on the campus buses.
- Ms Er Joey then questions whether Mr Lim Hun has considered the feasibility of his ideas. She states that the U-Wave app currently has a lot of issues, and there are already many complains of the app not functioning well. Ms Er Joey questions why Mr Lim Hun would want to add more functions to the U-Wave app, which is already struggling with its current capacity.
- Mr Lim Hun mentions that he understands that the U-Wave app is very cluttered. However, he says that he wishes to focus on the U-Wave app, as the U-Wave app is the official app that NTUSU advocates. Mr Lim Hun then mentions the SGSecure infrastructure, which is what he hopes to translate to the U-Wave app.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Mr Lim Hun to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Lim Hun left the room for voting.

2.11.3 Voting Total vote: 32

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
22	6	3	1

Transport Policy Executive: Elected in position

<u>Proposal for Dinner Break</u> Proposer: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle



Seconder: Ms Cheah Guan Ying

Proposal to resume meeting

Proposer: Ms Looi Hui Jun

Seconder: Mr Sean Ng Ming Sheng

2.12 Information & Research Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Information & Research Executive: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

Proposer: Ms Lim Gia Lim Seconder: Ms Bong Ru Hui

2.12.1 Presentation

Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle introduces herself as a Year 1 student, from the Renaissance Engineering Programme. She then shares her prior leadership experiences, which includes her role as a Preisdent for the Science and Mathematics Talent Programme. Also, Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle was the department head of her Junior College's Students' Council Affairs. Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle then shares that her multi-faceted experiences taught her the importance of being adaptable. She then shares her 63-questions approach, which she goes by. Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle then shares more about the role of the Information & Research Executive, mentioning that the role is responsible for advising NTUSU on research and data. She shares her belief that gathering data on problem areas are meaningful, and how they can greatly aid in the search for new meaningful ideas. She then mentions that she aims to play a bigger role in her run, if elected. She shares that she is a curious individual, who is energetic and have good person skills. She feels that these personal traits of hers would be a good fit for the role of the Information & Research Executive. Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle then ends of her presentation by sharing some areas for improvement she has noticed. She mentions that she hopes to collect more meaningful data and wants to actively work on forming more ideas with her committee, especially with the removal of U-Study.

2.12.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Lim Gia Lim asks Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle how she aims to collect more data points despite the cancellation of U-Study.
- Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle shares that she hopes to tap on existing feedback platforms and how she hopes to work on the visibility of these platforms. She states that she also has some new plans in mind, such as to conduct more surveys to collect more student sentiments. She also shares that she hopes to tap on the use of social media. She believes that these alternative platforms will be able to make up for the loss of data points.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim raises her concern on the difficulty of ensuring that the feedback collect is of quality, on top of large quantity.
- Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle mentions the candle problem. She believes that with no incentives, students would take on ownership and push for creativity and innovation. This would aid in the empowerment of the students. She also mentions that she wishes to form partnerships with the students.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui question how Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle would prioritize requests, as many committees would be requiring information and data from her.
- Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle shares her plans to create a template and vision for her Information & Research Committee. She mentions that this template would aid in how her committee can determine and log what are the tasks needed to be completed. She mentions that the prioritizing of tasks would greatly depend on a case-by-case basis. She believes that she would have to talk to that stakeholders to get a better gauge of what they information is needed. She also mentions the need for her to be adaptable.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that all actionables mentions were very passive, and asked for Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle's direction.
- Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle mentions that she aims to play an active role, in the sense
 that she hopes to be always kept in the loop of the happenings in NTUSU, so that she
 can actively gather data before they are requested. She mentions that she hopes to



have greater presence in the Executive Committee, and to play a more collaborative role.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle left the room for voting.

2.12.3 Voting

Total vote: 32

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
29	1	1	1

Information & Research Executive: Elected in position

2.13 Special Projects Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Special Projects Executive: Ms Lim Yih Ching

Proposer: Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao Seconder: Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi

2.13.1 Presentation

Ms Lim Yih Ching is a 3rd year History student. Her shares her interests, which lie in outreach and projects management. Ms Lim Yih Ching then shares her past involvements in NTUSU, where she was part of the NTUSU Open House Main Committee. Her experience gave her insights on the operations of how a large-scale event is held. Ms Lim Yih Ching then shares the 3 committees under the purview of the Special Projects Executive. The first event is NTUfest, which aims promote campus vibrancy, which used to be an ad-hoc event. The next event is Open House, where she used to be a committee member. The last event is the Ministerial Open Discussions and Events, MODE, which focuses on broadening perspectives of students, and to engage ministers to provide insights on their work. Ms Lim Yih Ching mentions that she wants to promote inclusivity, by constantly reaching out to students and by the conscious effort to reach beyond the crowd. Ms Lim Yih Ching wraps up her presentation by mentioning that she hopes to continue on the work of her predecessors.

2.13.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Er Joey mentions that most of NTUSU's events are held at North Spine, and not South Spine. She asks for Ms Lim Yih Ching's insight on this, especially since Ms Lim Yih Ching's faculty is located at South Spine.
- Ms Lim Yih Ching mentions that NTUSU should definitely consider using the space at South Spine. However, she feels that North Spine is would still be a more ideal location, due to the high student flow, from all different schools. Nonetheless, she mentiosn that she hopes to explore other options, such as the Hive, to hold her events.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that the committees would work very closely with school management. Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks Ms Lim Yih Ching how she would approach conflicts, which may arise between the two stakeholders.
- Ms Lim Yih Ching states that she understands that her role of the Special Projects Executive will have to be a mediator between school management and her committees. She hopes to establish some common ground with school management, and to ensure that the motivation behind the efforts of her committee is for a good cause. She assures that she will definitely step up to push for the interests of her committee to the best of her abilities.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks if Ms Lim Yih Ching would consider inviting people from the opposition party.
- Ms Lim Yih Ching clarifies that MODE only reaches out to ministers, and hence would be unsuitable to invite other politicians. She mentions that she hopes to create a safe space for political discussions in MODE. She mentions that she wants to identify the topics that are relevant to student. If there arises a specific need to invite a member of the opposition for a Youth Talk, she hopes to help her committee in providing a strong justification for them to do so, by identifying the purpose and need of this person.



Mr Loi Xin Zhe Hubert entered the room at 2000Hr.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Lim Yih Ching to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Lim Yih Ching left the room for voting.

2.13.3 Voting

Total vote: 33

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
30	2	0	1

Special Projects Executive: Elected in position

Mr Hoo Kah Jun left at 2008Hr.

2.14 Deputy Student Activities Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Deputy Student Activities: Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen

Proposer: Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil Seconder: Mr Glen Tang Jun Hao

2.14.1 Presentation

Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen is a Year 1 student, from the School of Physical and Mathematical Sciences. She shares her past experiences in her Junior College's Student's Council, where she was involved in the planning for their Orientation event. She also mentions her heavy involvement in community projects as well. Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen hopes to establish contact, improve the outreach and the representation of student clubs. She then shares more about the committees under her purview, which includes Welfare Initiatives and the Student Club Liaison Committee. Under Welfare Initiatives, she hopes to move away from a 'giveaway' event, to an event which gives back to the community. She wants to develop a stronger communication channel with all student clubs, through the Student Club Liaison Committee. Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen hopes that she can help NTU students have a vibrant and holistic student life, regardless of the challenges they face.

Mr Cai Yong Kang entered the room at 2013Hr.

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2.14.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions about U-Study, which is a large, physical flagship event conducted by the Welfar Initiatives Committee. Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks how Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen would hope to conduct this event.
- Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen hopes to move U-Study to an online virtual event. She hopes to increase student engagement through mini activities such as bingo challenges. She proposes a mini-scavenger hunt around school, to stay within the safe distancing guideline. There could also be online workshops held to engage more students during U-study.

Ms Ng Shi Mian, Ann Nicole entered the room at 2020Hr.

- Ms Cheah Guan Ying mentions that with U-Study cancelled, a major welfare pack giveaway would be eliminated. She asks how Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen would settle potential conflicts, as individual student clubs might still want to host their own welfare pack giveaway.
- Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen states that these clubs would need to provide a good justification on why they want to continue their giveaway.
- Ms Bong Ru Hui asks how Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen would imagine the Welcome-Back-to-School event would be like, considering the uncertainty of COVID19.
- Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen mentions that she wishes to work closely with and to seek the opinions of her committee, regarding the issue.



- Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle asks Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen how she plans to increase engagement on online events, given the feedback from virtual orientation.
- Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen believes that publicity is very important. She hopes to work together with the communications division, to increase engagement.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Salmah Sng Mei Wen left the room for voting.

Mr Timothy Yip left the room at 2100Hr.

2.14.3 Voting

Total vote: 34

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
21	7	5	2

Deputy Student Activities Executive: Elected in position

2.15 Student Life Executive (Orientation)'s Council Rally

Nomination for Student Life Executive (Orientation): Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil

Proposer: Ms Cheah Guan Ying Seconder: Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph)

2.15.1 Presentation

Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil introduces herself as a Year 2 Sociology student, with leadership roles in many orientation events. She mentions her past roles in Orientation programmes, where she was the Chief Group Leader for Union Orientation Committee, Group Leader for her Hall's Freshmen Orientation Programme and Senior Attached for the School of Social Sciences, The Orientation Programme. Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil then shares that she is an extroverted individual, and that she enjoys orientations, where she was given the opportunity to meet many people and make many fond memories. These experiences are what she wants to provide to the incoming freshmen. Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil hopes to be the bridge between the University Orientation Coordination Committee (UOCC) and student body. She also hopes to be the voice and representative for all orientations. She also hopes to ensure that all orientation programmes are safe and enjoyable. Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil then shares that she aims to create a safe space for discussions between the school management and student organizers. She hopes to do so by setting up channels for open communication, and to improve the transparency between the school, student organizers and student body, by making such guidelines more accessible. She also aims to create a seamless and safe transition for NTU freshmen, by gathering students' sentiments of virtual and physical orientation via feedback collation.

Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin entered the room at 2102Hr.

2.15.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Er Joey mentions that the school is in favor of virtual orientation. She then asks for Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil's stance on this matter.
- Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil mentions that virtual orientations allow for smoother information flow. She then mentions that some elements of physical orientation programmes cannot be achieved via virtual orientation programmes. She acknowledges that both virtual and physical orientation programmes have their own strengths and weaknesses. She hopes to work on harnessing both of such alternatives.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Hoo Wen Ann, Janeil to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Hoo Wen Ann, Janeil left the room for voting.

2.15.3 Voting



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For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
29	3	0	2

Student Life Executive (Orientation): Elected in position

Proposal for break

Proposer: Ms Ong Li Xin, Randelle

Seconder: Ms Bong Ru Hui

Proposal to resume meeting

Proposer: Ms Tong Kai Ting Seconder: Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph)

Ms Ng Shi Mian, Ann Nicole left the room at 2120Hr.

2.16 Communications Executive (Branding)'s Council Rally

Nomination for Communications Executive (Branding): Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

Proposer: Ms Er Joey Seconder: Ms Lim Gia Lim

2.16.1 Presentation

Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan introduces herself as a year 2 Business Marketing student. She then shares her prior experience, where she cites past relevant internships, which were related to marketing and communications. She also shares that she has a Diploma in Mass Communications. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan then shares her prior involvement in the 29th NTUSU, where she was the Chairperson of the Digital Marketing Committee. As the Chairperson, she grew NTUSU's Instagram page, where she saw the page gaining about 3000 new followers over the last academic year, with an increase in reach rates, for both Instagram posts and Instagram stories. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan then shares about her role in the 30th NTUSU Executive Committee, which is to focus on the overall internal branding of NTUSU, via NTUSU's 4 social channels, namely, Instagram, Facebook LinkedIn and the NTUSU website. If elected, she hopes to reach out to student body and garner trust for NTUSU, while being the students' voice. She hopes to serve needs of the student body, while creating a vibrant student life. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan then shares an overview of her plan for the 30th NTUSU. She wishes to achieve constant and consistent communications, where there will be more forward planning, and she hopes to align the consistency of NTUSU's content and branding to NTUSU's personality. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan also hopes to prioritize engagement with the student body, and to enhance student experiences. She hopes to utilize social listening tools, mentioning Hootsuite as a possible tool to utilize. She also hopes to tweak NTUSU's content to better appeal to students. Lastly, Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan hopes to enhance NTUSU's identity. She hopes to grow the reach of NTUSU's Facebook and LinkedIn over the next academic year, while pushing for more transparency.

2.16.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Yap Ying Qian brought up that previously, in the 29th NTUSU, it was difficult for Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan to get her committee members to commit. She questions how Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan, if elected, plans to manage her committee members, especially now that she would have more people in her committees, as compared to last year.
- Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan mentions that the main issue that her committee faced last year was the also the lack of manpower. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan says that, if elected, she aims to work more closely wher committee Chairpersons. Furthermore, Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan mentions that another reason why her previous committee members where not committing was due to the lack of bonding and team cohesion. She hopes to work with her committee Chairpersons to bond the committees, and she hopes to make her committee members feel like a part of the SU family.

Mr Timothy Yip returned at 2127Hr.



- Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) asks for Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan's plans on creating more content with greater transparency.
- Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan clarifies that she is not clear of what information may be too sensitive to share and hopes to work on that. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan wants to work more closely with the other Executive Committee members and President to understand how NTUSU can push the brand personality of transparency. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan plans to work with her committee to create content that is not overly sensitive, but still share with the students what is relevant.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim asks how Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan plans to streamline the feedback process, and asks of the issues faced last year, and how she hopes to fix these issues.
- Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan mentions that, last year, her committee received a lot of
 Instagram private messages from the student body. Due to manpower issues, her
 committee had difficulty in managing the flooding of the Instagram messaging
 platform. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan hopes to provide a Standard Operating
 Procedure (SOP) to her committee, to aid in answering questions that the student body
 often asks.
- Ms Cheryl Lim Yan Shan asked how Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan feels about NTUSU's social media platforms, with respect to the 29th NTUSU, and asks how Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan plans to improve them.
- Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan states that different social media platforms have their own specific style of content. She hopes to fully utilize all the platforms that NTUSU has currently. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan mentions that she feels that Facebook was underutilized in the 29th NTUSU. She then states that he 29th NTUSU Communications Division had drafted out many plans for all the social media platforms, however, apart from Instagram, the other 3 platforms were not utilized well. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan also mentions that with the new committee structure she has in mind, there are teams managing specific social media platforms which would prevent any of the platforms from being neglected. Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan mentions that the 29th NTUSU created a good NTUSU identity but identifies better engagement with the student body as something she hopes to achieve in the 30th NTUSU.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan left the room for voting.

2.16.3 Voting

Total vote: 33

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For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
24	7	2	0

Communication Executive (Branding): Elected in position

2.17 Communications Executive (Relations & Engagement)'s Council Rally

Nomination for Communications Executive (Relations & Engagement): Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin

Proposer: Mr Cai Yong Kang Seconder: Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph)

2.17.1 Presentation

Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin introduces herself as the a Year 4 student, majoring in English Literature. She then shares her values of professionalism, ethics and vision. She mentions that, if elected, she would closely follow these values in her run. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin, then shares her principles, which includes timeliness of information, clarity and imparting knowledge. She then mentions that she hopes to enhances the student body's understanding on NTUSU's efforts on campus vibrancy. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin then shares her relevant past experiences, which includes being an ARTJAM writer, NTU WKWSCI Alumni Magazine writer and her internship at Our Grandfather Story. In the latter, she was given many opportunities to spearhead campaigns and work with social media collaterals. On top of that, she was an author and a designer for a financial planning book. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin then shares here experiences



in NTU. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin then shares her role in the 30th NTUSU, which is to focus on peer-centric support and engagement, while being a voice of the student body. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin wants to work on the editorial wing that NTUSU has, to create content that is more timely and more frequent. She also aims to work on NTUSU's branding, to create a student front and professional front, of NTUSU. She also wants to work on U-Feedback. She proposes positioning the relation officers as stakeholders, and to create a public relation factor. She hopes to create a more effective communication channel with the student body, and to improve on the on-the-ground feedback collation. With regards to U-Walk, Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin hopes increase U-Walk frequency and increase outreach.

2.17.2 Question and Answer

- Mr Cai Yong Kang asks for Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin to elaborate how Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin can help to promote the big 3 constituent clubs.
- Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin mentions that she has some plans to explore more ways to promote constituent clubs' events. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin hopes to create an "current events" tab on SU website, with a calendar that contains all the upcoming events of the constituent clubs. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin mentions that, while promoting the constituent clubs, she hopes to keep all promotional material in line with the NTUSU branding guidelines. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin also hopes to create more creative EDMs, with a more concise information flow.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying questions how Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin would like to increase U-Walk frequency with respect to the new student activities guidelines.
- Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin mentions that she is aware of these guidelines, but she proposes to bring U-Walk to a virtual platform. She hopes to increase the frequency of such online events that allows more interaction with the student body.
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying then brings up U-Feedback. She brings up that a lot needs to be
 done to raise awareness about U-Feedback and questions how Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin
 plans to do that.
- Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin hopes to increase U-Feedback awareness. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin hopes to do so during NTUSU's 30th anniversary. She wants to propose and promote SU achievement, on top of promoting U-Feedback at the same time. She also mentions that in the 30th anniversary, she hopes to explore a new arm of engagement on top of publication, Audiowave forms.
- Ms Cheryl Lim Yan Shan states that the 29th relations officers did not get to achieve much. She asks if Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin has any plans for the 30th NTUSU, and how Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin plans to empower relations?
- Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin hopes to establish relation officers as stakeholders, and to make their job less mundane. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin hopes to establish them as being a voice of NTUSU. Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin then brings up the public relations factor she hopes to incorporate, which would create more opportunities for solutions during brainstorming.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin left the room for voting.

2.17.3 Voting

Total vote: 34

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
30	4	0	0

Communication Executive (Relations & Engagement): Elected in position

2.18 Communications Project Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Communications Project Executive: Ms Violin Yapputri

Proposer: Ms Er Joey

Seconder: Ms Hoo Wee Ann, Janeil



2.18.1 Presentation

Ms Violin Yapputri introduces herself as a Year 2 Information Engineering & Media student. She mentions that she was a vice-president of the Student Council in her previous organisation, where she was in charge of the publications and publicity of that Council. She is also the design lead of a design community. Within NTU, her experience includes being the publicity head of NTUSU WIC, and taking up roles in the Publication and Publicity team of the Indonesian Cultural Night. She recognises that she lacks professional experience, but believes that her varied experiences in the different committees will aid her in her role, in the 30th NTUSU. She believes that her role entails enhancing communications within the 19 NTUSU committees, and the external communication division. She hopes to coordinate different projects seamlessly, provide quality assurance of her communications, efficient planning of publicity to provide coherent communications, through all the channels.

2.18.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Er Joey states that Ms Violin Yapputri is running for a new role, and questions how
 Ms Violin Yapputri would ensure communications, between her committee and the
 other 19 committees, to be smooth and seamless.
- Ms Violin Yapputri mentions that she hopes the 19 committees would be aware of what her division is capable of and wishes that all the 30th NTUSU Executive Committee members would promote her division to the other committees. Ms Violin Yapputri also states that she will make sure that she works closely with her committee, such communications are smooth, and no request will be missed out. Ms Violin Yapputri also mention that she hopes to create a standard rules and regulation guidelines for the requests and ensure that they are all documented.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Violin Yapputri to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Violin Yapputri left the room for voting.

2.18.3 Voting

Total vote: 34

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
30	4	0	0

Communication Project Executive: Elected in position

2.19 Finance Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Finance Executive: Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi

Proposer: Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley

Seconder: Ms Loh Mei Ling

2.19.1 Presentation

Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi introduces herself as a Year 2 student, from the School of Chemical and Biomedical Engineering. She first mentions her prior leadership experience, which includes being a Main Programmer in the Union Orientation Committee, a Publicity Director in the SCBE Club and a Group Leader in her faculty Freshmen Orientation Programme. She also shares that she was a Finance Assistant Intern, which would be relevant in her role as a Finance Executive. Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi shares that she is meticulous, diplomatic and enjoys actively participating in discussions. Then, she share the plans that she hopes to roll out, if elected. Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi hopes to maintain the seamless reimbursement processes, and she hopes to address financial issues faster. She also mentions that she would be responsible for U-Shop and U-Fund. For U-Shop, she hopes to encourage entrepreneurship and innovation, while channelling its revenue to student fund. For U-Fund, she hopes to raise awareness of it and tap on its potential.

2.19.2 Question and Answer

• There were no questions for this nominee.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Ashley



Soh Wem Qi to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi left the room for voting.

2.19.3 Voting Total vote: 34

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
31	3	0	0

Finance Executive: Elected in position

2.20 Corporate Liaison Executive's Council Rally

Nomination for Corporate Liaison Executive: Ms Loh Mei Ling

Proposer: Mr Ong Shao Wei, Wesley Seconder: Ms Ashley Soh Wem Qi

2.20.1 Presentation

Ms Loh Mei Ling introduces herself as a Year 2 Accountancy and Business student, with a specialization in Banking and Finance. She then shares her leadership experiences, which include those from Junior College. She also mentions that in her first year in NTU, she was an ICON Ussociate. Next, Ms Loh Mei Ling then introduces the two committees that are under the purview of the Corporate Liaison Executive. The firs committee is the Corporate Liaison Office (CLO) Committee, which works to source for sponsorships for NTUSU, and to work in improving NTUperks. The next committee is Integrated Career Opportunities Network (ICON) Committee, which aims to bridge the gap between companies and students, and to provide opportunities for students to expand their network. If elected, Ms Loh Mei Ling hopes to better represent the student body, and reflect their concerns and needs in NTU's programmes and initiatives. As an NTUSU Executive Committee member, she wishes to deepen the sense of belonging and pride that NTU students have. She shares that as a Corporate Liaison Executive, she hopes to reach out to NTU students in a more tangible way, via NTUPerks, which she hopes to expand and make more relevant. Ms Loh Mei Ling also wishes to promote the mindset of "hiring beyond grades", which ties in with the NTUSU 2020's vision of employability.

2.20.2 Question and Answer

- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that NTUPerks is not utilized much by NTU students. She
 asks Ms Loh Mei Ling how she plans to publicize NTUPerks and asked for her
 thoughts on the NTUSU Debit Card idea.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions that in the 29th NTUSU there was close to no promotion of NTUPerks, as the partners last year was quite limited. She mentions that she wants to focus on forming partnerships which are relevant to students, and hence promote these partnerships on NTUSU's social media platforms to promote NTUPerks. She mentions that she hopes to work closely with the Honorary Financial Secretary's NTUSU Debit Card plan, to see how it can complement with NTUPerks.
- Ms Lim Gia Lim mentions that ICON held The First Step and asks how Ms Loh Mei Ling hopes to follow up on this. She also questions how Ms Loh Mei Ling hopes to to spend the message of "employing beyond grades".
- Ms Loh Mei Ling identifies the limited scope of ICON, mentioning that ICON is very business focused. She hopes for ICON to expand its focus, to include more opportunities for other faculties. She hopes to work with the presidents of Academic Clubs, to potentially make a series on this. She also hopes to plan for talks that would tapping on spreading the message of "employing beyond grades".
- Ms Cheah Guan Ying asks Ms Loh Mei Ling to recite the NTUSU's mission and vision.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling states that the NTUSU mission is to the represent the student body, empowerment and to give them a voice.
- Ms Yap Ying Qian requests Ms Loh Mei Ling to clarify on the lack of NTUPerks' promotions for the 29th NTUSU.



- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions that, from her knowledge, NTUPerks has a designated page on the NTUSU website, but she is not very clear about this.
- Ms Yap Ying Qian mentions that the plan for the 29th NTUSU was to have NTUPerks' promotion every month, with posts on Instagram highlight. However, the above did not occur due to the lack of deliverables from NTUPerks. She asks Ms Loh Mei Ling how she plans to rectify this.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions that she hopes to fill in the gap between the Corporate Liaison Executive and the Communication Division. She hopes to promote NTUPerks that targets on the student body's interests and does not want to not over promote on NTUSU's social media platform.
- Ms Ng Kailin Calista mentions that the 29th NTUSU did face gaps between the Communications Division and the Corporate Liaison Office Committee. She asks Ms Loh Mei Ling to provide more concrete ideas to ease the communications between the two.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling feels that both need work closely, especially in collateral promises with the sponsors. She identifies that need for a lot more communication but has no other solid plans as of now.
- Ms Ng Kailin Calista questions how Ms Loh Mei Ling plans to entice relevant sponsors for NTUPerks.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling hopes to reach out to greater number of sponsors. She understands that there is currently a lot of restrictions for sponsorship guidelines. She plans to work closely with the Communications Division, to see how what can be done to improve the sponsors and how NTUPerks can better value-add to the student body. She mentions that there is a need to strike a balance for this to work out.

Mr Hoo Kah Jun entered the room at 2239Hr.

- Ms Ng Kailin Calista asks how Ms Loh Mei Lin plans to encourage students to subscribe to the NTUSU Debit Card, mentioning that the students can already benefit from NTUPerks via the NTU Matric Card.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions an ideal situation she has is for this NTUSU Debit Card to belinked to any old account, which would ease the adoption of the card. She also hopes to further entice the students via the fundamentals of benefits, such as by having cashbacks. She then clarifies that these are just ideas, and are not solid plans as these would involve discussions with all the stakeholders.

Proposal for Time Extension

Proposer: Ms Shermaine Lim Pei Xuan

Seconder: Mr Goh Kai Yong

- Mr Er Joey questions whether tapping on NTUSU communications platforms is the only method Ms Loh Mei Ling has in entice sponsors.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions that promotions via NTUSU communications platforms is only one of many negotiation tools for sponsors.
- Ms Er Joey ask Ms Loh Mei Ling to share other methods of negotiation she will have with the sponsors, other than promotions via NTUSU communications platforms.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions that different sponsors would require different types of returns. She mentions that some sponsors request for more visibility to students in exchange for sponsorship, which is when publicity collaterals are needed. She also mentions that for other partnerships, such visibility is not necessary, and she shares that the student body count could also be an attraction point.
- Ms Dion Sng Jia Sin asks Ms Loh Mei Ling to evaluate current flaws that she has identified, and rough suggestions she has.
- Ms Loh Mei Ling mentions that it is insufficient to reach out to a limited group of sponsors. Ms Loh Mei Ling hopes to be more active in approaching sponsors, and to reach out to sponsors that are relevant to students.

Ms Tong Kai Ting declared the end of the question and answer session. She invited Ms Loh Mei Ling to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.



Ms Loh Mei Ling left the room for voting.

2.20.3 Voting
Total vote: 33

For Abstain Against Invalid
20 7 6 0

Cooperate Liaison Executive: Elected in position

2.21 Integration Executive's Council Rally
There are no nominations for this role.

Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel proposed the end of the meeting. Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) seconded the motion. The meeting was called to an end at 2303Hr, 26th September 2020.

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Ms Song Xin Jie (Steph) Honorary General Secretary 30th NTUSU Council Mr Neo Jiun Hao, Joel Council Chairperson 30th NTUSU Council

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