

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
27th Students' Union Council
First meeting of the 27th NTUSU Council

Date: 16th September 2017
Time Started: 1030H
Venue: SAC Meeting Room 1 and 2

Present On Time	Club Represented/ Position Held
Non-Academic Constituent Club <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tan Kian Meng 2. Ler Wan Him 3. Eng Shuo Ying 4. See Jing Xuan 5. Jessica Lim Jiaying 6. Ong Yun Mei 	President – Sports Club Vice-President – Sports Club President – CAC Vice-President – CAC President – WSC Vice-President – WSC
Academic Constituent Club <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mao Xi Yun 2. Mavis Lim Shi Min 3. Chua Ying Xuan 4. Liu Tianchi 5. Andrew John Wee Tong 6. Jau Teng Zhi Luke 7. Benedict Yeo Leahao 8. Leow Yan Yang 9. Goh Soo Yong 10. Lee Hsin Chong 11. Lee Cheok Hon 12. Randy Lim Wei Lun 13. Johan Ezran 	President – NBS President – ADM President – ASE President – CEE President – WKWSCI President – MSE President – MAE President – SCBE President – SPMS President – SSS President – LKCSOM President – SCSE President – NIE
Union Representatives <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Edward Lim Xun Qian 2. Ling Li Hui Rebecca 3. Ang Joon Kit Eugene 4. Victor Chia Wei Keat 5. Chong Le Wen 6. Chow Jin Hui 7. Vaya Bundawi 8. Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas 9. Lam Kian Meng, Shawn 10. Denise Jang Wen Sze 11. Foong Wai Yan Amanda 12. Ong Wei Ting Vanessa 13. Kee Khin Hong 14. Sheena Lee Jia En 15. Lee Yan Ling 16. Rebekah Leong Bao Ying 	Union Representative – MAE Union Representative – EEE Union Representative – EEE Union Representative – CEE Union Representative – CEE Union Representative – SPMS Union Representative – SPMS Union Representative – NIE Union Representative – MSE Union Representative – NBS Union Representative – NBS Union Representative – Sports Club Union Representative – Sports Club Union Representative – CAC Union Representative – CAC Union Representative – WSC

Observers <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Keh Zhao Xi Lim Qiu Li Cherie Ong Kwok Kiang Ooi Jing Ting Florence Leonard Chan Jun Wei Wesley Chan Go Li Jia Dong Yiwen Chan Tuck Ging Nicholas Lee Dominique Yeo Zong Xiang Justin Seow Zhu Yeow Jolene Lee Wei Ling Marsel Mauricius Juden Hoo Hong Xiu Lim Xuan, Nicole Kong Zhong Han Muhammad Hafiz Bin Mohamad Gan Rui Yun Low Choon Chye Yosua Nathanael Santoso How Yijie, Darren Lynnette Chng Jiamin Ong Jiamin Amanda Samuel Salim Por Hui Fang Lim Strahan Caroline Auginia Natalia Richard Chan Wing Hong Han Zhong Liang Lim Zhi Han Chester 	Outgoing President – CAC Outgoing Honorary General Secretary – CAC Outgoing President – Sports Club Outgoing Vice-President – Sports Club Outgoing President – SPMS Outgoing President – ADM Outgoing President – ASE Outgoing President – CEE Outgoing President – EEE Outgoing President – HSS Outgoing President – MAE Outgoing President – MSE Outgoing President – SBS Outgoing President – SCBE Outgoing President – NBS Outgoing President – WKWSCl Outgoing President – SCSE Outgoing Vice-President - HSS Outgoing President Outgoing Vice-President (WSA) Outgoing Vice-President (BCC) Outgoing Honorary General Secretary Outgoing Human Resource Executive Outgoing Operations Executive Outgoing Corporate Communications Executive Outgoing Financial Executive Outgoing Honorary Financial Secretary Outgoing Business Projects Executive Outgoing Welfare (Student Life) Executive Outgoing President – LKCSOM President – Hall 9 President – Hall 1
Late with apologies <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Shia Zheng Zhe Darwin 	Position Held President – SOH

Absent with apologies <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Sufia Bte Zulkifli 	Position Held President – EEE
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Meeting Agenda

- Council Chairperson Election
- NTUSU Executive Committee Election
- AOB

No	Agenda	Action
1.	<p>1.1 Proposed for Representatives to be present and have speaking rights Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Seconder: Victor Chia Wei Keat</p> <p>Mr Leonard Chan, the outgoing Council Chairperson and Mr How Yijie, Darren, the outgoing Honorary General Secretary helped to facilitate the first council meeting. They would retreat to the back after the new Council Chairperson and Honorary General Secretary are elected.</p> <p>1.2 Proposed to proceed to the first agenda Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Seconder: Chow Jin Hui</p> <p>Procedure of the Council Rally was briefed by Mr Leonard Chan and the procedure included presentation, question and answer and voting.</p> <p>1.3 Council Chairperson's Council Rally Nomination for Council Chairperson: Johan Ezran Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Seconder: Chow Jin Hui</p> <p>1.3.1 Presentation: Mr Johan Ezran introduced himself being a 4th year Bachelor of Arts (Education) in NIE. He talked about his experience. He studied in music in NAFA and chaired the Fine Arts Student Council. He served in the Trainee Teacher's Club as chairperson of orientation planning management committee, the Vice-President (Services) and the President. He has experience as a teacher in which he learned to manage a class of 40 and handle interaction with staff. He was trained as a musician and freelances. He was the youngest elected into the Board of Directors of the Singapore Wind Symphony. He could build relationships with other companies and he learnt that public relations were very important. He introduced the role of the Council Chairperson, chairing the Council and leading meetings in an unbiased manner. He shared why he was running for Council Chairperson, he felt that it was his last year for him to do this. He shared his direction for the 27th Council, he would like to encourage debate and inclusiveness as well as engaging the management more such that students are kept in the loop.</p> <p>1.3.2 Question and Answer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Johan Ezran what are the ways they can improve on from the 26th Council. Mr Johan Ezran said that they can do more activities to bond more together as a group as he thinks that bonding is important. Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Johan Ezran what are his opinions are on open and closed voting Mr Johan Ezran said that he prefers open voting but he understands that people may be shy and unwilling to show their true opinions. Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Johan Ezran about if hall representatives should vote. Mr Johan Ezran said it is good as they give another opinion but they cannot vote to avoid double representation. Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Johan Ezran about the initiative of the Council photoshoot last year. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Johan Ezran said that it was good as people start to notice that there is student representation and they should continue doing that. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Mr Johan Ezran about closed and open voting and if it will affect the article being voted on. • Mr Johan Ezran said that if issues are simple, open voting is fine but if they are touchy, closed voting is more appropriate. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Johan Ezran how he would determine when to use closed and open voting and on what initiatives on Council publicity he would propose. • Mr Johan Ezran replied that he prefers student representation but there needs to be a balance between that and efficiency. • Mr Johan Ezran replied that they should continue Council publicity and maybe even look into making use of the digital screens as well. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Johan Ezran if the Council should be on the ground serving the students or gaining recognition. • Mr Johan Ezran said that it was a tough question but doing a good job was more important than recognition. • Mr Low Choon chye asked Mr Johan Ezran what is the purpose of doing a good job if there is no recognition. • Mr Johan Ezran said that he had faced similar issues before in TTC, for which he emphasised more on publicity and creating intrinsic motivation. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Johan Ezran about his leadership style and what his assessment of the previous Council Chairperson. • Mr Johan Ezran said that he does the ground work and wants to know what students face on the ground, he wants to know how things are going on the ground before making decisions. • Mr Johan Ezran said that he feels that there should have been more bonding activities among the Council. • Mr Dominique Yeo Zong Xiang asked Mr Johan Ezran what sort of bonding activities and what his roadmap would be. • Mr Johan Ezran talked about how NIE made them do retreats and while it felt forced at first, it was effective. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Johan Ezran about manpower for initiatives and how will he encourage people within the Council to help him with it. He also said that budget has been allocated in the past but not used, is he going to propose for budget and how will it be used. • Mr Johan Ezran said that he must know what the strengths of each person before doing open selection and so he hopes manpower wouldn't become an issue. • Mr Johan Ezran said that he is not sure how SAO budgeting works as NIE runs on a different system. • Mr Gan Rui Yun said that the budget would come from the union's budget. • Mr Johan Ezran said that if they can do it then he would do it. • Mr Leonard Chan Jun Wei said that perhaps he can consult with the incoming financial secretary and find out what are the possible routes to take. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat commented that since everyone is a representative of students, the price of having peer pressure in open voting is huge. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Mr Johan Ezran about how he would act in a discussion where some people are still discussing an issue but some people feels that the topic is over. • Mr Johan Ezran said that he would ask prompting questions to gauge the satisfaction of everyone with the discussion. 	
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2.	<p>2.1 Proposed to proceed to the second agenda Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Seconder: Chong Le Wen</p> <p>2.2 Honorary General Secretary’s Council Rally Nomination for Honorary General Secretary: Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Seconder: Chow Jin Hui</p> <p>Ms Ong Yun Mei left the meeting at 1133H. Mr Lee Hsin Chong left the room.</p> <p>2.2.1 Presentation Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca gave her presentation. She is from EEE and is running for Honorary General Secretary. She talked about her past experience in Binjai Hall as dance and culture secretary of the protem committee and being the first committee, she had to establish many procedures especially in the case of the dance and jam band rooms. She was also the representative for her hall in the HOCC. She admits it was difficult coping with studies and being a student leader. She believes that taking the role of Honorary General Secretary would broaden her knowledge and experience, and to motivate leaders. She feels that students being given the experience of running events is valuable to them. She wants the Students’ Union to gain more recognition, she wants students to become more aware of the Students’ Union. She wants to go further and to improve trust, internally and externally. Internally through strengthening internal governance and HR policies. Externally through addressing issues promptly and being transparent and accountable in union operations. She said that she would like to address potential problems before they arise. She introduced the structure of the general secretariat</p>									

	<p>division. She introduced the scope of responsibilities of the Honorary General Secretary. She wants to make sure that everyone has a professional level of conduct and discipline matters are accounted for. For her term, she wants to make sure that Ussociates (Union Associates) resonate with union values. She wants to be accountable, efficient, and transparent.</p> <p>2.2.2 Question and Answer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr How Yijie, Darren asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca about what she learned in her past year which she will make use of as Honorary General Secretary and how she, as the Honorary General Secretary, will help the union achieve its mission and vision. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she had to set up SOPs for her hall and that it was similar in a regard to the job of Honorary General Secretary establishing new internal orders and procedures. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that they must build trust among students to gain more effective voices. As the Honorary General Secretary, she will have to deal with HR policies in which they can make the Ussociates resonate with her and create a better NTU. • Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca on being a Council Secretary and Honorary General Secretary at the same time. She will also be the acting Council Chairperson if the Council Chairperson is unavailable. If there is a conflict between the Council Chairperson and President, how would she manage this. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she would not take sides at first and she knows that the Honorary General Secretary is an important role. She will listen to what both sides have to say and understand what they are undergoing. She will listen to what the President has to say and then allow the Council Chairperson to express his opinions as well. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca what the union values are. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that they are the union mission vision and motto. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca being the representative for EEE, she would not have as much opportunity to voice her opinions and how she would resolve this. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she would ask her EEE President to voice her concerns beforehand. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca what her agenda for Hall Allocation Scheme Implementation Committee would be and what direction she wants it to take this year. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca mentioned that she does not have any direction at the moment but she thinks that the removal of distance points was a good thing. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca what she thinks of the state of the internal governance system and how she would motivate people to understand the system and to abide by the system. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that as a Honorary General Secretary, she will set the ground rules such that everyone would know what is expected and she will set up KPIs and wishes that all Ussociates keep up with their KPIs. She will find out what difficulties people have and will bond with them to make them more interested to join events, and be engaged. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca if discipline conflicts with her idea of recognition and appreciation. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she feels it is a different thing and that if people do not fulfil what is expected of them then they are being irresponsible if it was conveyed beforehand. 	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Ms Ling Li Hui what the mission and vision of the union was. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that the mission was to empower the voices, advocate the interests and enhance the vibrancy of NTU students and the vision was a community where NTU students are empowered partners in building their university experience. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca about her stand on where we are at gaining trust. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that they are gaining trust as there are minutes available for students to understand. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca how would she reach out to the pool of students that do not understand what the Students' Union is doing. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that they can conduct more publicity to ensure that students are aware of what the Students' Union is doing, not only the Executive committee but the Council should do this as well. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca if her focus is internal or external this year. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she will focus on internal first before external as she needs to set up a base such that other people can see that they are internally strong. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca if she had any new ideas to help establish a stronger Ussociate identity. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that they can have more bonding session and that they will initiate different workshops to promote identity as well. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca how she will motivate her junior Executive committee. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she will recognise their efforts and give them feedback and encouragement as well as having bonding sessions. • Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca how she views Ussociates going Missing-In-Action. • Miss Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she will deal with this on the level of the discipline committee and see what the decision made through understanding the context of the issue. • Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca how she will unite the union's committees that have members from different countries. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she will listen to them and she will encourage their chairpersons to align goals such they will have common goals to work together on. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca about the understanding of students and how will they build student trust. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that the union has been progressing through the years and that students know the basics of what the Students' Union is about. There will always be new students coming in and it is important for seniors to let freshmen know what the union is doing. • Ms Por Hui Fang asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca whether Council members should be invited for overseas programmes that she organises and what she can do to increase Council member participation. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that they should be as they are Presidents and it is a very good exposure for them, they can have bonding sessions before the trip. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca how she would identify problems before they arise for operations of the union. • Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca said that she would look at the reports being generated every month and decide based on the statistics. She said that she would also like to improve the global lounge more than simply a place to study. 	
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Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Rebecca Ling left the room for voting.

2.2.3 Voting

Total vote: 31

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
24	6	1	0

Honorary General Secretary: Elected in position

Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca took over the Council minutes recording and Mr How Yijie, Darren retreated to the back

2.3 Proposed for a 10-minute break

Proposer: Chow Jin Hui

Secunder: Ang Joon Kit Eugene

2.4 Nomination for President:

Proposer: Chow Jin Hui

Secunder: Jau Teng Zhi Luke

2.4.1 Presentation:

Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian felt that nowadays students find it hard to step up as leaders. He envisioned students to be empowered to build their community where collaboration exists in every corner of NTU. He mentioned that his vision is to inspire, to develop and to build. He stated his experience when he served Crescent Hall as the Orientation Programme Main Committee and he is also one of the founder of the NBS Mentorship Programme as the Vice-President. He also explained the pillars which are essential to support the Union. The first pillar is Ussociates, the second pillar is internal governance, the third pillar is external relationship and finally the last pillar is prudence and transparency. He also stated that Ussociates represent union. He explained about the structure of Students' Union. He will engage students through workshops discussion and school management. He wants people to recognise union as a place that produce competent leaders who have the heart to serve.

2.4.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian to describe his leadership style.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian responded saying that he would not spoon feed his Executive Committee but will allow them to achieve the end goal themselves.
- Mr Gan Rui Yun also asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian to explain what are the roles of Information and Research Executive.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied saying that Information and Research Executive provides ground reports and surveys also raising up matters to the students.
- Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian who are the key persons in charge of orientation matters?
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian stated that the Orientation Executive and the Associate Orientation Executive will be in charge.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Ooi Jing Ting Florence mentioned that the incoming VPWSA does not have the experience in camp and there is no Orientation Executive, does Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian think that the Council is capable in handling this matter? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied saying that if he steps up as VPWSA, it means that he has the capabilities in handling new situations and problems. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian what is his opinions on U-shop merging with Co-op. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that it is not a straightforward issue hence further consultation is needed with the NTU Legal Advisors. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian how is he going to pursue academic representation. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said he will follow up the Academic Club Presidents to ensure that they are involved with their schools on Academic matters. • Mr Gan Rui Yun said that the university is changing management and senior management are stepping down, what problems does Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian foresee in the new management? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied saying that they will not be aware of the student landscape in NTU and engage them closely and make sure that everyone is aligned towards a common objective. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian if he will do anything if one of his Executive Committee Member do not have the passion to serve. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that he will talk to the Executive Committee Member and help the member to understand why is it important to have the passion to serve. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian to evaluate the 26th committee and mention some of the areas he can improve and work on. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that in terms of BCC Division, he can engage external partners more and brand Students' Union as a more representative body. For WSA Division, he would improve more welfare like academic representation and he will focus more on welfare instead of events. As for General Secretariat Division, the internal order was founded on 25th exco and improved on 26th exco, he the internal governance system can be more robust and improved on. Finally for Financial Division, he hopes that the union collaboration fund can build relations with other clubs and together build a one NTU community. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian what is his take on NTU Fest and if he would like to continue or discontinue? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian explained that the 3 objectives were met for NTUfest and there was a comfortable flow of people, roughly about 5000 people. He feels that NTU Fest should continue. • Mr Dominique Yeo Zong Xiang asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian why are there so many new faces in Executive Committee this year? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that the environment in 26th Students' Union Executive Committee was not favourable for inspiring leaders. • Ms Mavis Lim Shi Min asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian if the 2 years hall stay is good. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian mentioned that it is to make sure students can choose what they want to participate rather than choosing according to points. • Ms Mavis Lim Shi Min asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian if he thinks the 2 years hall stay will continue, because a lot of clubs cannot find successor in clubs and no one wants to participate. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian stated that this is a problem a lot of clubs face. 	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Mavis Lim Shi Min mentioned that hall stay is an inventive to make students join activities, what are some initiatives to help this situation? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that he will engage the senior management of NTU to discuss a solution. • Mr Leonard Chan Jun Wei stated that for all Academic Clubs, sometimes when they want to execute some events, it always gets blocked by Student Admin Office, what can Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian do about this? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied that Students' Union can provide feedbacks, understanding rationales and having a discussion to find a mutual understanding. • Mr Benedict Yeo Lehao said that Industrial Attachment would mean that the student will overload for the semester, how can Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian help? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian explained that Industrial Attachment provides new experience and skills and it is very hard to find an agreement in this situation and this topic will still be on the table. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian to list down 3 problems in orientation. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied that Short Term Accommodation, the damages of tutorial room and Cash Advancement. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian to name out the challenges he foresee in the 27th Council. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian mentioned it would be aligning everyone with union motto and having the heart to serve for the students. • Mr Dominique Yeo Zong Xiang asked how is Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian going to inspire leadership in 27th Executive Committee? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that he will let them find their purpose in serving and understand that they can bring positive impacts for the student population. • Ong Wei Ting Vanessa asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian who is his role model since the environment was not good in 26th Executive Committee. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied that his role model is Mr Low Choon Chye as he inspired him and believed in him when he was at the low points in his journey. • Ms Por Hui Fang said that there is an increase in year 1 in Students' Union, what can Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian do to make sure that they know what to do for their portfolio? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian stated that knowledge can be learnt, they will take over the necessary documents and they will be tackling issues too. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian how is he going to deal with people who does not agree with compromising. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian explained that he will explain to them the rationale of decisions and sometimes the right decisions are not the popular ones. • Mr Leonard Chan Jun Wei asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian how is he going to make measures to things they do not agree to? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that there could be prior consultation through discussion forums, participate town halls that union organise and getting support from the union. • Mr Leonard Chan Jun Wei asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian how will he get more interaction and engagement other than town halls? • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian mentioned that social media such as facebook and Instagram, through email and feedback forms. The Students' Union will work hard to gather students' feedbacks. Students' Union also have events where we can engage the students. • Mr Gan Rui Yun explained that the decision of having a 2 years hall stay was never discussed with the Students' Union. 	
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- Mr How Yijie, Darren commented that the 2 years hall stay was just a publicity stunt to attract freshmen.
- Mr Gan Rui Yun stated that within next 5 years, we will know if the 2 years hall plan is sustainable.
- Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian what does he think of his predecessor?
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian said that he has the heart to serve and he is a logical person. Also, he is constantly on the ground to help. However, there is a lack of unity, lack of empowerment and there is certain practice which Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian finds undesirable.
- Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian what is the thing he believes in his team?
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied that staying bonded and he believes in a family culture where everyone challenges each other but is also there for each other.
- Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian what he would do if his Executive Committee does not see the bigger picture?
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian replied saying that let them find their purpose in serving and understand that they can bring positive impacts for the student population.
- Mr Low Choon Chye stated that he is very inspired by Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian's direction as it does not create politics within the Executive Committee. He also mentioned 3 advices. A leader should not gossip about his own members, a leader should not make his members go against each other but to care for one another. Lastly, one should follow a leader not because you have to but because you want to.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian left the room for voting.

2.4.3 Voting

Total vote: 32

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
29	3	0	0

President: Elected in position

2.5 Propose for 45 minutes lunch break

Proposer: Lee Hsin Chong

Secoder: Mavis Lim Shi Min

Mr Lim Zhi Han Chester left at 1418H.

2.6 Propose for resumption of meeting

Proposer: Chow Jin Hui

Secoder: Ang Joon Kit Eugene

2.7 Vice-President (Welfare and Student Activities)'s Council Rally

Nomination of Vice-President (Welfare and Student Activities): Victor Chia Wei Keat

Proposer: Chow Jin Hui

Secoder: Edward Lim Xun Qian

	<p>2.7.1 Presentation:</p> <p>Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat is from CEE, a year 4 environment student. He was involved in hall, club as well as the Students' Union. He was involved in Students' Union as part of the Student Engagement Committee. He mentioned that he wanted to serve, integrate and change. He also stated that he values university experience a lot hence he wants to run as Vice-President welfare and student activities. He briefly explained about the structure of his team and gave a summary for each of them. His direction is to understand Union's Member and to represent, to serve and to integrate them. He believes in doing so, there will be a bigger impacts and changes. He talked about the new Executive Committee and his main job scope. He stated some problems, such as orientation, shuttle buses, food prices and campus involvement. He also came up with several initiatives to counteract the upcoming issues. Finally, he ended the presentation with the points he would like to achieve in a year's time and in 5 years' time. He wishes to meet more students' need and have more involvements from the students. 5 years later, he hopes to see improvements in students' welfare and enhancing students' university experience.</p> <p>2.7.2 Question and Answer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat to explain the role of Information and Research Executive and how can it bring better welfare for students. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat explained that Information and Research Executive collects student feedback and data and by understanding the students, the Students' Union then can help them to solve the problem. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat why does he need this committee? • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat replied because he felt that collecting evidence and data for information is important. • Mr Low Choon Chye stated that someone mentioned saying Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat do not have any experience in orientation and how can he solve this. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat mentioned that he was the organising committee in year 1 for Crescent Hall. There are a lot of improvements however there are still problems regarding the sequence of who goes first. He will first identify the problems and tackle them. He also agreed that he do not have experience but he will need to ask everyone to help him out. • Mr Low Choon Chye said that it is almost impossible to satisfy everyone in terms of sequence of orientation, how will Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat handle it. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat explained that it is important to understand the orientation leader first and he must be rational and logical enough and look at the bigger picture. At the end of the day, to have a better transition for the freshmen. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what if there is a consensus that cannot be met. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat said he will coordinate with the organisers what are some of the things that can be done and what are those that cannot be done. He felt like it would be the best for everyone of he can discuss with them. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat for the big 4 orientation group, what if the management feel that it can be held after week 1. • Mr Victor Wei Keat agreed and said that it is a challenging question. He believes that there is a strong support system for the clubs and there is a purpose for the orientation. • Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what is his stand about integrating international student in orientation. 	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat said it is important to include them in the orientation program. Sometimes maybe the international student does not want to join the orientation program and he needs to think of a good answer for the school management. • Mr Low Choon Chye asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what are the welfare changes in his term. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat explained that there are new Executive Committee formed, the Information and Research Executive and Student Engagement Executive. He plans to build on what we have achieved last year and improve on it. As for Integrated Career Opportunities Network and Ministerial Open Discussion Events, they need to come up with stuff that students are really interested in. He will also look into the other things he can do. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what are his thoughts about union sponsoring fullscap to other Constituent Clubs. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat said that U-study is a university wide event and it is also a 2-way relationship between Students' Union and Constituent Clubs. He mentioned about looking into this issue more. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what are his plan for the academic this year? • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat mentioned about Industrial Attachment and he is strongly against the idea of it. He does not understand why students have to pay full school fees for that semester. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat how can he cope with the job scope of VPWSA. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat explained that he will do his FYP and job well, he promised not to neglect his job in Students' Union. In the case where he is busy, he will delegate the job to his junior Executive Committee. • Mr See Jing Xuan asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what are the limited facilities for Cultural Activities Club. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat said he will talk to Student Activities Centre about the storage for Cultural Activities Club. • Mr Leonard Chan Jun Wei asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat how he can convince people to make him represent them in UOCC. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat replied saying that he needs to know them problem that the orientation leaders and the school are facing. He will also slowly gain knowledge about orientation before going for UOCC meetings. • Muhammad Hafiz Bin Mohamad asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what are his thoughts of STA. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat mentioned that he feels that STA is good as it ensures the safety of the students. • Ms Angela Chia asked Mr Victor Chi Wei Keat about his stand regarding seniors checking in earlier for orientation. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat said that he will go according to the way that is most comfortable for seniors. • Mr Dominique Yeo Zong Xiang asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat what does he think of his predecessor and name 3 things he did not do well. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat mentioned that his predecessor's weaknesses are emotional, stubborn and insensitive. • Mr See Jing Xuan asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat regarding the training spaces like Nanyang House which is considered as a limited facility and this is an ongoing concern. 	
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- Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat told him to be more specific about the problems he is facing and justify accordingly.
- Ms Mavis Lim Shi Min asked Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat to justify why he thinks having hall camps, big 4 camps then faculty camps are the best?
- Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat explained that by having faculty camp as the last, the faculty can be more inclusive and it is more important.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat left the room for voting.

2.7.3 Voting

Total vote: 32

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
29	3	0	0

Vice-President (Welfare and Student Activities): Elected in position

2.8 Propose for 5 minutes toilet break

Proposer: Lam Kian Meng, Shawn

Secunder: Ling Li Hui Rebecca

2.9 Propose to resumption of meeting

Proposer: Lam Kian Meng, Shawn

Secunder: Edward Lim Xun Qian

2.10 Vice-President (Business and Corporate Communications)'s Council Rally

Nomination of Vice-President (Business and Corporate Communications): Chow Jin Hui

Proposer: Lam Kian Meng, Shawn

Secunder: Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas

2.10.1 Presentation:

Chow Jin Hui introduced himself as a year 4, SPMS student. He talked about his experience being an assistant Sports Council in Crescent Hall in his year 1, he also mentioned about serving as the welfare committee. In his year 2, he was committed to being the block representative in Crescent Hall, he felt that for the past years he had gained a lot of fruitful experiences. He felt that "How can we encourage and develop active citizenry among youths?" is an important question for himself. During his year 3, he took up a bigger role, where he joined NTUfest as the safety director, it was a big challenge for him as he joined the main committee late. He stated that he did not have a lot of experience in business however, he will do more hands-on approach to help and guide his junior Executive Committee. He explained in detail about the structure of his team and mentioned that he would like to focus more on branding in this academic year. His vision for his team is approachability, professionalism and vibrancy. He concluded with the initiatives he wishes to do in his term, which is to improve on the utilities.

2.10.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Chow Jin Hui how he intends to lead his division.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Chow Jin Hui explained that as a leader, he should want to make a difference. He hopes he can work together with his junior Executive Committee and learn from them. He said that if he projects the right image, he will be able to guide his members well. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Chow Jin Hui what is his motivation to persist and persevere. • Mr Chow Jin Hui replied that seeing other students working very hard for majority of the student population, he should work very hard too. • Mr Lim Strahan asked Mr Chow Jin Hui to elaborate about how he want to guide his junior Executive Committee. • Mr Chow Jin Hui mentioned that empowerment is something he wants to input in his team. As a leader of them, he feels they still need a strong leader to lead them and tell them what is right and wrong. He said that he would not go down to Ussociates level and micromanage. He will make sure that his junior Executive Committee are well-bonded. • Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Mr Chow Jin Hui what does he think about the image of Students' Union in the eye of students? • Mr Chow Jin Hui said that students might feel that a lot of events are not organised by Students' Union. They might even feel that Students' Union is obstructing them from doing certain stuff. He personally feels that there is an improvement in terms of branding. • Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Mr Chow Jin Hui what is the suitable exchange for Electronic Direct Mail? • Mr Chow Jin Hui replied saying that he thinks he should follow the law of demand and supply. If there is a higher benefit, he will allow Electronic Direct Mail to do promotion. However, spamming too much through Electronic Direct Mail might also make students feel refusal in accepting. • Ms Chong Le Wen asked Mr Chow Jin Hui how does he think Students' Union can improve on the website. • Mr Chow Jin Hui said that the server can work faster and he hopes to increase the utility. However, he will still need to discuss with the Information Technology chairperson. Lastly, he wants to ensure that the website is up to date. • Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn asked Mr Chow Jin Hui what are the issues in Corporate Liaison Executive and how he plans to solve it. • Mr Chow Jin Hui feels that interaction is a problem. • Mr Kee Khin Hong asked Mr Chow Jin Hui what are his expectations for his Corporate Liaison Executive. • Mr Chow Jin Hui replied that he hopes to increase the variety of sponsorship. • Ms Caroline asked Mr Chow Jin Hui about the ways to increase the number of students going to U-shop website. • Mr Chow Jin Hui stated that he wants to boost U-shop recognition more using the website. He feels that once the website foundation is stable, the traffic flow will also increase. Also, U-shop must also help to promote. • Ms Chong Le Wen asked Mr Chow Jin Hui about the reason of shifting Student Engagement Executive from WSA and now to BCC. • Mr Chow Jin Hui mentioned that Student Engagement Executive used to do surveys and surveys usually take up a lot of time. The 26th Student Engagement Executive do not have enough time to manage. He wants to see Student Engagement Executive working together with Corporate Communication Executive to promote publicity. • Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Mr Chow Jin Hui if BCC should increase the lease of U-shop. 	
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- Mr Chow Jin Hui said he should because U-shop contributes to U-fund and some money will go into union collaboration fund and bursaries.
- Mr Yosua Nathanael Santoso asked Mr Chow Jin Hui how can U-shop improve.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui said that he thinks this kind of things can be done by his term. These are stuff that is not within his control. And as long as it can be supported, it is possible for improvement.
- Mr How Yijie, Darren asked Mr Chow Jin Hui what makes him different when he is standing as the VP.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui explained that he will be able to provide a bigger picture as compared to just a junior executive committee.
- Mr Leonard Chan Jun Wei asked Mr Chow Jin Hui if he is able to make Students' Union more human.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui replied that he will have a short write up for the Ussociates to let them know more about Students' Union.
- Ms Por Hui Fang asked Mr Chow Jin Hui to name 3 strengths and weaknesses of his predecessor and how he can do better than him.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui stated that his predecessor's strengths are having more Student UUnion experience and overall more experience in school. However, his weakness is he focus too much on Business Project Executive portfolio.
- Ms Auginia Natalia asked Mr Chow Jin Hui how can he make sure that communicate well between inter-division, specifically between WSA and BCC.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui mentioned that he wants the participating Executive Committee to communicate directly as there will always have miscommunications when there is a relay of messages.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Chow Jin Hui if the senior Executive Committee will be kept out of loop in such cases.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui said that the junior Executive Committee have to keep the senior Executive Committee in the loop but not in every situation. The junior Executive Committee should inform according to his/her judgement.
- Mr Samuel Salim asked Mr Chow Jin Hui how is he going to achieve his vision.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui stated that his vision is similar his predecessor's vision, which was approachable, professional and reputable but he chose to modify it to make it better.

Mr Shia Zheng Zhe Darwin arrived at 1637H.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Chow Jin Hui to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Chow Jin Hui left the room for voting.

2.10.3 Voting

Total vote: 32

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
31	0	1	0

Vice-President (Business and Corporate Communications): Elected in position

Mr See Jin Xuan and Miss Eng Shuo Ying left the room at 1706H.

2.11 Propose for 5 minutes toilet break

	<p>Proposer: Victor Chia Wei Keat Seconder: Kee Khin Hong</p> <p>2.12 Propose to resumption of meeting Proposer: Lee Cheok Hon Seconder: Chong Le Wen</p> <p>2.13 Honorary Financial Secretary's Council Rally Nomination of Honorary Financial Secretary: Rebekah Leong Bao Ying Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Seconder: Ang Joon Kit Eugene</p> <p>2.13.1 Presentation: Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying gave her presentation. She explained that she is a NBS, year 2 student. She briefly mentioned that she used to be in Corporate Liaison Office as a Ussociate when she was in year 1 and that reason made her want to step up in year 2. She is also the Group Leader of NBS faculty Orientation Programme. She stated that she has the passion to serve the whole NTU, have necessary knowledge about accounting and finance and she is rational and have good judgement, hence she chose to be Honorary Financial Secretary. She also talked about her responsibilities as a Welfare and Service Club's union representative. As the Honorary Financial Secretary, she will be very firm and stubborn with her stand if she feels that there is no justification when it comes to acquiring more money for certain events. Her direction this year is to have a transparent budget in which student feel safe to entrust the Students' Union with their money. Also, she will make sure that every cent used is every cent well spent. She also believes in improving budget method and improvements to U-shop financial statement and control.</p> <p>2.13.2 Questions and Answers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying how she plan to delegate her work to Financial Executive and how she plans to empower her? • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying said that she will let her Financial Executive be part of U-shop. The Honorary Financial Secretary will be in charge of day-to-day reimbursement and Financial Executive will be in charge of events reimbursement. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying what is her view on zero base method. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying explained that the method is very time consuming and some events will take place quite late and they will have to make sure that the sum is correct. • Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying what are some loopholes in the internal order for financial procedures? • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying mentioned about the terms they used in the internal order and it should be easily understandable by everyone. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying what happens if someone could not get reimbursed in time? • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying explained that the individual should ask for an extension immediately so she will give some time extension. • Mr How Yijie, Darren asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying what are some of the fraud ways and how can she reduce this. 	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying stated that there should be a good segregation of duties. As for inventory theft, the purchaser should not be the stock taker as week because he can change the amount on the list easily. • Mr Lim Strahan asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying how does she balance democracy and the operation of U-shop. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying said that for important accounts, inventory fraud might happen so there must have a segregation between duties. However, for less important accounts, there would not be a need in segregation. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying how would she audit for the clubs that consist of sensitive factors? • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying stated that she would reconsider their motive of using the money. • Mr Gan Rui Yun asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying regarding the investment in Accumulated Fund and Reserved Fund. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying explained that it is the students' money and it would also be putting a risk to it, it would not be right. As the Honorary Financial Secretary, it is her job to make the students trust her with their money. • Mr Lim Strahan asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying about her stance in investing the subscription fee since the amount has not increased but a lot of things have increased. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying mentioned that she will work together with the other Executive Committee to source for more sponsorship. • Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying if Students' Union should hold petty cash. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying replied no as it would be hard to track purchases. • Mr How Yijie, Darren asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying how would she present statements. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying said that she will split the statement into event based and under each event, there will be a quotation list. • Ms Por Hui Fang asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying if she thinks that there are any improvements in the spending for sub committees? • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying said that which committees that has surplus in terms of members, she will allocate more money for that committee. • Ms Por Hui Fang asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying how she plans to solve the problem of having the same subscription fee but with more committees. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying mentioned that the other committees can look for cheaper alternatives or reduce the quantity. They can determine the traffic flow from the crowd. • Mr Lim Strahan asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying how would she justify herself if she says no to the committee and they still want to ask for money. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying said that her justification will be strong enough because she thinks it is possible to lower the cost. • Ms Por Hui Fang asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying about the foreign purchases in Students' Union. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying replied saying that foreign purchases is good as it helps to save a lot. And it should not be a problem as the chairperson can let his committee know what is the required documents/receipts. • Mr How Yijie, Darren asked Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying if U-shop items should be taxed. • Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying stated that she is still trying to figure this out, however it would be good if the students do not have to pay tax. 	
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Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying left the room for voting.

2.13.3 Voting

Total vote: 31

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
30	0	1	0

Honorary Financial Secretary: Elected in position

Ms Chua Ying Xuan and EEE VP left the room at 1816H.

2.14 Human Resource Executive Council Rally

Nomination of Human Resource Executive: Lee Yan Ling

Proposer: Denise Jang Wen Sze

Seconder: Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas

2.14.1 Presentation:

Yan Ling mentioned she was very involved in student activities back when she was in polytechnic. She wishes to continue serving the student population. Her direction in her term is to instil the sense of pride and ensuring Ussociates learn something new. She also explained about empowering her committees such as having more bonding sessions and have at least 2 workshops for each semester. Some of her initiatives are organising workshops that allow Ussociates to learn skills that are they are unable to learn in school.

2.14.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Lee Yan Ling how would she resolve the conflict between her committee.
- Ms Lee Yan Ling said she will talk to the individual first then she will speak to the senior Executive Committee who is the neutral party about mediating the problem.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Lee Yan Ling what happens if the chairperson does not let his/her committee to participate in selective events.
- Ms Lee Yan Ling mentioned that she will look for the chairperson and ask them what is their main reason of doing so. If the reason can be justified, she will then offer to propose to let the committee join for another event.
- Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying asked Ms Lee Yan Ling how does she know if the Ussociates recruited are of top quality.
- Ms Lee Yan Ling stated that the chairperson or Executive Committee will have to set up a rubricks on what are the criteria they are looking for and the respective interviewers need to follow the guidelines during the interview.
- Ms Chong Le Wen asked Ms Lee Yan Ling what happens if the Ussociates do not want to attend the events you plan for them?
- Ms Lee Yan Ling explained it is essential to let the Ussociates to come during bonding day, unless there are valid reasons.
- Ms Vaya Bundawi asked Ms Lee Yan Ling what would she do if the person is not the right fit for the particular committee and shifting them to another committee and it results in the lack of man power?

- Ms Lee Yan Ling said it would depend on the man power she has for the committee. If the amount has exceeded for the committee then shifting will not be allowed.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene asked Ms Lee Yan Ling what are her thoughts on having too much international students in Students' Union this year.
- Ms Lee Yan Ling said that she wants to have a fair share of students, whether it is international or local students.
- Mr Benedict Yao Lehao asked Ms Lee Yan Ling how is she going to account for Ussociates that has other commitments?
- Ms Lee Yan Ling stated that there is only compulsory bonding day, the other events will be optional.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Lee Yan Ling how she plan to empower operation committee that does more manual work?
- Ms Lee Yan Ling explained that regardless of the committee, it is important to be empowered and learn the skills.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze asked Ms Yan Ling in regards of the workshops, where will the source of money?
- Ms Yan Ling said that students can self-learn from one another, also the workshops can be conducted by students.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Ms Lee Yan Ling if the full involvement points will be given to the Ussociate who leaves half-way?
- Ms Lee Yan Ling said that if the Ussociate leaves at the end of the semester, she will allow the Ussociate to receive the full involvement points.
- Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying asked Ms Lee Yan Ling if she evict Ussociates who are Missing-In-Action for a while, by the end of the day there will be a lack of man power, how does she plan to solve this problem?
- Ms Lee Yan Ling stated that she will evict based on how many times the Ussociates did not attend. However, the eviction has to go through a tough process.
- Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas asked Ms Lee Yan Ling what are her views in establishing job scope for specific committees?
- Ms Lee Yan Ling explained that this is something that she will work on this year and hopefully the job scope does not clash with other committees.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Lee Yan Ling to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Lee Yan Ling left the room for voting.

2.14.3 Voting

Total vote: 30

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
29	1	0	0

Human Resource Executive: Elected in position

2.15 Propose for 45 minutes dinner break

Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian

Secoder: Rebekah Leong Bao Ying

Mr Leow Yan Yang and Mr Lee Hsin Chong left the room at 1852H.

<p>2.16 Welfare Executive (Student Life)'s Council Rally Nomination of Welfare Executive (Student Life): Vaya Bundawi Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Secunder: Sheena Lee Jia En</p> <p>2.16.1 Presentation: Ms Vaya Bundawi gave her presentation. She introduced herself as a year 3, SPMS student. She talked about the reason why she wanted to be Welfare Executive (Student Life), she also mentioned about the dynamics of her team. She stated some of the new initiatives she intends to do. For U-study campaign, there is going to be an Instagram contest as she wanted to accommodate all the students. There will be collaboration work between the different portfolios, such as Information and Research Executive and Corporate Communication Executive. To boost publicity, she hopes to keep the students updates through Electronic Direct Mail.</p> <p>2.16.2 Question and Answer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Ms Vaya Bundawi to list some of the improvement for Welfare Executive (Student Life). • Ms Vaya Bundawi said for Welfare Initiative Committee, it was considerably bad as they could not get sponsorship. This year she plans to seek for sponsorship earlier. Also, she aims to improve the standard of transportation this year. • Ms Lee Yan Ling asked Ms Vaya Bundawi what are some plans to motivate students to participate in the Instagram contest. • Ms Vaya Bundawi stated that attractive prizes like vouchers can be used to engage the students. • Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Ms Vaya Bundawi how often is the study area updated? • Ms Vaya Bundawi explained that the study area is updated during the study week period. • Mr Lee Cheok Hon asked Ms Vaya Bundawi if she has any plans to collaborate with medicine school for welfare packs? • Ms Vaya Bundawi explained that the content of the welfare pack might be different, but she will try to see if this proposal is feasible. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Vaya Bundawi in what ways is giving out welfare packs providing welfare for students? • Ms Vaya Bundawi stated that during exam period, the students may feel stressful. Hence, the welfare pack can help to motivate and support them. • Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene asked Ms Vaya Bundawi how can Welfare Executive (Student Life) and Information and Research Executive work together. • Ms Vaya Bundawi said that in terms of surveys wise, Information and Research Executive can update Welfare Executive (Student Life) about the current issues. And Welfare Executive (Student Life) will do something to solve the problem. • Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Ms Vaya Bundawi what are the other welfare initiatives other than U-study? • Ms Vaya Bundawi explained that there is U-care, it raises awareness for U-fund. Other than U-study period, they also provide snacks during the exam period. <p>Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Vaya Bundawi to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.</p> <p>Ms Vaya Bundawi left the room for voting.</p>	
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2.16.3 Voting

Total vote: 28

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
27	1	0	0

Welfare Executive (Student Life): Elected in position

2.17 Welfare Executive (Development)'s Council Rally

Nomination of Welfare Executive (Development): Sheena Lee Jia En

Proposer: Chow Jin Hui

Secunder: Teo Chi Wei, Nicholas

2.17.1 Presentation:

Ms Sheena Lee Jia En is a NIE student who is actively involved in Crescent Hall Council. And she represents Cultural Activities Club as union representative. She has been involved in initiating workshops for further development for the students in her hall, she also mentioned about the direction of her portfolio this year. As the Welfare Executive (Development), she hopes to interconnect in the development and engagement. She wants to follow the direction of NTUSU. She elaborated about her portfolio and the structure of her committee. Being the leader of her committees, she also shared about the directions she has for them. She ended her speech with the intention to connect with the Executive Committee and the development they will go through together.

2.17.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Sheena Lee Jia En how much does the students know about the current affairs?
- Ms Sheena Lee Jia En stated that not a lot of students are aware of it but Ministerial Open Discussion Events will be able to help them in this aspect.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Sheena Lee Jia En to name 2 pertaining political issues in Asia.
- Ms Sheena Lee Jia En mentioned that the difficulty in containing corruption and the rise of marshal dictatorship.
- Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Ms Sheena Lee Jia En to list the issues that Ministry Forum had faced last year.
- Ms Sheena Lee Jia En explained that the attendance and the budget in venues and securities. Also, the problem on getting a sufficient high potential speaker.
- Mr Victor Chia Wei Keat asked Ms Sheena Lee Jia En what are the other plans that Ministerial Open Discussion Events can advance towards other than Kopi-talk?
- Ms Sheena Lee Jia En stated the civil society view, journalist and having members of Non-Government Organisation as speakers.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Sheena Lee Jia En what would be the differentiating factor between NUS and NTU?
- Ms Sheena Lee Jia En stated that Ministerial Open Discussion Events can give closeness of engagement and having successful talks between the ministers. The best way is to play ear by ear.
- Ms Chong Le Wen asked Ms Sheena Lee Jia En how will she motivate her committees to make them stay until the end of the year?
- Ms Sheena Lee Jia En agreed that this is a problem for her. She will work closely with her chairperson to communicate with her sub committees. She would want her

committee to voice out the issues that they might have and ensuring that they know what they are doing instead of just signing up.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Sheena Lee Jia En to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Sheena Lee Jia En left the room for voting.

2.17.3 Voting
Total vote: 28

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
28	0	0	0

Welfare Executive (Development): Elected in position

2.18 Corporate Communications Executive (Branding)’s Council Rally
Nomination of Corporate Communications Executive (Branding): Lam Kian Meng, Shawn
Proposer: Jau Teng Zhi Luke
Seconder: Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas

2.18.1 Presentation
Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn is a MSE, year 4 student and he was involved in NTUperks! in Students’ Union. He stated that he has the passion to serve, and he wants to contribute back to the school. He also mentioned that there will be 3 committees under him which are design, photography and marketing. He talked about the NTU students representing the brand of NTUSU, hence he explained about how he planned to promote branding in his term. He listed down a few initiatives such as working with the other U initiatives for campaigns and cooperating for promotional videos. Lastly, he wishes to use Reddit as a platform to create a forum for further discussion.

2.18.2 Questions and Answers:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn how fast will he be able to create the promotional videos?
- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn explained that the promotional video could be shown one to two weeks before the event. Furthermore, there could be post-event videos one or two weeks after the event.
- Mr Jau Teng Zhi Luke asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn what does he think about the 26th Executive Committee in terms of branding.
- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn stated that he feels that the previous committee was not able to achieve much as there was only one Executive Committee doing the branding and there are other things that he has to attend to. Also, now that the job scope is split into 2 Executive Committees, he will be able to focus more on the branding aspect.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn how will he manage the ad-hoc events?
- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn explained that he expects that there are more structure documents to facilitate his job, he would make sure that he gets more detailed information of the event itself.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn about his view about the current image of NTUSU.

- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn said that the current image is consistent and fresh as the U initiatives is quite good in branding. He hopes to continue in the stuff that his predecessor did and improve on it.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn how many likes and followers he aims to achieve on facebook and on Instagram?
- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn stated that currently there are 5 digits in likes on facebook. However, there is only 1 digit likes on the article they posted.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn if he will engage U-study to promote likes?
- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn said that he wishes that the likes are from the students' own will rather than forcing it on them.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn if he would help to promote the Ussociates page on facebook as there are only 18 likes currently.
- Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn mentioned that he wishes to focus on the Students' Union page first and once it is stable, he will move towards to the Ussociates page. He sees that the Students' Union page has a direct connection to the Ussociates page. With this approach, both will be doing better than before.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn left the room for voting.

2.18.3 Voting

Total vote: 28

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
28	0	0	0

Corporate Communication Executive (Branding): Elected in position

2.19 Propose for 5 minutes toilet break

Proposer: Rebekah Leong Bao Ying

Secunder: Lee Cheok Hon

Mr Lee Cheok Hon and Mr Han Zhong Liang left the room at 2033H.

Ms Mao Xi Yun left the room at 2038H.

2.20 Propose to resumption of meeting

Proposer: Kee Khin Hong

Secunder: Foong Wai Yan Amanda

2.21 Corporate Communications Executive (Relations)'s Council Rally

Nomination of Corporate Communications Executive (Relations): Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas

Proposer: Lam Kian Meng, Shawn

Secunder: Chong Le Wen

2.21.1 Presentation:

Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas mentioned that he is interested in current affairs and he respects the political figures a lot hence he aspires to be like them. He also stated that he feels that his past experiences are related to communications and handling information. From the above

statement, he thinks he is the right person for this position. He said that success cannot occur in isolation, he also mentioned that his vision is to see and leap beyond limits. He is strongly inspired by his predecessor therefore he wishes to build on his predecessor's work.

2.21.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas what will the main selling point of U-insight and will it be on school policies issues?
- Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas explained that school policies issues do not appeal to him and he wants to use social media to build recognition. He also wishes to restructure the format of U-insight and breaking the article into sections. It will be presented in a rough format like an article. He stated that the tone and register can be more approachable and not too dry for the students.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas what are the problems he see for U-insight?
- Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas felt that the website does not interest the students, the feasibility needs to be fixed. Social media will be another way of reaching out to the readers. Most importantly, publicity must be enforced.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas if he has considered using LinkedIn as a source of approach?
- Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas stated that if he started posting through LinkedIn, the targeted audience will be people that are more serious. The tone will be more firm and formal.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas if there will be a printed version of U-insight in the future.
- Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas mentioned that printed U-insight will be a waste of paper as no one will be picking it up to read. Also, he added that NTU is promoting the green movement and it would not be feasible to justify the printed version. The main reason why he rejected the idea is poor readership. He would consider this in the future when he manages to get the basics right.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian mentioned that in the past, U-insight took rather a lot of time to be published, they are relying on events and groups of people to write up, will Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas consider letting the reporter to be writing the article?
- Edward asked Nicholas how will he manage U-feedback.
- Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas stated that the feedback will be reviewed internally first, if he is not able to address it, he will refer it to the respective management or school. He will keep track of how the feedback is going and he will see how he can solve the problem.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Teo Wei Chi, Nicholas left the room for voting.

2.21.3 Voting

Total vote: 26

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
25	1	0	0

Corporate Communications Executive (Relations): Elected in position

	<p>2.22 Corporate Liaison Executive's Council Rally Nomination of Corporate Liaison Executive: Kee Khin Hong Proposer: Lee Yan Ling Seconder: Randy Lim Wei Lun</p> <p>2.22.1 Presentation: Mr Kee Khin Hong gave his presentation. He talked about his vision and his directions internally and externally. He mentioned some of the past initiatives his predecessor did and how he would improve on them. He ended his presentation by proposing some of the new initiatives he plans on this year.</p> <p>2.22.2 Question and Answer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Kee Khin Hong to elaborate on what his committee will be able to achieve in his term. • Mr Kee Khin Hong said that he hopes that his committee will be able to bring in more sponsorship. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Kee Khin Hong to comment on his predecessor's strengths and weaknesses. • Mr Kee Khin Hong mentioned that his predecessor's strengths are able to see the big picture and he has a big vision for his committee. However, his weaknesses are there is no organisation flow between the divisions and there were no initiatives to be accountable. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Kee Khin Hong how he plans to sell NTUSU to an external company? • Mr Kee Khin Hong said that he will explain NTUperks! to the company and introduce the Students' Union to gain trust. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Kee Khin Hong to list some companies he is looking into. • Mr Kee Khin Hong stated that he is looking into DBS and Great Eastern. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Kee Khin Hong how will he tackle insurance agent harassing students. • Mr Kee Khin Hong explained that the insurance company must fulfil certain quota before they can get their own booth for surveys. He also mentioned that he will find out the reason why they are doing so and prohibit them from doing so. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Kee Khin Hong what will he do in the event his Ussociate have failed to get sponsorship and feels demoralised. • Mr Kee Khin Hong said he will send out messages to his Ussociates to make sure that they are alright with rejections. He will also let them know that out of 7 messages they sent out, there's bound to be companies rejecting them. • Mr Lam Kian Meng, Shawn asked Mr Kee Khin Hong to elaborate the workshop that he will be initiating. • Mr Kee Khin Hong stated that the objective of this project will be Students' Union being the spearhead and answering queries. The workshop will be a sharing platform because he believes all bizmags will be facing the same kind of problems. • Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Mr Kee Khin Hong how he plan to integrate with the BCC division as he will be dealing with external companies more. • Mr Kee Khin Hong said that he will keep the entire BCC division in the loop and providing video calls to update them frequently. 	
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Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Kee Khin Hong to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Kee Khin Hong left the room for voting.

2.22.3 Voting

Total vote: 26

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
26	0	0	0

Corporate Liaison Executive: Elected in position

2.23 Business Projects Executive's Council Rally

Nomination of Business Projects Executive: Denise Jang Wen Sze

Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian

Secoder: Liu Tianchi

2.23.1 Presentation:

Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze started off with a quote, "Life is full of uncertainties and challenging yourself". She showed the structure of her committee and her responsibilities in her portfolio. She mentioned about her direction towards her team and how she plans to build the recognition. She explained that even though U-shop is quite well-establish and doing well, there are still a lot of students who have never went in before. She wishes to improve the financial statement for U-shop and she would like to hold some events to instil a sense of belonging for the Ussociates through U-pushcart and U-feastival.

2.23.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze how will she make sure that the senior Executive Committee does not overpower her since she is inexperienced in U-shop.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze explained that she is responsible and sensible. And she hopes this will make her stay driven and motivated so she can inspire her committee to work hard.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze what is the purpose and objective of U-shop.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze stated that the objective of U-shop is to make sure Ussociates are not neglected and inspiring students to create and provide more for the school.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze about her opinion of selling the Constituent Clubs shirt in U-shop.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze said that not all constituent clubs will want to sell their shirt in U-shop, such as NBS. However, she will wait until the Constituent Clubs to contact her.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze to name some internal issues in U-shop.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze mentioned about the SOP and the inventory was overstated by a huge number.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze about the factor that makes BPI different.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze explained that BPI provides a platform to create opportunities to set up businesses.

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze if she would use the profits from U-shop for the bonding and welfare for her Ussociates.
- Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze if she has any plans on using U-pushcart to sell food.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze explained that she has to be accountable to the students if anything happens to them and she will only allow if the vendors have the NEA license.
- Mr Chow Jin Hui asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze how is she going to let students patronise U-pushcart?
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze stated she would recommend the vendors to make the pricing cheaper and it has to be in-line with U-shop's mission and vision. Another way is selling unique products like handmade items, so the students will be more interested since there is a unique factor.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze what is her approach to promote U-pushcart.
- Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze replied saying that she would use the TVs around the school, through Electronic Direct Mail and by social media.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Denise Jang Wen Sze left the room for voting.

2.23.3 Voting

Total vote: 26

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
26	0	0	0

Business Projects Executive: Elected in position

2.24 Propose for 5 minutes toilet break

Proposer: Lam Kian Meng, Shawn

Secunder: Chow Jin Hui

2.25 Propose to resumption of meeting

Proposer: Victor Chia Wei Keat

Secunder: Edward Lim Xun Qian

2.26 Student Engagement Executive's Council Rally

Nomination of Student Engagement Executive: Ong Wei Ting Vanessa

Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian

Secunder: Vaya Bundawi

2.26.1 Presentation:

Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa gave her presentation and she introduced herself as a year 2, NBS student. She is also the union representative of Sports Club. She talked about her team mission and her team structure. She also mentioned about the past initiatives her predecessor did, as her portfolio was revamped, she came up with a few new initiatives. Her first initiative is having a Students' Union dinner and dance. She stated that despite hall and faculty having dinner and dance, Students' Union has never thought about it. Next, she said that there will be a limited

edition shirt to be sold each year in U-shop. She ended the presentation briefly describing the timeline of her plans.

2.26.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa how she does her portfolio fit in BCC.
- Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa explained that her portfolio instil the branding of Students' Union.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa how will the Students' Union dinner and dance compete with the hall dinner and dance.
- Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa stated that the appreciation night does not involve the Council members. However, the dinner and dance does. Also, the appreciation night is used to recognise the efforts of Ussociates and dinner and dance is used to celebrate the end of a successful year. Both events serve as a different purpose.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa about her thoughts of U-walk last year.
- Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa said that she wants to allow Ussociates to join U-walk this year as she feels that this will allow Students' Union to gather more feedback and more interactions between students. This will all in turn act as a branding for Students' Union.
- Mr Jau Teng Zhi Luke asked Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa how would she quantify if the events are successful.
- Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa explained that having a small step and small changes can show that the event is successful. Her plan is to have mascots from different school to gain more attention.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Ms Ong Wei Ting Vanessa left the room for voting.

2.26.3 Voting

Total vote: 26

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
25	1	0	0

Student Engagement Executive: Elected in position

2.27 Information and Research Executive's Council Rally

Nomination of Information and Research Executive: Ang Joon Kit Eugene

Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian

Secoder: Sheena Lim Jia En

2.27.1 Presentation:

Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene is a year 2 student studying EEE. He feels that working as a team, building mutual trust is extremely important. He explained that he came to a realisation from his experience as a President in performing arts society. He mentioned that he possesses a great skill for communication which will help him in his position as an Information and Research Executive. He has a great passion at heart and he wishes to help students and represent the voice of the school. He explained about his job scope which is to collect feedback and

documentations. He specified that he will focus on quality than quantity. Hr proposed to have at least 1 survey each semester.

2.27.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lin Xun Qian asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene how will he facilitate the surveys if he does not have any analytic background.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene explained that he is an engineering student so he has the basic knowledge in mathematics. Also, there is cradle to help him out.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene how will he gauge the success of his portfolio.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene mentioned that his portfolio mainly collects feedback, he never thought of resolving any issues but just a mean to provide feedback to the Students' Union.
- Mr Andrew John Lim Wee Tong asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene if he thinks it is important to reach out to the students of different schools.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene admitted that it is important, he aims to have response from every school so the results of his survey will not be biased.
- Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene if he has a topic in mind to survey on.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene stated that currently he does not have any topic but he hopes that the issue reaches to the Executive Committee level before proceeding to provide surveys for the students.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene how he plans to keep his committee motivated this year.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene said that he will share all the information that he can toward the Executive Committee and he will get his chairperson involved in every event and meeting.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene how will he improve on the issue of his predecessor.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene stated that he would like to empower the committee rather than micromanaging.
- Mr Benedict Yao Lehao asked Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene how will he know when to launch the surveys and how will he know how reliable the survey is.
- Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene explained that it would be the most appropriate time to launch the surveys during U-study.

Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.

Mr Ang Joon Kit Eugene left the room for voting.

2.27.3 Voting

Total vote: 26

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
25	1	0	0

Information and Research Executive: Elected in position

2.28 Operation Executive's Council Rally

Nomination of Operation Executive: Chong Le Wen

	<p>Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian Secoder: Sheena Lim Jia En</p> <p>2.28.1 Presentation: Ms Chong Le Wen is a year 2, CEE student, she has the passion to serve and she wants to challenge herself. Using this opportunity, she wishes to empower herself and contribute back to the school. She mentioned that she has 2 committees, the Operation Systems Committee and the Information Technology Committee. She also talked about her responsibilities and her job scope. For her goal, she aims to full utilise the global lounge for more activities. She proposed to initiate language classes, preparational talk before examinations and around the word in 80 days. She stated that she will try her best to achieve the best kind of incentives to allow the students to be more engaged. She also mentioned some of the new initiatives she plans in her term. She ended the presentation with a quote.</p> <p>2.28.2 Question and Answer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Chong Le Wen if she has any Information Technology background. • Le Wen admitted that she does not have any Information Technology background but she feels that as long as she has the heart to learn, whatever challenges she faces in the future, she is confident that she will be able to conquer. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Chong Le Wen what if there is a conflict between the booking of the meeting rooms. • Ms Chong Le Wen stated that she will ask both parties to deconflict among themselves. For the party that did not managed to get the booking, she will try her best to suggest another alternative and explain to them the reason of her decision. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Chong Le Wen what happens if she found out that the students are illegally using the school assets. • Ms Chong Le Wen explained that she will give a warning letter first. However, if she sees that there is no change in attitude for the individual, she will not hesitate to give a sterner warning. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Chong Le Wen about her views on the opening hours of the Student Activities Centre. • Ms Chong Le Wen said that the opening hours is quite flexible and Students' Union should take the advantage of the opening hours to invite more students to use the facilities. • Mr Tan Kian Meng asked Ms Chong Le Wen how will she weigh the importance of booking the meeting rooms in Student Activities Centre. • Ms Chong Le Wen explained that she will weigh according the events and decide which event has a higher priority. • Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Chong Le Wen how can she do better than her predecessor. • Ms Chong Le Wen said that her predecessor's strengths are her drive to do work, delegating the job well and she is firm with her decisions. However, her weakness is she is very disorganised. Also, her predecessor did not fulfil her promise to meet up with her committee weekly. Le Wen stated that she would try to have more bonding between her committees, keeping them engage in conversations and update them about the plans she has for them. <p>Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Chong Le Wen to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.</p>	
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Ms Chong Le Wen left the room for voting.

2.28.3 Voting

Total vote: 26

For	Abstain	Against	Invalid
25	1	0	0

Operation Executive: Elected in position

2.29 Finance Executive's Council Rally

Nomination of Financial Executive: Foong Wai Yan Amanda

Proposer: Edward Lim Xun Qian

Secunder: Denise Jang Wen Sze

2.29.1 Presentation:

Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda wishes to instil the sense of identity and pride, she has the strong inclination in finance and finance forms integral backdrops. She mentioned about the vision she has, which is to strengthen the relations of Honorary Financial Secretary and the finance office. She will emphasize on the 7 days reimbursement. She will closely follow up on the events to make sure that they are clear of the instructions before the events. She promised to do her best in helping the team in other ways.

2.29.2 Question and Answer:

- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda how strict will she be on the deadline.
- Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda stated that her predecessor tried to implement the 7 days reimbursement but it was delayed to 3 months. Together with Honorary Financial Secretary, both of them will work together to emphasize this. She explained as long as the justification is met, there will still be room for discussion.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda what will she do if she forgot to submit a claim and only to find out 1 month later.
- Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda assured that such things will never happen.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda if she found out that the Honorary Financial Secretary and the President are involved in a case of fraud, what will she do?
- Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda said that she will approach both of them individually. In the case where the money can be returned within 2 days, she will close one eye and forget about this. However, if there is no justification, she will not hesitate to hold a Council meeting.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda on her views regarding petty cash.
- Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda admitted that there are definitely a lot of advantages but the downside is it is very hard to track the source of the spending.
- Mr Edward Lim Xun Qian asked Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda in what ways will her past experiences help her in the position of Financial Executive.
- Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda said that she has strong leadership and communication skills.
- Ms Rebekah Leong Bao Ying asked Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda what happens if there are conflicts between Honorary Financial Secretary and Financial Executive.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda stated that she will try to explain on her perspective and also listen to what the Honorary Financial Secretary has to say. Lastly, the both of them have to come to a decision together. <p>Mr Johan Ezran declared the end of the question and answer session. He invited Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda to leave the room for voting proceedings to take place.</p> <p>Ms Foong Wai Yan Amanda left the room for voting.</p> <p>2.29.3 Voting Total vote: 26</p> <table><tr><td>For</td><td>Abstain</td><td>Against</td><td>Invalid</td></tr><tr><td>26</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr></table> <p>Financial Executive: Elected in position 2.30 No other matter raised</p> <p>2.31 Proposed to proceed to AOB Proposer: Tan Kian Meng Seconder: Edward Lim Xun Qian</p>	For	Abstain	Against	Invalid	26	0	0	0	
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	<p>Mr Johan proposed the end of the meeting. Ms Ling Li Hui Rebecca seconded the motion. The meeting was called to an end at 2320H, 16th September 2017.</p>									

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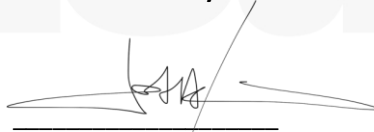


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