

## Report by Student President

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**Committees:** Student Voice

**Action:** For Approval

### Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Create a mechanism in GCU for Female and Trans students to not be disadvantaged due to menstruation.	<p>Held consultations with the students regarding the issue. Received important feedback regarding how efficient the adoption of this could be within the RAP system.</p> <p>Launched conversations with the University regarding reviewing the effectiveness of the RAP system and trying to incorporate this within the wider system. The University has agreed to look into further supporting the students facing a disadvantage due to menstruation while minimising any room for misuse.</p> <p>This is expected to be finalised in the discussion with the PVC regarding the RAP review and communicated to all the students about the support available for students facing ill-health due to menstruation at any point.</p>
2.	Ensure a gradual, physical and safe Return to Campus for GCU Students.	<p>Held conversations with the University to ensure that the Learning and Teaching delivery for the next academic year is discussed proactively.</p> <p>Ensured to put forward the student perspective of the need to provide flexibility to the students who require and prefer.</p> <p>Spoke to other Sabbatical Officers around Glasgow regarding their Learning and Teaching delivery methods.</p> <p>Graduation Ceremonies for the previous class of students are being held on 25<sup>th</sup> of April. The University will be disclosing future dates shortly as well.</p>
3.	Work with the Disabled Students' Officer and disabled students to establish gaps in provision for disabled students at GCU.	<p>Received a response by the University regarding the Motion. This is being discussed with the Disabled Students' Officer to develop an approach.</p> <p>Working on a potential political campaign with the Disabled Students' Officer for University-wide trainings and other aspects, details of which are TBC.</p> <p>Spoke with the Chief Operating Officer regarding some of our concerns which we have been assured to be looked into in a three-way meeting between the DSO, SP and the Chief Operating Officer.</p>

### Full Time Officer Team Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Greener GCU Campus (Reduced Food Waste, Net-Zero Carbon Emissions Target Date reduced and Recycling).	The FTO Team spoke to the CFO for more greener spaces on campus. This has become a part of the University's operational plan with a commitment to improve and maintain green spaces. The University is considering the opening of an Arboretum with a sports pitch near our campus.

		<p>The FTO Team launched a discussion with the University regarding bringing forward the Net-Zero carbon emissions of the University and explored the options in place including increasing off-setting. The University explained the financial challenges that they are faced with. The University will be exploring this within their wider plan to increase green spaces and the Arboretum to signify the impact it may have on the Net-Zero target of the University.</p> <p>Conversations launched with Baxter Storey for reducing food and plastic waste.</p> <p>The Students' Association co-signed the Fairtrade Policy with the University to sell Fairtrade products in our campus.</p>
2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	<p>Discussions completed between the University and the FTOs regarding the renewal of the SPA.</p> <p>The FTO Team met with the PVC Learning and Teaching to develop and finalise the timescale for the SPA refresh.</p> <p>The VPs held consultations with the Academic Reps at GCU within the Academic Rep Gatherings. Further consultations with the students including at Student Voice, Equality and Diversity Committee and the new FTO Team are due to be held in Tri A of the academic year 2022/2023.</p>
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<p>The FTO Team developed a plan for GCUSA's NSS approach for this academic year.</p> <p>The FTO Team conducted NSS lecture shouts for each school to inform the students about the work the SA has conducted to represent the students.</p> <p>The FTO Team reviewed and sent NSS Communications to all students ensuring to highlight the key activities and achievements of the academic year of the SA.</p> <p>Worked with Student Life to put forward communications highlighting they key activities, campaigns and achievements of the Students' Association.</p>

## Remit Progress

	Main Priorities	Progress <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	General Work	
2.	Chair of Executive Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Met with the Link Governor to Court to discuss the upcoming meeting with Court Governors</li> <li>Chaired the 3rd Trustee Board Meeting of the year</li> <li>Attended an Executive Board meeting</li> <li>Chaired an Executive Committee meeting</li> <li>Chaired the Executive Committee meeting</li> <li>Attended a meeting with PVC Learning and Teaching to discuss the Learning and Teaching delivery of the next academic year</li> </ul>
3.	GCU Communication and Public Affairs	

4.	Disabled Students' Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Met with the Disabled Students' Officer to discuss their upcoming campaigns and developed a way forward</li> </ul>
5.	Glasgow Students' Forum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attended a Glasgow Students' Forum meeting</li> </ul>
6.	GCU London	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attended a catchup meeting with the London Officer and other reps at the GCU London campus</li> </ul>
7.	Specific Students' Concerns	
8.	Organisational Work	
9.	Trainings and Networking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attended a one-on-one meeting with Coole Insight</li> <li>Attended a networking session hosted by Coole Insight with the other sabbatical officers around Scotland</li> </ul>
10.	Additional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Joined a rally outside the Scottish Parliament against the budget cuts to education and the unfair treatment of staff.</li> <li>Hosted a NUS Strategy session at GCU with the FTO Team and the other officers around Scotland</li> <li>Invited an MSP at the GCU Students' Association to discuss the housing crisis and various issues faced by the students of GCU.</li> <li>Joined a rally at University of Stirling against the budget cuts and unfair treatment of staff</li> <li>Attended the 'Leading Well' meeting hosted by Coole Insight and Student Minds</li> <li>Provided an interview to a student for their dissertation on management</li> <li>Attended the Student Partnership Agreement meeting with the University.</li> <li>Attended the GCUSA election results at the GCUSA Bar</li> <li>Attended a photography session by Student Life</li> <li>Joined a rally outside the Scottish Parliament against the Student Housing Crisis</li> <li>Attended a networking session hosted by Coole Insight</li> </ul>
11.	National Union of Students Scotland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Met with the delegates at GCU to discuss the motions to put forward as an organisation.</li> <li>Attended the NUS Scotland Officers' Council meeting</li> <li>Attended the NUS Scotland Officers' Council meeting</li> </ul>
12.	Meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attended a meeting to discuss the Fit to sit approach for MITS</li> <li>Attended the University Senate meeting</li> <li>Attended the 3rd SAGE Meeting of the academic year</li> <li>Attended the Estates Development and Liaison Group meeting</li> <li>Attended the Honorary Degrees Committee Meeting and put forward recommendations to the University</li> <li>Attended the SLLG meeting. Put forward the student perspectives regarding Learning and Teaching for the next academic year. Reminded the staff to send the response for the motion</li> </ul>

		<p>approved by the Equality and Diversity Committee.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Met with the Principal to discuss key issues of the students.</li> <li>• Attended the SLLG meeting</li> <li>• Chaired a meeting to finalise the proposal of Honorary Life Memberships for Student Voice</li> <li>• Attended an Appeals Committee meeting of the Court</li> </ul>
13.	Estates and Facilities	
14.	Mainstream Issues	

### Plans Before end of Term

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Intended Outcome/Impact</b> <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Finalise the support provision for students facing ill-health due to menstruation	Meet with the PVC to incorporate the support for students facing ill-health due to menstruation within the wider RAP process and ensure the effectiveness of the RAP system going forward.
2.	Learning and Teaching delivery for the next academic year	Ensure that the plan for Learning and Teaching for the next academic year is finalised proactively before the summer so that decisions can be made in light of the current FTO team.
3.	Graduation Ceremonies	Ensure that the Graduation Ceremonies run as planned while ensuring that the University safeguards students' interests throughout the ceremonies.

# Report by Vice President SHLS

**Author:** Tabitha Nyariki

**Date Produced:** 10/02/2022

**Committees:** Student Voice

**Action:** Approval

## Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Run a racism education campaign.	Completed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Call It Racism Campaign was launched in February and ran across our campus for both students and staff until the 21<sup>st</sup> March.</li><li>• A series of webinars, workshops and events were available to all members of the GCU community and sign ups could be found across university/SA social media channels and Eventbrite.</li><li>• The anti-racism pledge will be signed by all our media groups on the 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2022 (<a href="#">Stephen Lawrence Day</a>) and will be renewed yearly on the same date to continue with our fight for racial equality.</li><li>• The work of tackling racism will continue post this campaign and students and staff will have opportunities throughout the year to join workshops, trainings, webinars and campaigns. These will all be advertised by both the university and the SA's communication channels.</li></ul>
2.	Work with SHLS on their Equality, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) projects.	Completed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• An SHLS EDI group in SHLS has been established and it comprises of staff and student from various departments. This will be a permanent group within the school with both staff and student members.</li><li>• EDI has been added to the school's operational plan and will remain a standing item in the schools' senior management meetings and a standing objective for each department.</li><li>• The school is in the process of applying for the Athena Swan Silver accreditation for gender equality which will be completed and submitted in 2023. I am a</li></ul>

		<p>member of the Self-Assessment Team and will remain until the end of my term.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Met with various Department to plan EDI workshops for their members.</li> </ul>
3.	Increase the knowledge and engagement students have with the Sustainable Development Goals, entrepreneurial and social innovation activities at GCU	<p>Completed.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worked with the university to create opportunities for students to be actively involved with the universities work on the SDGs and through this we have students working to help department embed SDGs into the curriculum.</li> <li>• Shared relevant opportunities for students on social media channels which has led to a significant increase in applications to RIO initiatives, we have seen an increase in student engagement with projects and have collaborated with the British Council to create more opportunities for students.</li> </ul>

### Full Time Officer Team Objectives

	Main Priorities	Progress <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Greener GCU Campus (Reduced Food Waste, Net-Zero Carbon Emissions Target Date reduced and Recycling)	<p>Ongoing as part of GCU Strategy 2030.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spoke to Chief Operating officer on improving greener spaces on campus and making them more user friendly and easily accessible for all students. This is now part of the universities operational plan and our green spaces will be improved and better maintained.</li> <li>• Co-signed the Fairtrade commitment with the university and recommitted to selling Fairtrade products in our canteens and bar.</li> <li>• Launched discussions with Baxter Storey for reduced food waste and reduced plastic waste. The university remains committed to get to net-zero carbon emissions and has committed to continue working with the SA to find ways to reduce our target from 2030 to 2025.</li> <li>• The students' association continues to work on retaining the Green Impact award and enduring we are helping GCU achieve its Greener campus objectives.</li> </ul>
2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement(SPA) with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	Completed the discussion process of renewing the SPA awaiting formal approval processes and adoption in December 2022.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Met with Pro Vice Chancellor Learning Teaching Quality Enhancement and agreed on Timescales for the refresh of the SPA.</li> <li>• Have begun the official consultation process with students starting with Academic reps that took place at the academic rep gathering. Consultation will be held across our different student groups and committees and will come to Student voice both for consultation and approval in Student Voice 1 of Tri A (2022/2023).</li> <li>• The refreshed SPA will be adopted in December 2022 after senate approval.</li> </ul>
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<p>Completed awaiting NSS results in July 2022.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Attended NSS lecture shouts across each program in SHLS and spoken about the survey and the work we have done as the SA to represent students' academic interest.</li> <li>• Created Content (videos, pictures and emails) for the All Student Emails for both our communication channels and student life channels to be shared to students periodically on the work the SA has done.</li> <li>• Created a school specific video to be sent to all SHLS final years from me and other SHLS Academic reps to encourage them to fill out the survey and expressing the importance of the survey.</li> </ul>

### Remit Progress

	Main Priorities	Progress <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	School of Health and Life Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended School Board.</li> <li>- Meet with Associate Dean International SHLS to discuss international student support.</li> <li>- Attended International SHLS working Group meeting.</li> <li>- Met with the Dean for our monthly catch-ups.</li> <li>- Met with various Department Heads to discuss student issues within their departments.</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended Fit to Sit meeting and feedback to the process.</li> <li>- Attended and hosted the Spring Academic Rep Gathering for SHLS.</li> <li>- Attended NSS class shout outs.</li> <li>- Met with various academic representatives to discuss student issues.</li> <li>- Attended the Athena Swan meeting.</li> </ul>
2.	International Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended International Committee Meeting. And feedback issues International students are facing.</li> <li>- Hosted an International Students' pub quiz.</li> <li>- Attended re-fresher's International Students' welcome night</li> <li>- Attended an International Student Strategy Day.</li> </ul>
3.	Sports Clubs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended Glasgow Taxi Cup meeting.</li> <li>- Attended Scottish Sports Society meetings</li> <li>- Attended BUCS meeting</li> <li>- Met with the Sports Council</li> <li>- Attended meeting to organise the Sports Ball.</li> <li>- Attended the Sabb Forum meeting.</li> <li>- Met with Sports Sabbs from Glasgow University and Strathclyde to create content for the Glasgow Taxi's Cup.</li> <li>- Attended the Glasgow Taxi's Cup</li> </ul>
4.	Ethical and Environmental	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Met with the universities sustainability officer to discuss our recommitment to Fairtrade.</li> <li>- Joined the Fairtrade working group.</li> <li>- Began initial discussions on the Green Impact submission.</li> </ul>



5.	Student Leader Programme, Social Innovation, Sustainable Development Goals and Entrepreneurship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Had monthly catch-ups with head of Social Innovation.</li> <li>- Attended the British Council Active Citizenship meeting.</li> <li>- Meet with members of Uhatch to discuss further ways to enhance student knowledge of its services and resources.</li> <li>- Attended the embedding SDG'S into the curriculum group meeting.</li> <li>- Met with students participating in the SDG work,</li> </ul>
6.	Ethnic Diversity Network (BAME)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended Tackling Racism Groups and Sub-groups.</li> <li>- Attended Stand up to Racism March to mark United Nations Ant-racism Day.</li> <li>- Held an interview with student life on my experiences of Racism on campus.</li> <li>- Held the BAME careers festival.</li> <li>- Attended a meeting with the university Learning enhancement theme to discuss BAME focus groups and research.</li> </ul>
7.	Court	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended court meeting and court sub-committees.</li> <li>- Met with Lay Governor who chairs People Committee.</li> <li>- Met with Lay Governor associated with the Student Association.</li> </ul>
8.	Others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended the Student Poverty Rally in Edinburgh.</li> <li>- Attended the Student Poverty Rally in London.</li> <li>- Visited GCU London Campus.</li> <li>- Attended monthly catch ups with the Chief Operating Officer.</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attended weekly NUS Officers update meeting.</li> <li>- Attended the NUS Strategy consultation session.</li> <li>- Had a consultation meeting on the new Principals appointment.</li> <li>- Attended meeting to discuss enhancement themes.</li> <li>- Attended the Election Results Night.</li> <li>- Attended the Principals Surgery.</li> <li>- Attended Sparqs JAG meetings.</li> <li>- Attended the theme leaders group meeting.</li> <li>- Participated in the FTO engagement plans.</li> </ul>
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### Plans Before the Next Meeting

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Intended Outcome/Impact</b> <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Handover Documents for new FTO Team.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Work on my handover documents to be given to the new Full Time Officer Team.</li> </ul>
2.	Full Time Officers Engagement Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Continue with the Full time officers engagement plans.</li> </ul>

# Report by Olivia Hall, Vice President SCEBE

**Author:** Olivia Hall

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**Committees:** Student Voice

**Action:** For Approval

## Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Work with GCU Wellbeing Services to improve knowledge on disordered eating and the best way to support students.	Promoted relevant material from multiple organisations (such as BEAT) during NEDA Week (National Eating Disorder Awareness)
2.	Improving student satisfaction with the Re:Union Bar & Grill menu and interior.	Survey on Re:Union Bar & Grill in development to be put out to students on the new Tri B menu. Results will be used to work on for Tri A.
3.	Investigate the need for a social support network for students who have graduated.	Read relevant previous research to ensure work was current and not repetitive.  Draft survey created.

## Full Time Officer Team Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Greener GCU Campus (Reduced Food Waste, Net-Zero Carbon Emissions Target Date reduced and Recycling)	Spoke to Chief Operating Officer on improving green spaces on campus and how we can make them more accessible and user friendly. This is now part of the university's operational plan and our green spaces will be improved and better maintained.  Co-signed the Fairtrade commitment with the university and recommitted to selling Fairtrade products in our canteens and bars.  Launched discussions with BaxterStorey for reduced food waste and reduced plastic waste. The university remains committed to the continue working with the SA to find ways reduce our target from 2030 to 2025.  The Students' Association continues to work on retaining the Green impact award and ensuring we are helping GCU achieve it's Greener Campus objectives.

2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	<p>Completed the discussion process of renewing the SPA awaiting formal approval processes and adoption in December 2022.</p> <p>Met with Pro Vice Chancellor Learning and Teaching Quality Enhancement and agreed timescales for the refresh of the SPA</p> <p>Have begun the official consultation process with students starting with Academic Reps that took place at the Academic Rep Gathering. Consultation will be held across our different student groups and committees and will come to SV for both consultation and approval in SV1 of Tri A 2022/23</p> <p>The refreshed SPA will be adopted in December 2022 after senate approval.</p>
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<p>Completed awaiting NSS results in July 2022.</p> <p>Attended NSS lecture shout-outs across programmes in SCEBE which typically hold lower scores in the NSS. Spoke about the survey and the work we have done as the SA to represent students' academic interests.</p> <p>Created content (videos, pictures, and emails) for the All Student Emails for both our communication channels and student life channels to be shared to students periodically on the work the SA has done.</p> <p>Created a school specific video to be sent out to all SCEBE final years from myself to encourage them to fill out the survey and expressing the importance of the survey.</p> <p>Continued posting on the GCU Students' Association TikTok account.</p>

### Remit Progress

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	SCEBE	<p>Held the second Academic Rep Gathering where we discussed the Student Partnership Agreement, as well as offering the chance to highlight any issues in departments/the school to the present school staff.</p> <p>Dealt with various student enquiries and referred them to the relevant staff. Provided check-ups to make sure their issues were resolved.</p>

2.	GCU Wellbeing	<p>Attended monthly catch-ups with members of GCU Wellbeing Services and the Advice Centre</p> <p>Continued posting Mindful Mondays</p> <p>Continued promotion of Feel Fab Feb on social media and the All Student Email</p> <p>Promoted relevant material from multiple organisations (such as BEAT) during NEDA Week (National Eating Disorder Awareness)</p> <p>Organised the Therapets to come onto campus as part of Feel Fab Feb as a de-stress event for students. Promoted on social media and on the All Student Email.</p> <p>Wrote a statement on behalf of the Full Time Officers about the Russian invasion of Ukraine and where students can find support within both the Students' Association and the university. Created a QR code which links directly to Red Cross Ukraine and placed these around campus and on social media.</p>
3.	Freshers, Induction, and Open Days	Attended bi-weekly Co-ordination of Student Support Arrangement meetings
4.	Catering	<p>Highlighted the issue of early kitchen closures with the BaxterStorey contact. Issue being monitored.</p> <p>Survey created on the Tri B menu improvements to be put out to students at a later date for feedback.</p>
5.	Nightline	Continued promotion.
6.	Champion: LGBT+	No updates.
7.	GCU Outreach	No update.
8.	Student Carers	No update.
9.	Student Media Groups	<p>Attended Student Media fortnightly catch-ups.</p> <p>Promoted the opening of committee roles on social media.</p>
10.	Teaching Awards	<p>Continued promotion to SCEBE students about the Teaching Awards through emails and social media</p> <p>Spoke with university staff to create shortlisting panel.</p> <p>Spoke with staff to possibly collaborate with the university and pair their Learning and Teaching conference alongside the Teaching Awards.</p>
11.	Library	No update.
12.	Academic Development and Enhancement Themes	Reviewed the academic honesty module being created for GCU Learn and provided relevant

		feedback to ensure it was easy for students to understand and navigate.
13.	Apprenticeships and Workbased Learning (U2B)	No Update

### Plans Before the Next Meeting

	Main Priorities	Intended Outcome/Impact <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Release the survey for graduate social support network research	This survey will go to recent graduates and will help to inform on how the university can better support final year students as they transition from university to employment. The survey will also help to create a draft survey for final year students.
2.	Release the survey for Tri B Re:Union Bar & Grill feedback	This survey will go out in the All Student Email and the social media to gauge how successful the Tri B menu was in comparison to Tri A, and what areas still need improvement.
3.	Continue work on uncompleted Team Objectives	

## Report by Priscilla Otuagoma, Vice President GSBS

**Author:** Priscilla Otuagoma

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**Committees:** Student Voice

**Action:** For Approval

### Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Work with GSBS to investigate the creation of a peer mentoring scheme, particularly for international students.	Completed the consultation and formation process with 5 five-man committee of class reps who have created a generic volunteer form that will be sent to students beginning May 2022. This is in conjunction with the ADLTQ and Dean.
2.	Investigate the creation of a GCU community app for student communications and engagement.	Investigation is completed in conjunction with the IS Business partners and it shows that the app isn't sufficient, whilst building a new one is not an option at the moment. Discussion for alternative methods are underway.
3.	Improved pre-induction information and assistance for students seeking accommodation.	All necessary parties are working on their parts to ensure this is part of our next September 2022 induction process.

### Full Time Officer Team Objectives

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Greener GCU Campus (Reduced Food Waste, Net-Zero Carbon Emissions Target Date reduced and Recycling)	As part of the GCU strategy 2030, this project is still ongoing. Discussed with the COO on how to make greener spaces on campus more user-friendly and accessible to all students. Our green spaces will be upgraded and better maintained now that this is part of the university's operational strategy. Re-committed to selling Fairtrade items in our canteens and bar by co-signing the Fairtrade commitment with the university. Launched discussion with Baxter Storey about how to reduce food and plastic waste. The university remain dedicated to achieving net-zero carbon emissions and will continue to collaborate with the SA to discover solutions to move our 2030 objective to 2025. The SA continues to work to keep the Green Impact award and ensure that we are assisting GCU in meeting its Greener Campus goals.

2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	<p>Completed the discussion process of renewing the SPA awaiting formal approval processes and adoption in December 2022.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Met with Pro Vice Chancellor Learning Teaching Quality Enhancement and agreed on Timescales for the refresh of the SPA.</li> <li>• Have begun the official consultation process with students starting with Academic reps that took place at the academic rep gathering. Consultation will be held across our different student groups and committees and will come to Student voice both for consultation and approval in Student Voice 1 of Tri A (2022/2023).</li> <li>• The refreshed SPA will be adopted in December 2022 after senate approval.</li> </ul>
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<p>Completed and awaiting NSS results in July 2022.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Attended NSS lecture shouts across each program in SHLS and spoken about the survey and the work we have done as the SA to represent students' academic interest.</li> <li>• Created Content (videos, pictures and emails) for the All Student Emails for both our communication channels and student life channels to be shared to students periodically on the work the SA has done.</li> <li>• Created a school specific video to be sent to all SHLS final years from me and other SHLS Academic reps to encourage them to fill out the survey and expressing the importance of the survey.</li> </ul>

### Remit Progress

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Progress</b> <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	GSBS	<p>Meetings with the Dean of GSBS on a regular basis.</p> <p>Arranged a pre-GSBS school board meeting for GSBS reps.</p> <p>Had several class shout-outs for GSBS final year UG classes to promote NSS survey.</p> <p>Attended Positive Impact Rating committee meetings and the survey target has been met.</p> <p>Hosted the Academic Rep Gathering networking session for GSBS.</p>
2.	Careers & Employability	<p>Regular meetings with representatives of the university's career services department.</p> <p>Attended the Employability working Group meetings.</p>



		<p>Organised and co-hosted a careers festival in conjunction with GCU Careers team for BAME students.</p> <p>Presented at a Careers student volunteering opportunities webinar</p>
3.	Glasgow Students Forum	Attended Glasgow Student Forum meetings.
4	Societies	<p>Attended Society Council meetings.</p> <p>Planning and organizing of the STAR Awards coming up on the 21<sup>st</sup> of April 2022.</p>
5	Champion: Women's Group	Attended planning meetings for the International Women's Day for 2022 and took part in the various activities planned.
6	Taught and Research Postgraduate Students.	<p>Attended the Research Degrees Committee meetings</p> <p>Attended the University Research Committee meetings.</p>
7	Equality and Diversity	<p>Chaired one Equality, Diversity and Inclusion committee meeting.</p> <p>Attended the Tackling Racism at GCU group meetings.</p> <p>Attended the GCU Equality and Diversity champions' meetings.</p>
8	Quality Assurance and SPARQS	<p>Attended the Assessment Regulations Sub-committee meetings.</p> <p>Attended the Digital Assessment Policy Sub-group meetings.</p> <p>Attended the Banded Grading Working Group meetings.</p> <p>Attended the APPC meeting.</p> <p>Attended the National Education Officers' Network event to discuss on matters relating to students' engagement.</p>
9	SAGE	<p>Chaired one SAGE committee meeting.</p> <p>Planned and co-organised the spring Academic Rep Gathering.</p>
12	Accommodation	<p>Attended the NUS Student Housing Rally planning meeting coming up on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of March at the Scottish Parliament.</p> <p>Completed the criteria for accepting PBSAs.</p>

		Mobilized, created awareness and attended the student housing rally.
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### Plans Before the Next Meeting

	<b>Main Priorities</b>	<b>Intended Outcome/Impact</b> <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Handover	Preparation of handover documents for incoming FTOs to have a smooth transition.
2.	NUS Conferences	Will attend NUS Scotland and UH conferences as a delegate.
3.	STAR Awards	Present awards and recognise persons and groups that have been outstanding.