

Committee Title	Student Voice					
Date of Meeting	21 st February 2022					
Item Number and Title/Subject	Full Time Officers Reports					
Paper Presenter	Adil Rahoo, Student President Olivia Hall, Vice President SCEBE Tabitha Nyariki, Vice President SHLS Priscilla Otuagoma, Vice President GSBS					
Brief Summary of Issues/Topic	The Constitution outlines that 'Student Voice has the power to scrutinise the work of the Executive Committee'. The reports outlined progress made against remits and Team and Individual Objectives.					
Recommendation(s)	Information	<input type="checkbox"/>	Discussion	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approval	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<p><i>Any member can ask a question by raising their voting card and being recognised by the Chair to speak.</i></p> <p>Student Voice is asked to approve the Full Time Officers Report.</p>					
Who have you consulted when developing the paper?	Executive Committee					
Staff/Student Protocol	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will any decision approved directly affect the work of staff?	The Chief Executive has been consulted in the development of the team and individual objectives and remits.					
Should the paper be submitted to any other committee following its consideration/approval at this meeting?	No					
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Report by Student President

Author: Adil Rahoo

Date Produced: 07-02-2022

Committees: Student Voice

Action: For Approval

Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	Main Priorities	Progress <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.	Held discussions with the Head of Learning and Teaching on Campus. Discussed potential ways of implementing this and any challenges that may arise. The University will provide an update.
2.	Ensure a gradual, physical and safe Return to Campus for GCU Students.	Actively liaised with NUS Scotland and other officers around Scotland to discuss the various approaches around the sector. Initiated a conversation with the Executive Board after arriving back from the Christmas Break and ensured that the plan for the Learning and Teaching Principles for Trimester B (Increased in-person Learning and Teaching) were upheld and enforced. Provided active feedback to the University and external stakeholders regarding the GCU students' perspectives on in-person Learning and Teaching.
3.	Work with the Disabled Students' Officer and disabled students to establish gaps in provision for disabled students at GCU.	Reminded the University regarding the motion passed at the Equality and Diversity and requested an update in order to progress with any potential action points. Various senior Learning and Teaching staff members of the University attended the last Equality and Diversity meeting to discuss the possibilities and challenges of the three individual Call-To-Action points. The University will be getting back to me and the DSO with an official response and a way going forward.

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).	The FTO Team held discussions with the University regarding making our campus greener and carbon neutral. We explored and discussed potential ways which could help in bringing forward our net-zero carbon emissions including the potential of an Arboretum.
2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	The Executive Committee met with SPARQS and held discussions regarding the processes required in refreshing a Student Partnership Agreement. SPARQS agreed to be the middle-party between the University and the Students' Association. Conversations were held with the Pro-Vice-Chancellor regarding a refresh of the Student Partnership Agreement. A working group has been launched with the PVC and Chief Operating Officers along with some members of the student body going forward.

3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<p>Met with Student Life at the University to establish the timeframe and aspects to cover in the communications regarding the NSS. We will be partnering with Student Life to promote some of the discussed services, facilities and activities offered by the Students' Association.</p> <p>The FTO team approved the NSS Email sent out by the Students' Association featuring some of the achievements of the Students' Association.</p>
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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"> • Met with the FTO Team to discuss some of the collective action items from the Executive Committee • Chaired an extraordinary Executive Committee meeting to discuss some urgent issues concerning the students • Attended an Executive Board meeting to discuss the closure and return to the University after the Christmas break. Discussed various support systems that would be in place during the break period. • Met with the staff at the Advice Center to discuss some of the common reoccurring themes within the issues brought forward by students • Chaired the 2nd Trustee Board meeting. • Discussed the NSS email scheduled to go out with the Executive Committee
3.	GCU Communication and Public Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Worked with Student Life to shoot videos and photos for the Module Evaluation Survey • Hosted the Ask the Officer Online and updated the students regarding recent developments • Filmed a video with Student Life to discourage students from recording lecture videos and sharing them online • Recorded and edited a video for the elections to encourage more nominations from students • Filmed a video for Christmas with Student Life • Hosted an Ask the Officer session and updated the students on the various developments by the Students' Association • Filmed an NSS Video with Student Life • Filmed a Day in the Life of an Officer with Student Life
4.	Disabled Students' Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended a catchup meeting with Alastair Robertson and requested a follow-up on the motion that was passed by the GCUSA Equality and Diversity Committee for increased support for Disabled Students.
5.	Glasgow Students' Forum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended a Glasgow Students' Forum meeting online.

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6.	GCU London	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended a catchup meeting with the London Officer and staff at GCU London
7.	Specific Students' Concerns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organized a conversation between the University and CISA to discuss the safe and immediate re-opening of the Faith and Belief Center. The Faith and Belief Center was scheduled to re-open in December.
8.	Organisational Work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met with the Court Governor Ann Priest to discuss Court and Students' Association • Met with the Students' Association's link governor to Court to discuss the upcoming Court meeting and activities at the Students' Association • Arranged a meeting with the Court Governor Bill McDonald to discuss Court and the Students' Association • Attended the Finance and General Purpose Court Sub-committee • Met with the Chair of Court to discuss some of the organizational plans of GCUSA as well as discussed aspects of future Court meetings • Met with the Link Governor to the Students' Association. • Organised a GCU Student Rep meeting session with the Court Governors. Raised various issues and discussed student perspectives on increased Learning and Teaching in Trimester B. • Shortlisted candidates for the recruitment of the new Executive Assistant at GCUSA • Conducted interviews with senior staff for the role of the Executive Assistant at GCUSA
9.	Trainings and Networking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended an online networking session with Coole Insight with other officers around Scotland • Attended a networking session with Coole Insight
10.	Additional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As per our team objective, we held a meeting with SPARQS to discuss the potential of a new Student Partnership Agreement and the technicalities. SPARQS agreed to be the middleman between the University and the Students' Association • Spoke with the Chief Operating Officer to discuss some of the contemporary student issues • Attended the Student Voice Social meeting and met with some of the Student Voice members • Attended the Education Analytics meeting with the University to discuss the creation of a new system that provides early detection of potential Mental Health and Wellbeing issues amongst students • Attended the Investing in Volunteers Celebratory Lunch with GCUSA colleagues for winning another accreditation • Organized a meeting with an external connection from Aberdeen to discuss how to partner with NGOs and arrange a panel discussion against the insufficient support available by the Home Office for immigrants on a dependent visa that suffer from domestic abuse. The plan was to incorporate

		<p>this within the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence campaign of GCUSA.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completed the 360 Review commissioned by Coole Insight • Worked with the University to develop the Students' Association section of the new Prospectus • Met with the Chief Operating Officer and discussed some of the FTO Team's Team Objectives including bringing forward GCU's net-zero carbon emissions by 5 years as well as the motion passed at Student Voice for a budget proposal to the University. • Attended an Employee Christmas Quiz and Dinner event at the Students' Association • Met with NUS delegates to brainstorm motions to be put forward at the conferences • Wrote and submitted two motions for NUS Scotland Conference regarding Student Mental Health and increased Learning and Teaching on campus • Wrote two blogs on the two motions submitted for the NUS Scotland Conference
11.	National Union of Students Scotland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended an online meeting with the Minister of Higher and Further Education of Scotland, Jamie Hepburn and discussed the new omicron variant and the guidance issued for students. Along with other NUS Scotland officers, raised the unfair treatment for institutions being advised to reduce on-campus learning and teaching while nightclubs, bars and concerts are open at full capacity.
12.	Meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended the 2nd SAGE Committee Meeting. Raised the issues within the proposed Fit-to-Sit policy by the University to replace the current Mitigating Circumstances procedure • Met with Alastair Robertson, Acting Pro-Vice-Chancellor to discuss some of the student issues with the FTO Team • Meeting • Attended the 2nd Student Voice meeting • Met with GCU Student Life to discuss the plan for NSS and development a partnership for Student Life helping the Students' Association in promoting the services and facilities offered by the Students' Association for Q26 of the NSS survey • Attended the University Senate meeting • Attended a catchup meeting with Stuart Martin from Student Life to discuss some of the communication plans of the University • Attended a catchup meeting with Alastair Robertson and requested a follow-up on the motion that was passed by the GCUSA Equality and Diversity Committee for increased support for Disabled Students. • Attended a meeting with the University to plan to embed SDGs in the curriculum. • Attended the NUS Scotland Council meeting

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Met with the Principal after returning from the Christmas Break to discuss the Trimester B Principles. Discussed and expressed the need to increase Learning and Teaching in Trimester B as planned. Attended a GCUSA Health and Safety Committee meeting Met with the staff and FTO Team to discuss the proposed new Fit-to-Sit policy that the University is wanting to push forward. Discussed the several issues surrounding the proposal. Attended the NUS Scotland Council meeting to talk about multiple aspects of Trimester B with fellow Officers in Scotland Attended the Student Learning Leadership Group meeting Attended the AAPC meeting. Pointed out to the issue of only 57% completion rate for postgraduate students. Discussed the reasons for this with the University and confirmed the 2 week limit on late arrivals as well as CAS/Admission delays being resolved. Discussed centralizing the support offered to International Students with increased funding in order to bridge the gaps faced by them. Also welcomed the suggestion to reserve an attempt for late entrants centrally. Attended a meeting with the University on the changes to the constitution of the SA Attended a Court Strategy Briefing event on Transnational Education Attended a catchup meeting with Student Life Attended the Governance and Nominations sub-committee of Court Attended an Executive Board Meeting. Discussed the Student Housing Crisis and also asked the University to publish a student-friendly version of Trimester B Principles to students.
13.	Estates and Facilities	
14.	Mainstream Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organized a conversation between the University and CISA to discuss the safe and immediate re-opening of the Faith and Belief Center. The Faith and Belief Center was scheduled to re-open in December. Met with the Head of Registry of GCU to discuss the spring and summer graduations of GCU

Plans Before the Next Meeting

	Main Priorities	Intended Outcome/Impact <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Response from University after the discussion at the Equality and Diversity Committee to develop action points for the University	Once the University develops its response, the Students' Association will proceed to formalise the inclusion of the three CTA points in the University's policy.
2.	Learning and Teaching for Trimester B	Actively focusing on Trimester B Learning and Teaching, the sector response, the government's

		reaction to the new variant and students' perspectives.
3.	Graduation Ceremonies of Spring and Summer	Actively liaising with the University to ensure that the graduation ceremonies proceed as planned and in the way preferred by the students of GCU.

Report by Olivia Hall, Vice President SCEBE

Author: Olivia Hall

Date Produced: 10th February 2022

Committees: Student Voice

Action: For Approval

Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	Main Priorities	Progress <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.	Spoken with the Wellbeing team to look at what resources are already in place. Discussed ways to incorporate a campaign from the SA. Reached out to Officers from other HE/FE institutions to ask what resources and campaigns they currently use. Brainstormed campaigns.
2.	Improving student satisfaction with the Re:Union Bar & Grill menu and interior.	Met with BaxterStorey contact and Head Chef and discussed student feedback for the Tri A menu. New draft menu developed. New Tri B menu released with new foods and more affordable price points.
3.	Investigate the need for a social support network for students who have graduated.	Created a draft survey. Set up meeting with relevant staff to discuss suitable questions to add to draft survey.

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)	Spoke to Chief Operating Officer on improving green spaces on campus and how we can make them more accessible and user friendly.

		Continued discussion with BaxterStorey on how to minimise food waste through waste reduction apps such as TooGoodToGo
2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	Met with other Full Time Officers to discuss how to tackle negotiations with the university for the new partnership agreement.
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<p>Met with Student Comms team to discuss plans to push out NSS survey.</p> <p>Filmed a video with Student Life to promote the importance of filling in the NSS survey.</p> <p>Met with SCEBE student comms lead to discuss how we could run and lead NSS lecture shout outs to educate students on the survey, the difference between the SA and university, and the work the SA has done in recent years which has positively impacted students.</p> <p>Continued posting on the GCU Students' Association TikTok account.</p> <p>Have scheduled lecture shout outs for SCEBE classes</p>

Remit Progress

	Main Priorities	Progress <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	SCEBE	<p>Attended first SCEBE formal board school board of Tri B and provided a written and verbal update</p> <p>Dealt with various student enquiries and referred them to the relevant staff. Provided check ups to make sure their issue were resolved.</p> <p>Discussed promoting the Teaching Awards at a school level with SCEBE to increase nomination numbers and sent out an email to all staff and students with details on how to vote.</p> <p>Discussed a school specific male mental health campaign with SCEBE staff and the SCEBE Mental Health Advisor.</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 throughout the Christmas break and start of Tri B</p>

		<p>Created a content calendar and planned activities for Feel Fab Feb and have been promoting this on social media and All Student Email</p> <p>Created and promoted a survey on period product provisions</p> <p>Applied for the small grant scheme from Think Positive</p> <p>Co-wrote an application for funding from NUS on increased wellbeing funding on a sector-wide level</p>
3.	Freshers, Induction, and Open Days	<p>Chaired Refreshers Week meetings</p> <p>Planned suitable online and on-campus events/Refreshers Fair for Freshers Week 2021</p> <p>Attended bi-weekly Co-ordination of Student Support Arrangement meetings</p> <p>Represented the GCU Students' Association at the Tri B Induction talk</p> <p>Held an induction webinar alongside the other Full Time Officers</p>
4.	Catering	<p>Met with BaxterStorey contact and Head Chef and discussed student feedback for the Tri A menu. New draft menu developed.</p> <p>New Tri B menu released with new foods and more affordable price points.</p> <p>Bid for funding was approved to be used for increased number of power sockets and new seating areas in the bar to be used in August 2022.</p> <p>Dietary requirement signage now on menu.</p> <p>Highlighted the issue of early kitchen closures with the BaxterStorey contact</p>
5.	Nightline	<p>Advertised the re-opening of Nightline to students through social media and the Induction talks</p>
6.	Champion: LGBT+	<p>Spoke with the LGBT+ Networking Officer to collaborate with Feel Fab Feb</p> <p>Spoke with the LGBT+ Networking Officer about LGBT+ History Month planning and events</p>
7.	GCU Outreach	No update.
8.	Student Carers	No update.
9.	Student Media Groups	Attended Student Media fortnightly catch-ups

		Wrote an article for the EDIT on looking after your mental health during the Christmas break
10.	Teaching Awards	Continued promotion to SCEBE students about the Teaching Awards through emails and social media
11.	Library	No update.
12.	Academic Development and Enhancement Themes	No update.
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.	Put out the social support network graduate survey for feedback	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.	Have a clear campaign discussed and outlined to be put out to students	Moving these discussions on to creating a specific campaign will help raise awareness of the issue to students as well as highlighting and signposting where to receive help from the university and Students' Association
3.	Continue work on Individual and Team Objectives	

Report by Vice President SHLS

Author: Tabitha Nyariki

Date Produced: 10/02/2022

Committees: Student Voice

Action: Approval

Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	Main Priorities	Progress <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	Run a racism education campaign.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Call It Racism campaign is up and running across our campus for both students and staff, which will run until the 21st March. A series of webinars, workshops and events are available to all members of the GCU community and

		<p>sign ups can be found across university/SA social media channels and Eventbrite.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Received approval to create a pledge for our student group to tackle racism. This pledge will be available for all groups to sign up to and will be displayed in the SA building.
2.	Work with SHLS on their Equality, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) projects.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Established the EDI group in SHLS which will be a permanent group within the school with both staff and student members. • Met with the Chair of the EDI group and Dean to discuss an operational plan for the schools EDI initiatives. • Remain a member of the Athena Swan working group that will be looking to achieve the Silver award for SHLS and particularly focus on EDI initiatives for the application. • Met with various Department to plan EDI workshops for their members.
3.	Increase the knowledge and engagement students have with the Sustainable Development Goals, entrepreneurial and social innovation activities at GCU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met with Research Innovation Officer to discuss relevant events launching for Tri B • Shared relevant opportunities for students on social media channels which has led to a significant increase in applications to RIO initiatives, • Met with the SDG society president to discuss student events for Tri B.

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)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spoke to Chief Operating officer on improving greener spaces on campus and making them more user friendly and easily accessible for all students.
2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met with Pro Vice Chancellor Learning Teaching Quality Enhancement to discuss Student Partnership Agreement. • Met with the FTO team do discuss how we would tackle the negotiations with the university for the new partnership agreement.
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met with SHLS student comms lead to discuss how we would run and lead NSS lecture shouts to make them more engaging and efficient. • Attended lectures and spoke to students in SHLS about the work the SA has been doing to represent their academic interest.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met with Student Comms team to discuss plans to push out NSS survey. • Recorded a video for the NSS survey to encourage students to participate.
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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"> - Attended School Board. - Meet with Associate Dean International SHLS to discuss international student support. - Attended International SHLS working Group meeting. - Met with the Dean for our monthly catch-ups. - Met with various Department Heads to discuss Tri B principles and return to campus. - Attended Fit to Sit meeting and feedback to the process. - Attended an Academic Representatives Social event. - Attended Induction Classes for MSc programmes within the school to introduce the Students' Association and its services. - Attended the Athena Swan meeting.
2.	International Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended International Committee Meeting. And feedback issues International students are facing. - Attended International Student Mobility meetings.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended re-fresher's International Students' welcome night
3.	Sports Clubs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended Glasgow Taxi Cup meeting. - Attended Glasgow Taxi Cup Photoshoot - Attended Scottish Sports Society meetings - Attended BUCS meeting - Met with the Sports Council - Attended meeting to organise the Sports Ball. - Attended the Sabb Forum meeting. - Met with Sports Sabbs from Glasgow University and Strathclyde to discuss plans for the Glasgow Taxi's Cup. - Attended Sports clubs first social event on campus.
4.	Ethical and Environmental	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Met with Chief Operating Officer to discuss improving our green spaces on campus. - Had a discussion with Baxter story on returning the reduced food deals to reduce food waste.
5.	Student Leader Programme, Social Innovation, Sustainable Development Goals and Entrepreneurship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Had monthly catch-ups with head of Social Innovation. - Attended the British Council Active Citizenship train the trainer Unicycle programme which will be available to all GCU students to participate. - Meet with members of Uhatch to discuss further ways to enhance student knowledge of its services and resources. - Attended the embedding SDG'S into the curriculum group meeting.
6.	Ethnic Diversity Network (BAME)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended Tackling Racism Groups and Sub-groups.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended BAME Careers Conference planning meetings. - Co-hosted the first Anti-racist curriculum webinar run by the university as part of the Call It Racism Campaign series. - Attended a Call it Racism Photo-op to further highlight the campaign.
7.	Court	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended court meeting and court sub-committees. - Met with Lay Governor linked to the Students' Association. - Met with Lay Governor associated with the Student Association. - Attended Court Strategy Day. - Attended Court Stakeholder Event.
8.	Others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attended monthly catch ups with the Chief Operating Officer. - Attended weekly NUS Officers update meeting. - Chaired the Health and Safety Committee. - Attended Sparqs JAG meetings. - Attended the theme leaders group meeting. - Participated in the FTO engagement plans. - Participated in Feel Fab Feb Events.

Plans Before the Next Meeting

	Main Priorities	Intended Outcome/Impact <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Meeting with Relevant Members of SHLS staff.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue meeting with Dean and Vice Dean, ADLTQ SHLS and other relevant members of

		staff to work on increasing Student engagement and enhance student experience.
2.	Full Time Officers Engagement Plan	- Continue with the Full time officers engagement plans.
3.	Continue working on my individual and team objectives	- Work on finalising any individual objectives I have yet to complete. - Work with the FTO team towards achieving our team objectives.

Report by Priscilla Otuagoma, Vice President GSBS

Author: Priscilla Otuagoma

Date Produced: 10/02/2022

Committees: Student Voice

Action: For Approval

Full Time Officer Individual Objectives

	Main Priorities	Progress <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.	Planning stage with the ADLTQ, PG Lead and International Head for GSBS.
2.	Investigate the creation of a GCU community app for student communications and engagement.	Application survey testing stage.
3.	Improved pre-induction information and assistance for students seeking accommodation.	Planning stage with the Head of campus and new Caledonian Court Officer.

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)	In discussion with the Chief Operating Officer and Principal about creating a greener campus and reducing carbon emission.
2.	Refresh Student Partnership Agreement with the University and ensure that student voice is at the heart of decision making.	In discussion with the university and Sparqs in relation to forming a working group.
3.	Increase the satisfaction score for GCU students above the Scottish and UK average on Q26 of the National Student Survey (NSS).	Class shout-outs for final year students and working with Student life to send out messages and videos about promoting it and how to answer the questions.

Remit Progress

	Main Priorities	Progress <i>What have you achieved since the last meeting?</i>
1.	GSBS	Meetings with the Dean of GSBS on a regular basis. Attended GSBS school board meeting. Had several class shout-outs for GSBS PGT classes and final year UG classes to promote NSS survey. Attended Positive Impact Rating committee meetings in arrangement of how to meet the survey target.
2.	Careers & Employability	Regular meetings with representatives of the university's career services department. Attended the Employability working Group meetings.
3.	Glasgow Students Forum	Attended Glasgow Student Forum meetings.
4	Societies	Attended Society Council meetings. Helped in the recruitment of the new Societies Chair.
5	Champion: Women's Group	Attended planning meetings for the International Women's Day for 2022. Organized campaigns for the 16 Days activism on action against gender-based violence.
6	Taught and Research Postgraduate Students.	Shortlisted and interviewed new PGR Reps, and also planned and co-facilitated their training/induction for all the schools. Attended the Research Degrees Committee meetings Attended the University Research Committee meetings. Organised a get-together for new postgraduate students, alongside other old PG students as well to allow for networking and a community welcome.
7	Equality and Diversity	Chaired one Equality, Diversity and Inclusion committee meeting. Attended the Tackling Racism at GCU group meetings. Organized campaigns for the 16 Days activism on action against gender-based violence.

		<p>Attended the GCU E&D champions' meetings.</p> <p>Organized and attended a liberation/representation officers networking session.</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>
9	SAGE	<p>Chaired one SAGE committee meeting.</p> <p>Planned and attended networking/social event for all Academic Reps.</p>
12	Accommodation	<p>Helped in the recruitment of the new and pioneer Caledonian Court Officer.</p> <p>Working on criteria for accepting PBSAs.</p>

Plans Before the Next Meeting

	Main Priorities	Intended Outcome/Impact <i>What difference will this meeting or event make?</i>
1.	Black Careers Festival	Plan and organise a careers festival in conjunction with GCU Careers team for BAME students on the 2 nd of March by 1pm for MAME students to have better idea on their career opportunities.
2.	International Women's Day 2022	Organise and plan different events and campaigns with the GCU IWD team coming up on 7 th – 11 th of March 2022.
3.	Student Housing Rally	Lead and participate in the NUS strike against increase in housing prices in Edinburgh on the 23 rd of March 2022.