

Student Voice Matters Arising (April 2023)



Date Raised	Item	Action	Who	Update
20.03.23	FTO Report	Opportunity for Student Voice members to feed into GCU App development	VP GSBS	Completed Sign up sent to Student Voice members and names opting in have been sent to App project leads
20.03.23	FTO Report	To discuss with the Dean of GSBS about career information services for GSBS students	VP GSBS	Completed VP GSBS and academic reps spoke to Dean at Spring Academic Rep gathering about career information for GSBS students
20.03.23	Motion	To raise awareness with University Leadership that the Students' Association is in favour of closing GCU New York	Student President	Completed
20.03.23	Motion	To work with the university on the creation of a memorial to students that have passed away	VP SCEBE	On going Emailed COO, we will discuss in EB Catchup for the space and different suggestions like: Flag, Tree, Bench, Wall etc.
20.03.23	Idea	To lobby the university for the creation of a GCU campus investment strategy	Student President	On going
20.03.23	Idea	To work with the university on ensuring access to specialist labs on the weekends	VP SCEBE	On going Contacted the Vice Dean and this is the outcome: the George Moore Building is currently at weekends. Prof Scott (Vice Dean) will look at various options that will provide the students in Cyber Security, and other areas, with access to specialist labs on weekend.
20.03.23	Idea	To lobby the university for a free meal to be available to students and staff during opening hours	VP GSBS	On going
20.03.23	Idea	To work with the university on re-evaluating the Erase the Grey campaign and to raise awareness on the support available for students on Gender Based Violence	Student President	On going Have set up a meeting with GCU's GBV Response Coordinator for this coming week.
20.03.23	Idea	To lobby the university to accept cash payments	Student President	On going Raised at Executive Board of the university who will be following up on this
20.03.23	Idea	To lobby BaxterStory for the availability of plant based milk at all times	VP GSBS	Completed Discussed with university. University have responded that plant based milk will be kept in stock
05/12/22	Idea	To lobby the university to divest from top polluters (Oil	VP SCEBE	Completed

		& Gas)		The University has gone through a process and is now divested from direct and indirect investment in carbon extraction companies. Working with SVTL on communicating this more widely along with the student who raised the issue initially.
05/12/22	Idea	To work with the university to improve wi-fi on campus	VP SCEBE	On going Emailed Tahir Yousaf Head of IT and IT Team and waiting for response
24/10/2022	Idea	To lobby the library for it to be opened 24hours during the weekday and until 10pm on weekends	VP GSBS	On going
24/10/2022	Idea	To campaign for the university to provide free hot water taps and use of microwaves	VP GSBS	On going Hot water taps for the Students' Association have been approved and are planning to install soon. Waiting for new Health and Safety regulations to come into effect in the summer before reconsidering microwaves
24/10/2022	Idea	To lobby the university to provide free gym membership to international students, students applying for discretionary funding and student representatives	VP SCEBE	On going Emailed to the Principal and we are working on it. We will be discussing this idea in exec committee of SA and Executive Board of the university.