J.16-11 Motion to Add New Positions to the STAR Committee

THIS SRC AND SSC NOTES:

1. Section 3 of Chapter Twenty-Four of the Laws outlines the current committee positions: SSC Broadcasting Officer (3.1.1), Director of Events & Services (3.1.2), Deputy Broadcasting Officer (3.1.3), Creative Director (3.1.4), News Director (3.1.5), Director of Finance & Sponsorship (3.1.6), Director of Press (3.1.7), Director of Internal Communications (3.1.8), Hearing Aid Print/Online Editor (3.1.9), Head of Music (3.1.10), Head of Events (3.1.11), Director of Technical Operations (3.1.12), Web Developer (3.1.13).

THIS SRC AND SSC BELIEVES:

- 1. These titles are vague and prevent the committee from being as efficient as possible.
- 2. Director of Press has one responsibility: contacting Heads of Events from other societies to get press passes. This responsibility is not demanding and another committee member could complete this task as required.
- 3. The committee works tirelessly throughout the year to ensure that STAR remains one of the best outlets for student creativity, but subcommittee is still not reaching a significantly large portion of the student body.
- 4. Adding two new committee positions would make STAR more accessible for a maximum number of students and build a stronger sense of community.
- 5. A Freshers Head of Events would host informal events targeted at freshers, making it easier to find out about STAR and the many ways to get involved from the start of their university career.
- 6. A Head of Publicity would be responsible for all online publicity, as well as responsible for physical publicity such as putting up posters in university buildings, halls of residence, and the union.
- 7. This new publicity scheme would enable STAR to move beyond social media and reach individuals who are not already familiar with the committee.
- 8. Hearing Aid is a reputable music magazine that requires a lot of work and dedication throughout the year to regularly publish articles online and print three issues per academic year. Therefore, Hearing Aid should be headed by both a Hearing Aid Print Editor and a Hearing Aid Online Editor.

THIS SRC AND SSC RESOLVES

- 1. A Fresher Head of Events and Head of Publicity should be added to the committee
- 2. Section 3.1.7 Director of Press should be removed from Chapter Twenty-Four of the Laws
- 3. The titles of the remaining positions should be changed to create a more cohesive subcommittee. The final list of the SSC Broadcasting Society committee positions will be as follows: SSC Broadcasting Officer, Director of Events & Services, Deputy Broadcasting Officer, Head of Creative, Head of News, Head of Finance, Head of Internal Communications, Hearing Aid Print Editor, Hearing Aid Online Editor, Head of Music, Head of Events, Freshers Head of Events, Head of Publicity, Head of Technology, Head of Web Development.

PROPOSED:

Charlotte Flatley - SSC Broadcasting Officer

SECONDED:

Chris MacRae - DoES

Joe Tantillo - DoRep Lewis Wood - Association LGBT Officer Aine Bennett - Association Community Relations Officer

J.16-12: Motion to Restructure Societies Committee

This SSC Societies Committee Notes:

- 1. The current committee structure consists of one Grants Officer.
- 2. The laws currently don't include an Affiliations Officer

This SSC Societies Committee Believes:

- 1. The creation of a Grants Advisor, in addition to the Grants Officer, would help efficiency.
- 2. Affiliations officer is an important position that has existed for the past two years even though it's not in the laws.

This SSC Societies Committee Resolves:

1. To strike the current Membership structure of Societies Committee and replace it with Appendix A.

Proposed:

Societies Committee

Seconded:

Kyle Blain, DoSDA

Appendix A:

Chapter Twenty-Five: SSC Societies Committee

1. SSC Societies Committee

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1.1. Membership

1.1.1.SSC Societies Officer (Convenor and Chair)

1.1.2. Director of Student Development & Activities

1.1.3. Grants Officer

1.1.4. Grants Adviser

1.1.4.1.1.5. Elections Officer

1.1.5.1.1.6. Secretary

1.1.6.1.1.7. Two Elections Advisers

1.1.8. Affiliations Adviser

1.1.7.1.1.9. Webmaster

1.1.8.1.1.10. Events Officer

1.1.9.1.1.11. University Charities Campaign Societies Coordinator

1.1.10. Marketing Officer

1.1.11.1.1.1.1. Two SRC Nominees

1.1.12.1.1.1.1. Two SSC Nominees
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1.1.13.1.1.14. Management Accountant (non-voting)