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MINUTES:

of the meeting of the Representatives-elect of the 92nd SRC held on Wednesday 23rd October 2019 at 6pm in the New Law Lecture Theatre 104, New Law Building, University of Sydney.

Meeting Opened: 6:50.

Apologies and Proxies:

Kelly Chen to Elaine Tao

Julia Kovic to Josie Jakovac – Julia Kovic arrived at 7:30pm and resumed her council seat

Angelina Gu to Liam Thomas

Nicholas Comino to James Ardouin

Alev Saracoglu to Jazzlyn Breen at 8:54 pm

Swapnik Sanagavarapu to Seth Dias at 8:54 pm

There was a delay in commencement due to space restrictions.

There was a quorum count at 6:48pm.

The meeting opened at 6:50pm.

Jacky He assumed the Chair.

1. Acknowledgement of Country

The University of Sydney Students' Representative Council acknowledges the traditional owners of this land (Sydney), the Gadigal people of the Eora nation. We stand on this land today as beneficiaries of an uncompensated and unreconciled dispossession that occurred over 200 years ago. Many of the descendants of those dispossessed live just down the road in abject poverty, and as young people it is important to recognise how this history of dislocation and disenfranchisement has contributed to the inequality we observe in modern society. We acknowledge both our privilege and our obligation to redress the situation as best we can: to remember the mistakes of the past, act on the problems of today, and build a future for everyone who now calls this place home, striving always for genuinely practical and meaningful reconciliation.

Jacky He spoke to the council thanking those who have supported him for the year. And Thanked the 91st SRC for their passion. And promoted the rally against Sinophobia and racism on campus happening in the next week.

2. Election of Chairperson

As per regulations, Liam Donohoe, President-elect, took the Chair.

Liam Donohoe thanked Jacky He for passing over the chair and thanked those who got him elected. Adding that he hoped that next year would be a year to make effective change for students on campus, and he aims to serve to his best ability.

3. Appointment of Returning Officer

In accordance with SRC Regulations Part Ten, s.27, Casper Lu (Electoral Officer for the 2019 elections) was appointed Returning Officer.

Liam Donohoe vacated the Chair to the Returning Officer, Casper Lu.

The councillors and proxies were called out to collect their ballots in alphabetical order by last name.

The RO called for a speaking time to be set
there was a call for 2 minutes per candidate (4 minutes for a joint positions)
Moved: Vinil Kumar
Seconded: Jazzlyn Breen
The procedural was put and carried.

4. Election of Vice-President

Joint Nomination: Felix Faber and Charlotte Bullock
Nomination: Madeline Powell

Felix Faber and Charlotte Bullock spoke to their joint nomination.
Madeline Powell spoke to her nomination.

Results:

Felix Faber and Charlotte Bullock	
Madeline Powell	WITHDRAWN

There being no other nominations, were Felix Faber and Charlotte Bullock declared elected unopposed as Vice Presidents of the 92nd SRC.

Procedural motion to adjourn for 10 minutes
Moved: Liam Donohoe
Seconded: Layla Mhkayber
The procedural was put and **CARRIED.**

The meeting adjourned at 7:28pm

There was a quorum count at 7:38pm
The meeting was found quorate

The meeting resumed at 7:39pm

Procedural motion to adjourn for 10 minutes

Moved: Liam Donohoe

Seconded: Layla Mhkayber

The procedural was put and **CARRIED.**

The meeting adjourned for 10 minutes at 7:40pm

There was a quorum count at 7:50pm

The meeting was found quorate at 7:50pm

There was a challenge to the ruling of the Chair of standing legal via executive circular

There was a delay while to proper course of action with regards to affirmative action was determined

The meeting resumed at 8:00pm

5. Election of General Secretary

Nomination: Owen Marsden-Readford

Joint Nomination: Liam Thomas and Abbey Shi

Owen Marsden-Readford spoke to his nomination

Liam Thomas and Abbey Shi spoke to their nomination

Results:

Owen Marsden-Readford WITHDRAWN

Liam Thomas and Abbey Shi

There being no other nominations, Liam Thomas and Abbey Shi were declared elected unopposed as the General Secretaries of the 92nd SRC.

6. Election of the Executive

Nomination: Sonia Gao

Nomination: Vivienne Goodes

Nomination: Xuyuan (Ashley) Li

Nomination: Holly McDonald

Nomination: Isla Mowbray

Nomination: Swapnik Sanagavarapu

Sonia Gao spoke to her nomination

Vivienne Goodes spoke to her nomination
 Xuyuan (Ashley) Li spoke to her nomination
 Holly McDonald waved her right to speak
 Isla Mowbray spoke to her nomination
 Swapnik Sanagavarapu spoke to his nomination

Results:

Sonia Gao	6
Vivienne Goodes	6
Xuyuan (Ashley) Li	6
Holly McDonald	5
Isla Mowbray	6
Swapnik Sanagavarapu	6

A challenge to the results was submitted to the Returning Officer. The Returning Officer will forward that to the Chair of Standing legal.

Thus, Sonia Gao, Vivienne Goodes, Xuyuan (Ashley) Li, Isla Mowbray, Swapnik Sanagavarapu were declared provisionally elected as General Members of the Executive of the 92nd SRC, pending a ruling by the Chair of the Standing Legal committee.

7. Election of the Education Officer

Joint nomination: Jazzlyn Breen and Jack Mansell
 Nomination: Vinil Kumar

Jazzlyn Breen and Jack Mansell spoke to their nomination
 Vinil Kumar WITHDRAWN

There being no other nominations, were Jazzlyn Breen and Jack Mansell declared elected unopposed as the Education Officers of the 92nd SRC.

8. Election of the Women's Officer

Joint nomination: Ellie Wilson and Vivienne Guo
 Nomination: Kim Murphy
 Joint nomination: Holly McDonald and Gabi Stricker-Phelps

Ellie Wilson and Vivienne Guo spoke to their nomination
 Kim Murphy spoke to her nomination
 Holly McDonald and Gabi Stricker-Phelps

Layla Mkhayber was named for disruptive behaviour.

Results

Ellie Wilson and Vivienne Guo	30
Kim Murphy	WITHDRAWN

11. Election of two Indigenous Students' Officers

Nomination: Roisin Murphy

There being no other nominations, Roisin Murphy was declared elected unopposed as Indigenous Students' Officers of the 92nd SRC.

There being no further nominations the remaining position was put on notice for the first meeting of the 92nd SRC.

12. Election of two International Students' Officers

Joint nomination: Ziyang (Nicole) Huang and Mengfan(Karen) Ji

Joint Nomination: Moses Liu and Kigen Mera

There being no other nominations, Ziyang (Nicole) Huang, Mengfan(Karen) Ji, Moses Liu and Kigen Mera were declared elected unopposed as the International Students' Officers of the 92nd SRC.

13. Election of two Environment Officers

Joint nomination: Prudence Wilk Wheat and Lily Campbell

Joint nomination: Shani Patel and

Nomination: Nely Psico

Prudence Wilkins-Wheat and Lily Campbell spoke to their nomination
Shani Patel and Sofi Nicolson spoke to their nomination
Nely Psico waved her right to speak.

Results

Prudence Wilkins-Wheat and Lily Campbell	17
Shani Patel and Sofi Nicolson	14
Nely Psico	4

Thus, Shani Patel, Sofi Nicolson, Prudence Wilkins-Wheat and Lily Campbell were declared duly elected as Environment Officers of the 92nd SRC.

14. Election of two Global Solidarity Officers

Nomination: Kiana Asgari

Joint nomination: Annie Zhao and Shailene Wei

Joint nomination: Holly Hayne and Kelly Chen

Kiana Asgari spoke to her nomination
Annie Zhao and Shailene Wei spoke to their nomination
Holly Hayne and Kelly Chen spoke to their nomination

Results:

Kiana Asgari	5
Annie Zhao and Shailene Wei	14
Holly Hayne and Kelly Chen	16

Thus, Annie Zhao, Shailene Wei, Holly Hayne and Kelly Chen, were declared duly elected as Global Solidarity Officers of the 92nd SRC.

15. Election of two Inter-Campus Officers

Joint nomination:	Kristina Sergi and Joanna Sheng
Joint nomination:	Micheal Kallidis and Jiahui Ethan Zhai
Nomination:	Marinella Rose

Kristina Sergi and Joanna Sheng spoke to their nomination
 Micheal Kallidis and Jiahui Ethan Zhai spoke to their nomination
 Marinella Rose spoke to her nomination

Results:
 Marinella Rose WITHDRAWN

There being no other nominations, Kristina Sergi, Joanna Sheng, Michael Kallidis and Ethan Zhai were declared elected unopposed as Intercampus Officers of the 92nd SRC.

16. Election of two Sexual Harassment Officers

Joint nomination:	Kimberley Dibben and Ruby Lotz
Joint nomination:	Courtney Daley and Kira Xu
Nomination:	Josie Jackovac

Kimberley Dibben and Ruby Lotz spoke to their nomination
 Courtney Daley and Kira Xu spoke to their nomination
 Josie Jackovac spoke to her nomination

Results:
 Kimberley Dibben and Ruby Lotz 17
 Courtney Daley and Kira Xu 13
 Josie Jackovac 5

Thus, Kimberley Dibben, Ruby Lotz, Courtney Daley and Kira Xu were declared duly elected as the Sexual Harassment Officers of the 92nd SRC.

17. Election of two Queer Officers

Nomination: Oliver Mackie Pawson
 Joint Nomination: Paola Ayre and Priya Gupta

There being no other nominations, Oliver Mackie Pawson, Paola Ayre and Priya Gupta were declared elected unopposed as the Queer Officers of the 92nd SRC.

Procedural to make the remove the speaking time

Moved: Liam Donohoe

Seconded: Seth Dias

the procedural was put and **CARRIED**.

18. Election of two Disabilities Officers

Nomination: Luke Binyamin

Nomination: Steff Leinasars

Joint nomination: Margot Beavon-Collin and Charlotte Emma Lim

Results:

Luke Binyamin	5
Steff Leinasars	13
Margot Beavon-Collin and Charlotte Emma Lim	16

Thus, Steff Leinasars, Margot Beavon-Collin and Charlotte Emma Lim were declared duly elected as the Disabilities Officers of the 92nd SRC.

Procedural motion that the disabilities officers elect be heard for 1 minute

Moved: Roisin Murphy

Seconded: Felix Faber

the procedural was put and **CARRIED**.

The Disabilities Officers spoke to their election.

19. Election of two Mature-Age Students' Officers

Joint Nomination: Vinil Kumar and Peter Burrell-Sanders

Thus, Vinil Kumar and Peter Burrell-Sanders were declared elected unopposed as the Mature-Age Students' Officers of the 92nd SRC.

There being no further nominations the remaining position was put on notice for the first meeting of the 92nd SRC.

20. Election of two Interfaith Officers

Nomination: Vishal Lingam

Joint nomination: Susie Wang and Wilson Huang

The nominations would not comply with Affirmative Action as such only one position can be filled.

Results:

Vishal Lingam	4
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Susie Wang and Wilson Huang 29

Thus, Susie Wang/Wilson Huang were declared duly elected as Interfaith Officers of the 92nd SRC.

There being no further nominations the remaining position was put on notice for the first meeting of the 92nd SRC.

21. Election of two Social Justice Officers

Joint nomination: Angelina Gu and Shuyu Li

Joint nomination: Deaglan Godwin and Himath Siriniwasa

Thus, Angelina Gu, Shuyu Li, Deaglan Godwin, Himath Siriniwasa were declared duly elected as the Social Justice Officers of the 92nd SRC.

Procedural to hear the refugee right nominees for on minute
moved: Vinil Kumar

Seconded: ????

the procedural was put and **FAILED**.

22. Election of two Refugee Rights Officers

Nomination: Alex McLeay

Nomination: Cooper Forsyth

Thus, Alex McLeay, Cooper Forsyth were declared duly elected as Refugee Rights Officers of the 92nd SRC.

Procedural to hear the Residential colleges officers' nominees for one minute

Moved: Vinil Kumar

The procedural failed to receive a seconder and so **LAPSED**.

23. Election of two Residential College Officers

Joint nomination: Charlotte Ainsworth and Xuan (Winny) Li

Joint nomination: Joseph Yang and Kiran Gupta

Joint nomination: Nicholas Comino and Anabel de Mestre

Results:

Charlotte Ainsworth and Winny Li 15

Joseph Yang and Kiran Gupta 12

Nicholas Comino and Anabel de Mestre 6

Thus, Charlotte Ainsworth, Winny Li, Joseph Yang and Kiran Gupta were declared duly elected as Residential College Officers of the 92nd SRC.

24. Election of two Student Housing Officers

Joint Nomination: Julie Zhang and Klemintine Burrell Sander

Thus, Julie Zhang and Klemintine Burrell Sander were declared elected unopposed as the Student Housing Officers of the 92nd SRC.

There being no further nominations the remaining position was put on notice for the first meeting of the 92nd SRC.

25. Election of Chairperson of the Standing Legal Committee

Nomination: Janek Drevikousky

There being no other nominations, Janek Drevikousky was declared elected unopposed as Chairperson of the Standing Legal Committee of the 92nd SRC.

26. Election of six Directors of Student Publications

Nomination: Roisin Murphy

Nomination: Debbie Chan

Nomination: Mikaela Pappau

Nomination: Maxim Vishney

Nomination: Peiqing Fan

Nomination: Nina Mountford

Nomination: Alexander Back

Nomination: Maia Edge

Results:

Roisin Murphy	6
Debbie Chan	0
Mikaela Pappau	6
Maxim Vishney	6
Peiqing Fan	6
Nina Mountford	6
Alexander Back	0
Maia Edge	5

Thus, Roisin Murphy, Mikaela Pappau, Maxim Vishney, Peiqing Fan, Nina Mountford and Maia Edge were declared duly elected as Directors of Student Publications of the 92nd SRC.

27. Inter-Campus Committee

Members of the committee must be members of council, ie, a representative, officers or ex. Officio member.

There being no valid nominations the position was put on notice for the first meeting of the 92nd SRC.

28. Standing Legal Committee

Nomination: Zac Pitkethley

Nomination: Michael Kallidis

Nomination: Aayush Bhattacharya

Nomination: Mengyuan Zhu

Results:

Zac Pitkethley	5
Michael Kallidis	1
Aayush Bhattacharya	25
Mengyuan Zhu	0

As all nominees identify as cis men only one can be elected. To comply with AA a non-cis man must fill the other position.

Thus, Aayush Bhattacharya was declared duly elected to the Standing Legal Committee of the 92nd SRC.

There being no eligible nominations the second position was put on notice for the first meeting of the 92nd SRC.

29. Report of the Returning Officer

Caper Lu reported:

- i) that elections had been conducted according to SRC Regulations;
- ii) that, each election had been conducted, and each of the above persons elected had been declared elected to the respective Officer and Committee positions.
- iii) that this was conditional on the ruling of the Standing legal committee's ruling on the complaint lodged.

The meeting was declared closed at: 12:15pm