

# Moray College UHI – Class Rep Meeting Minutes

28<sup>th</sup> October 2020 – 12pm to 1pm

## Present:

**Class Reps:** Kelly Blakemore, Caitlyn Hay, Laura Moir, Danielle Milne, Sarah Ratcliffe, Stephen Simpson, Kristina Belyk, Ellis Barron, Bronwyn Shaw, Hannah Price, Elana Smith, Karolina Gajewska, Lauren Cloud, Luke Mackenzie, Caelum Leese, Ashley Fotheringham, David Allan, Stuart Mitchell, Curtis Reid, Corey Anderson, Liam Cormie, Joel Burke, Sam McCready, Rebecca Stevenson, David Allan, Lilia Lee, Audrey West, Connor Mitchell, Lauren Smith, Samira Tolmie, Kerri Ann, Caitlyn Hay, Bianca Creaser, Rhiannon Johnston,

**Staff:** Joel Hockney

**HISA Officers:** Kyle Gee – Depute President Education, Hermione Morris - Depute President Activities and Welfare

**Apologises:** Nicole Hyslop

## Introductions

As we are now running Class Rep Meetings only on an online space until the foreseeable future, HISA Moray sure to begin the Class Rep Meeting with introducing the Class Reps to being a part of the online Class Rep Meetings and how we will be running them in future.

For Class Reps that were not able to attend our previous Class Rep Training sessions, we also took the time to introduce ourselves and HISA's role in representing and improving the student experience.

In addition, we also mentioned to Class Reps that we will be running more Class Rep Training sessions in future – and requested to the Class Reps if they have not had been trained yet, to get in contact with us as soon as possible so we can plan training sessions times in advance that will be accessible for them to attend.

## Halloween Activities

We also let the Class Reps know of all the activities that our activities Depute President, Hermione planned and that HISA Moray were running around the Halloween time, so that they could pass that information on to all their fellow students. For our online film night, we also allowed Class Reps on which film (out of a selection) they would like to watch with other students.

If there are events that you enjoyed or would like to see again, please contact us on our social media or by email so that we can make sure to run them again in future.



## UHI Student Mental Health Agreement – Working Group

HISA have made a working draft on the next UHI Student Mental Health Agreement, but to ensure we are carrying out actions that will improve student's wellbeing most effectively, it is important to receive feedback from the wider student body. As part of this, HISA Moray let the Class Reps know of the UHI SMHA Working Group meeting on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> of November 11am to 1pm.

This working group is open to all students, so if you would like an invite to the Working Group Online meeting, please email [Joel.Hockney@uhi.ac.uk](mailto:Joel.Hockney@uhi.ac.uk) who will send you an invite to the online meeting.

## Class Rep Meeting Dates

See below for a list of the Class Rep Meeting dates for this academic year, all meetings are planned to be from 12pm to 1pm via an Online Meeting:

- *November 24<sup>th</sup>*
- *December 14<sup>th</sup>*
- *January 28<sup>th</sup>*
- *February 25<sup>th</sup>*
- *March 24<sup>th</sup>*
- *April 27<sup>th</sup>*
- *May 24<sup>th</sup>*
- *June 24<sup>th</sup>*

## Open Floor Feedback

- A student gave feedback that Linkwood has nowhere for students to sit down and eat food between classes and would like to get somewhere to sit and eat.
- Many Class Reps said that lecturers are not able to respond back to emails in a timely manner, either due to the amount of emails or technical issues.
- Also a recurring theme from Class Reps is that lecturers and students are struggling with ICT in the aspect that both lecturer and student are getting frustrated as when problems occur and not everyone is tech savvy enough to figure it out.

## Date of Next Meeting

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 12pm - 1pm by Online Meeting.**

*Class Rep Meetings minutes by Joel Hockney, Moray HISA Student Association Assistant*

