**UL Student Life**

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#  STUDENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

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| **Role / Position** | **:** | Student President |
| **Author** | **:** | Maeve |
| **Date** | **:** | 22/09/2022 |
| **Audience**  | **:** | **UL Student Council Exec** |
| **Action** | **:** | **Approve** |
| ***Goals*** |
| **Main Goals** | **Progress (what have you achieved since the last Council meeting)** |
|  | Accommodation new 80 beds |
|  | Pontoon reconstruction nearly complete after bringing up at GA once Kayak and Rowing club contacted me |
|  | With Community Liason Officer: opposed fines for unofficial intervention= no fines now |
|  | 50% Decrease in Student Levy for one year, will be bringing to Council soon |
| ***Other Achievements since last Council*** |
|  | Met with Irish Officer for Cumann na Gaelach as no officers are Irish speakers this year |
|  | I have established allies within the University, Provost is seeking a meeting space for the ULSL and PSU Presidents to meet with Minister Harris in response to the address we released |
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| ***Attendance at events/meetings and actions taken or agreed*** |
|  | **GA, GA Finance, Healthy UL, Academic Council, started faculty board meetings, Community Liason Meeting, UL @ 50, PCC Board** |
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| ***Plans before the next meeting*** |
| **Action/work area** | **What I hope to achieve** |
|  | Get a meeting with Minister Harris, lobby for decreasing pressure on University to increase student numbers, grant UL a loan to provide more housing. I have highlighted with the University the importance of us getting this meeting, if the space isn’t given to us for a meeting I will be looking into other methods of lobbying  |
|  |  Establish my engagement strategy: pop in office hours  |
|  | Lobby at the Governing Authority for free parking, more carpool spaces, highlight the potential for Park and Ride within surrounding areas |
| **Student Engagement** |
| **Type of Engagement (Meeting, event etc)** | **Purpose and anything to report on** |
|  | Pop Ups in the Courtyard |
|  | Clubs and Socs Fair  |
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| **Media engagement and external relations** |
| **Engagement (Press, other organisations etc)** | **Purpose and anything to report on** |
|   |  RTE Nuacht, Media Companies, Simon Harris Address, Irish Examiner, Collaboration with MISU re housing  |
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