**UL Student Life**

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# STUDENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

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| **Role / Position** | **:** | Communities Officer | |
| **Author** | **:** | Laura Corcoran | |
| **Date** | **:** | 12/09/2022 | |
| **Audience** | **:** | **UL Student Council** | |
| **Action** | **:** | **Approve** | |
| ***Goals*** | | | |
| **Main Goals** | | | **Progress (what have you achieved since the last Council meeting)** |
| Student Engagement | | | Encouraging often misheard voices to engage in different forms of representation. Taking a step back from Accommodation and focusing on an engagement strategy with SISC  Working with Out in UL for Pride Week and Photo Soc to support events |
| Student Led Events | | | A movie screening of ‘A Girl from Mogadishu’ will take place later in this semester. This movie highlights a few key issues in society but in particular the cultural practice of FGM and the impact of Direct Provision on Asylm seekers in Ireland.  I wish to create more events that highlight the experiences of some of our lesser heard voices on campus and I aim to do this by working on creating relationships which are meaningful. |
| ***Other Achievements since last Council*** | | | |
|  | | | Accommodation report has be complied and handed to Simon Harris by Student President. |
| ***Attendance at events/meetings and actions taken or agreed*** | | | |
| University of Sanctuary | | | Working Closely with UoS to create new methods of engagement for sanctuary students outside of academics. Holding an event in Orientation week to introduce new students to ULSL and the Sanctuary team. Later in the semester we plan to have another event to that encapsulates all sanctuary students |
| Community Liaison Committee | | | This committee is the direct link between the community in Castletroy, The University of Limerick and Students. This meeting was incredibly positive and there is new attitude from all regarding engaging and supporting students and communities to carve a new relationship |
| EDF | | | The creation of more student listening space’s in collaboration with the PSU to give students a voice on the Ethnic Diversity Forum |
| ***Plans before the next meeting*** | | | |
| **Action/work area** | | | **What I hope to achieve** |
| Accommodation Photo Submission | | | Plan made for the creation of Photo submission campaign with photo soc. |
| Threshold on campus | | | Threshold, the national housing charity are hoping to be on campus to inform students in need |
| Referral pathway | | | Creating a referral pathway for students seeking accommodation with the new accommodation officer |
| **Student Engagement** | | | |
| **Type of Engagement (Meeting, event etc)** | | | **Purpose and anything to report on** |
| Film Screening | | | Film Screening of a ‘Girl from Mogadishu’ to raise Awareness about FGM and violence against women to take part in Week 8 |
| Coffee With Communities | | | Fortnightly coffee mornings for discussion surrounding inclusion and more immersive practice |
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| **Media engagement and external relations** | | | |
| **Engagement (Press, other organisations etc)** | | | **Purpose and anything to report on** |
| Press release | | | Submitted a press release on Monday to different press outlets to promote the findings of the Accommodation Survey |