



International Committee Meeting – 01.11.23

Absent: SS

Agenda:

- Introductions (Durham stats)
- Discuss roles/responsibilities and deciding on which
- This term: Social??? Decide on date and event details
- Inter-college bar crawl???
- Smaller event ideas
- International formal - March
- World fest fair with Ru
- Int Destress campaign
- AOB

HT: I don't know how to do introductions but welcome to the first meeting! Let's do introductions.

Introductions

Roles

HT: We're going to delegate your roles now.

GBr and CH are Events and campaigns

GBM is College Liaison

SS is Publicity

SD is PG International Rep

KW is Assistant International Rep

Social

HT: I have thought about Lane7 but it might be too expensive. Does anyone have any ideas?

CH: What is the usual make-up of people that come? Like western international students or Chinese?

SL: Very difficult to know as there was very low engagement last year but hopefully if we market it well we can do better this year.

KW: when would the socials be?

MA: There is a large PG international community who are very keen so make sure you cater to them as well.

discussing dates that doesn't work

SL: How about 2 weeks from now? 15th of November.

HT: A pizza night? International mixer.

General agreement

Inter-College Bar Crawl

HT: Can be this term or next term, more flexible. The groupchat is kind of dead right now but we can revive it. ISA does not currently have a college liaison officer but we can take the lead.



HT: We have the international formal in March.

KW: Do we get a discount?

SL: No.

KW: So it'll be £15 again.

SL: We try to make ours 2 courses so it's cheaper.

World Fair

HT: I was talking to Ru the POC rep about the world fair representing different countries.

Stress-less campaign

HT: I don't want to stress people out and give people too much to do.

MA: You can prepare them in advance in epiphany or over easter holidays.

AOB

SL: Please don't be afraid to talk in the meetings and give your ideas so it helps Harry out!

Sriya: I brought up in PGComm about publicising and talking about different cultures festivals but that could be done here.

HT: I think we're going to make a calendar to put them all in.

HT: I am going to make a whatsapp group for us so please send me your numbers.

GBr: Could we make a form for all international students to put their holidays in?

AP: All to message HT their numbers for whatsapp.

AP: HT to ask BT to put a form out to all int. students on Ben's Weekly email about international holidays and forms.

AP: HT to create a form for introductions on instagram.

AP: Submit form HT creates with Name, Year, Course, Pronouns (if comfortable), 2 photos, one thing you always bring from home and a short intro for the captions.