



# Postgraduate and Mature Students' Committee Meeting Agenda -

18/10/23 - 4pm - House 12 JCR

- Welcome to PGM Comm
- Introductions
- Overview of what PGM Comm has done in the past (Sarah)
- Social Events
  - Possible Day trip this term?
- Academic Events
- Other ideas
  - PG Mailing list
  - To PG or Not to PG Campaign
  - How best to spend the budget for PGs
- AOB

SM: NR has sent some social plans, Scavenger Hunt in Newcastle, Bar Crawl (Boos or Booze) Halloween.

SM: I think we should do a day out, for example Beamish?

SM: Need dates in the calendar, Halloween one would need to be this month. Possibly the 27th?

BT: That's the Frep Social.

SM: Possibly the Monday (30th)

SM: I also want to do a Christmas meal out, any Ideas where?

SD: Could do an instagram poll to see?

SM: Yeah that's smart

## Academic Events

SM: Research slams are more chill to discuss over wine and snacks, do people agree that this is a good idea for this term?

\*General Agreement\*

## PG Mailing list



SM: Is there a lot of GDPR issues to make a mailing list?

BT: Not too bad, just have to find everyone's emails and get it sorted.

To PG or not to PG?

SM: I want to talk to PG's about advice they would give to people who want to do a PG. Also would like to set up a talk for UG's.

How to spend the Budget?

SM: I want to spend as much budget as we can to benefit PGs.

SM: Can we buy alcohol with our budget?

BT: You can, committees can buy it as long as everyone confirms.

SM: College buys meals for actors at murder mystery formal so we just have to budget for props.

AOB

SM: We have to do introductions, how cringy do we want to be?

DP: Just do 2 truths and a lie

BT: How will they know what's the lie?

SM: They'll have to come to events to ask us

SM: SD have you planned anything for PG Internationals?

SD: I have thought about some Indian holiday, 9 days is currently happening so could be good to do something for it.

SMu: DUDesi Soc is doing something for it.

SM: You could suggest that people could come with you to the event.

SMu: Is there a calendar for international holidays?

MA: CommsComm have a calendar which is for their events but International Comm could be good to create that calendar.

DP: Could we do some more summer events this summer?

SM: Yes definitely, We'll do that.

SM: We're all broke and need help.