ATiENDANCE

PRESENT

Priscilla Mensah, CUSU President
Jemma Stewart, CUSU Coordinator
Robert Cashman, CUSU Education Officer
Charlotte Chorley, CUSU Women’s Officer*
Sarah Gibson, CUSU LGBT+ President*
Robert Corbyn-Smith and Jessica Wing, CUSU Disabled Students’ Officers*
Lola Olufemi, CUSU BME Campaign (proxy for Nafis Khan, CUSU BME President)*
Nancy Chu, CUSU Mature Students’ Representative*
Tessa Lee, CUSU Ethical Affairs Officer
Sophie Parry, Christ’s JCR Vice President*
Mrittunjoy Guha Majumdar, Christ’s MCR IT & Academics Officer/CUSU Welfare and Rights Campaign Officer
Nathan Hardisty, Churchill JCR President*
Nick Ash, Churchill JCR Vice President*
Yannis Hemrich, Clare JCR Vice President*
Stephen Walsh, Clare Hall GSB Vice President*
Stephanie Ashenden, Darwin College Student Association President*
Tim Lornie, Downing JCR Green Officer (proxy for Jamie Carr, Downing JCR Vice President)*
Rachel Evans, Emmanuel College JCR Vice President*
(Emily Clark, Fitzwilliam ZC Vice President)
Carl Martin, Fitzwilliam College
Amy Faulkner, Fitzwilliam College
Maya Kolade, Girton JCR Ethnic Minorities Officer (proxy for Tom Day, JCR President)*
Ruth Taylor, Homerton JCR President*
Leonardo Buizza, Homerton JCR Vice President External*
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* - Voting member of CUSU Council – 37

APOLOGIES

Brendan Mahon, CUSU Chair
Helena Blair, CUSU Access and Funding Officer
Poppy Ellis Logan, CUSU/GU Welfare and Rights Officer
Tiantian Chen, CUSU Ethical Affairs Officer
CJ Liu, iCUSU Chair
Maximilian Guenther, Girton MCR President
Eleni Courea, King’s JCR President
Gabriel Fleming, King’s JCR Vice President

OBJECTIONS TO THE ORDER OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

None

CORRECTIONS TO THE MINUTES OF THE LAST COUNCIL MEETING

None

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE LAST COUNCIL MEETING

None

DATE, TIME AND VENUE OF UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS

All to be confirmed, will be emailed at least two weeks prior to the date of the first Council of Lent term.
ANNOUNCEMENTS BY COMMITTEES, CAMPAIGN TEAMS AND THE EXECUTIVE

PRISCILLA MENSAH - CUSU PRESIDENT

- Taking Policy from last CUSU Council and working on Bursars’ Committee representation. Has provided a sample motion for Common Room Councils, working on a draft email and a factsheet about the Bursars’ Committee.
- Eradication of affiliation fees – feeding into consultation with Dr Matthew Russell, decision should be being made in January of next year
- Graduate student consultation held this evening
- BME student experience consultation held tomorrow evening
- Sabbatical officers going out to talk to students at the end of term, would like to be informed of socials happening within colleges that we can come to.

CUSU ETHICAL AFFAIRS – TESSA LEE

- The 2015 Cambridge University Ethical Festival was successful, with 15 activities in one week. The online climate change quiz attracted 1840 students in two weeks (the highest % response of every University in the country, average of 13% students in each college). UN talks attracted around 250 people, and the average attendees for each event was around 40 people.
- Sending out the online satisfaction survey to students next week, evaluating the work at the Festival
- Having a meeting with Campaign Officer to discuss the next term’s working plan
- Meeting with NUS Outreach team to discuss Green Officers training program

CUSU BME CAMPAIGN – LOLA OLUFEMI

- Working with Decolonise Cambridge
- David Starkey petition – setting up a meeting between the BME Campaign and those close to the Vice Chancellor
- Solidarity campaigns for black students at Yale and Mizzou
- Working towards a launch, to include BME members of faculty
- Setting up a group putting BME students in contact with BME academics to improve the links between the two groups

CUSU DISABLED STUDENTS’ CAMPAIGN – ROBERT CORBYN-SMITH

- Held the first Disability Tea & Coffee Social
- Third open meeting of term
- Esther Leighton spoke at Women’s Campaign’s Liberate Your Curriculum event
- Submission of emergency motion this evening
- Attending JCR meetings as part of the We Are Not Leaving Campaign. Girton JCR now have a rep for disabled students.
- Petitioning the student body to have a referendum on a Disabled Student Sabbatical Officer

ICUSU CAMPAIGN - NOT PRESENT

QUESTIONS TO COMMITTEES, CAMPAIGN TEAMS AND THE EXECUTIVE

Robert Corbyn-Smith (CUSU DSC) - Can the minutes from STEC regarding Specific Learning Difficulties and Education be publicised when available?

Leonardo Buizza (Homerton JCR VP External) - Would like to know more about the thinking behind getting a 7th sabbatical officer

- One of the ways to trigger constitutional reform is to get a petition signed by 350 Ordinary Members of CUSU
- Referendum is on whether or not the 7th officer should be added to give full time support to the DSC
- Petition is still available to be signed

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE COUNCIL

None

8. ORDINARY MOTIONS

A. SUPPORT FOR THE KEEP THE STREETLIGHTS CAMPAIGN

Proposed by Cornelius Roemer (cr492@cam.ac.uk), seconded by Sophie Bell (sb2031@cam.ac.uk)

PROPOSITION - AMY FAULKNER

This is a new campaign with a demonstration organised for Saturday that will also be conducting extra research, with traffic censuses and an alternative map for lights that could be turned off instead of those which affect student safety. Although CUSU have proposed a motion and passed it, an independent campaign is better suited to deal with local residents, as CUSU might alienate certain groups in Cambridge. The campaign is asking for funding from CUSU, which is up for negotiation. There's lots of work to be done and current members of the committee are already spending their own money, such as £50 for producing placards, £50 for leaflets and posters. Money enables the campaign to be furthered. The streetlights don't get switched off until April, hoping to continue past this demonstration.

SPEECH AGAINST

None
Robert Corbyn-Smith (CUSU DSC) – Proposes the following amendments that are accepted as friendly:

- Delete CUSU Notes 2 (as this states the obvious)
- Delete CUSU Notes 3 (as this is inaccurate – other work has been done and the consultation is not yet over)
- Delete CUSU Believes 3
- Delete the name of the individual in CUSU Believes 4 (this is irrelevant and ties Council support to an individual which is a bad precedent)

Sarah Gibson (CUSU LGBT+) – what is the £600 going to be used for?

- Over the next five months a lot of leafleting that can be done
- Covering the expenses of speakers coming in to talk – wants to be a representative campaign that listens to both sides of the argument to be the best way forward
- Lots of research to do that this would help to fund
- Materials for the demonstration
- Speaking to clubs as part of the campaign
- More residential-based – leafleting at houses
- If the funding allows, some of the streets that are particularly affected, putting posters on each lamppost to help residents be aware of how many lights are being switched off

Mark Driver (Robinson MCR Vice President) – how much is in the Council Free Budget?

- £6200, £800 was given last Council to the Cambridge University Calais Refugee Action Group
- When the Free Budget runs out, it’s gone

Leonardo Buizza – What are the alternative fundraising methods that have been considered?

- Already received some funding from the Liberal Democrat Party, but their budget is limited and are trying to keep this as independent as possible
- Thought about doing crowdfunding, but not clear how much money could be gathered and need publicity to let people know about the campaign first

Stephanie Ashenden (Darwin DCSA President) – How aware are we of the alternative technologies that have been considered? Whether there’s renewable energy generated around that can be used?

- Considered putting this towards the County Council, but difficulty as their budget is already stressed. Difficult to talk them into implementing measures that could save them money in the long-term as it would cost too much now.

Sarah Gibson – the motion states that the views of ARU and 6th Form students should be incorporated, in what way are they involved?
- Forming a campaign committee with ARUSU sending two elected reps, and Hills Road are working hard too. There will also be County Council representation
- By being an independent campaign, this can incorporate a lot of views

**SUMMATION SPEECH**

Waived

**VOTING RESULTS**

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**Against:** 0

**Abstention:** 5
B. MOTION TO SUPPORT THE CAMBRIDGE ZERO-CARBON SOCIETY

Proposed by Angus Satow (airs5@cam.ac.uk), seconded by Ellie Whitlock (elw59@cam.ac.uk)

PROPOSITION – ANGUS SATOW

The recently launched divestment campaign has the aim of getting public institutions to withdraw their funding from fossil fuels investments, currently at Edinburgh, Glasgow, Surrey, Oxford, Warwick and more. There’s global recognition that there should be a 2 degree limit on global warming, and we’re trying to stop that by using civil society, university and student power to get everyone involved. Targeting fossil fuel investments, as 80% of current fossil fuel reserves need to stay in the ground. Cambridge is announcing itself as a leader in sustainability, calling for a just transition to a low carbon economy. This is asking that the University puts its money where its mouth is. A working group is to report in the next coming months, and we want CUSU’s support and support from the wider student body. Got lots of petition signatures. There’s financial risk associated that’s recognised in mainstream society. Arguments are from a moral and a financial standpoint. It’s important that students have a say, make their voices loudly and clearly known. Would like help to fund the coach to go to the Demo - there’s been £200 from trade unions and the local council, with the coach costing £510. Asking for £300 to help fund this.

SPEECH AGAINST

None

QUESTIONS

Stephanie Ashenden – The only thing that’s concerning the Darwin graduate community was whether it would affect funding opportunities for students doing their PhDs – sometimes the students who are researching to find the best ways to solve these big problems are funded by those same problems

- The motion isn’t about funding and money coming into the University, it’s about the University’s outgoing investments. Divestment is a political, symbolic point that is heard loudly across the world. This isn’t being done to target students or the University, it’s a loud and clear message about climate change.
Cornelius Roemer (Trinity JCR President) – the financial impact of divestment is tiny unless every institution does this. Is it more of a symbolic act rather than trying to harm fossil companies?

- It’s not about selling the shares, it’s a symbolic act aimed at building a social consensus to remove the licence of fossil fuels. Not about the immediate financial impact, but building the social consensus that means we invest sustainably.

Ben Weber (St. Catharine’s JCR Vice President) – what assessment has been made of the immediate financial impact on various bursaries and campaigns for groups?

- Take reports from people who’ve done research from 14 of the biggest endowments across the world which found that 12 are better without fossil fuel investments
- Not only does it make sense morally, it makes sense financially
- Doesn’t think it would harm the University’s endowments, wouldn’t be doing it if it could

Arthur Westwell (Queens’ MCR External Officer) – can we have information on the student who got sanctioned, has the fundraiser been set up?

- The student is the proposer. The fine is for not behaving in a quiet and orderly manner and bringing the college into disrepute. The charges were dropped but now there’s a fine for not obeying College officers. This isn’t what the protest was about, and the student only stayed there for half an hour. The point is that even though this was a separate College and separate legally, students should have the right to protest in the University without fear of sanction. The fine hasn’t yet been charged - a just-giving page will be set up, would be good to receive CUSU’s support.

Sarah Gibson – does Clare have clear rules on how students can organise and gather within its grounds?

- Technically it’s legally a private property and not to do with the University. University students have right of access through, but once the Porter asks someone to leave that right is revoked and becomes trespassing, which is a civil offence.

Robert Corbyn-Smith – Regarding CUSU Resolves 3 (attending the Demo by coach), have you made provisions for disabled students if the coach is not accessible?

- Doesn’t think so but is happy to work with the DSC in doing so

Mark Driver – clarification on the quotes for coaches

- Two quotes - $545 and £510, for Collins’ Coaches. Currently asking for students to pay, but last year’s demo attendance was free and would like this year’s to be free too (as with the Free Education Demo)

Cornelius Roemer – who was the motion seconded by?
Cornelius Roemer – what does the support for the student fine in Resolves 4 mean, is this financial?

- Not asking CUSU to pay, asking for a symbolic statement for individuals to contribute, with public support.

**AMENDMENTS**

Cornelius Roemer – amendment to strike CUSU Believes 2 (“That fossil fuel investments pose a financial risk to the University’s endowment in terms of beached assets and the ‘carbon bubble’”)

**SPEECH FOR - CORNELIUS ROEMER**

It doesn’t make sense for the University to be called bad investors, and it would increase our credibility were the financial motivations to be taken out. It might be that the total investment holdings of the University in fossil fuels is small and thus more about the extra hassle of not being able to invest in these funds.

**SPEECH AGAINST - TIM LORNIE**

Understands the point to claim that we know more about investment, but the issue of stranded assets has been demonstrated around the world. If 80% of fossil fuels need to stay in the ground, then politicians will make policy to stop these from being burnt. Therefore, 80% of investments in fossil fuels are at risk of becoming worthless in the future, worth making this argument. Investment managers don’t always get things right, as in 2008 where they lost lots of money. Divestment is not radical and is being proposed by mainstream banks. Climate change is an extreme issue, worth the hassle for investment bankers. In terms of the funding for students, if Cambridge divests that’s good, but what happens if we make lower returns on their investments? Over the past five years, non-fossil fuel funds have performed 6% better on the stock market and will continue to perform better.

**VOTE ON AMENDMENT**

For – 1
Against – 32
Abstain – 6

The amendment falls.

Yannis Hemrich (Clare JCR Vice President) – amendment to take in parts. The JCR felt the motion had four very different Resolves that were quite unrelated. Putting into one package doesn’t accurately portray the campaign and strongly encourages splitting the motion. Accepted as friendly.
Sarah Gibson – Amendment to remove CUSU Believes 3, change CUSU Notes 5 (after ‘Wednesday 4th November’) and remove CUSU Resolves 4. These parts are to be taken only when voting on Resolves 4 as part of the separate motion. It’s important to keep on there in terms of freedom of speech and why divestment support is being asked for.

**SUMMATION – ANGUS SATOW**

It’s important that students go down to London for this march. The Climate Summit isn’t just about people making decisions but about people affected by the decisions, and CUSU should help fund it. The fourth resolves can be understood why it’s separate, but would like to be tied into the campaign. Banner drops happen at other institutions without this much controversy.

**VOTING RESULTS**

**CUSU Resolves 1**

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Ahmed Elmi, Wolfson College Student Association President*

Against: 1
Yannis Hemrich, Clare JCR Vice President*

Abstention: 3
Stephen Walsh, Clare Hall GSB Vice President*
Stephanie Ashenden, Darwin College Student Association President*
Cornelius Roemer, Trinity JCR President*

CUSU Resolves 2

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**Against:** 1
Cornelius Roemer, Trinity JCR President*

**Abstain:** 3
Yannis Hemrich, Clare JCR Vice President*
Stephen Walsh, Clare Hall GSB Vice President*
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**CUSU Resolves 3**

**For:** 33
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Robert Corbyn-Smith and Jessica Wing, CUSU Disabled Students’ Officers*
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**Against:** 0

**Abstain:** 4
Sarah Gibson, CUSU LGBT+ President*
Stephen Walsh, Clare Hall GSB Vice President*
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CUSU Resolves 4

**For:** 19
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**Against:** 6
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Stephen Walsh, Clare Hall GSB Vice President*
Benjamin Weber, St Catharine’s JCR External Officer*
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**Abstain:** 12
Charlotte Chorley, CUSU Women’s Officer*
Robert Corbyn-Smith and Jessica Wing, CUSU Disabled Students’ Officers*
Nick Ash, Churchill JCR Vice President*
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8C. MANDATING THE CUSU EDUCATION OFFICER TO WORK WITH CUSU DISABLED STUDENTS’ CAMPAIGN

Proposed by Jessica Wing (jw772@cam.ac.uk), seconded by Esther Leighton (ell30@cam.ac.uk)

PROPOSITION – JESSICA WING

CUSU has just elected their Part-Time Executive, but no-one stood for the Education Team. Initially wanted to run but wasn’t constitutionally allowed to hold two Executive positions in CUSU at any one time. The Education Officer and Team should be working in the interests of disabled students to ensure that they are afforded the same level of support as non-disabled students and they might not necessarily have lived experience of the structural inequality facing disabled students. The accessibility of education at Cambridge is variable – for instance, the lack of part-time study option and eight week terms. It makes sense to have this motion and to have the Education Team drawing on the lived experiences of the Disabled Students’ Campaign

SPEECH AGAINST

None

QUESTIONS

Sarah Gibson – if the Sabbatical position from the referendum goes through will this motion be defunct?
- The Education Officer and Full-Time DSO would work together

Benjamin Weber – is the Education Officer mandated to work with other Autonomous Campaigns?
- Not specifically mandated, but it is assumed that all officers would work with all Autonomous Campaigns

Cornelius Roemer – What does the Education Officer think?
- Agrees that all officers should work with all Autonomous Campaigns, welcomes the motion and the structural mandate to work with the DSC.

Cornelius Roemer – Why was the motion submitted late?
- There was a light agenda and wanted to respond to the Part-Time Executive Election
- Emergency motions are accepted at the discretion of the CUSU Chair, hence we shouldn't need to question why it was late.

**SUMMATION SPEECH**

Waived

**VOTING RESULTS**

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Ollie Hudson, Sidney Sussex JCR President-Elect (proxy for Annie Magee, Sidney Sussex JCR President)*
Joe Miller, Sidney Sussex JCR Vice President*
James Troupe, Trinity Hall JCR President*
Dale Walmsley, Trinity Hall JCR Vice President*
Dan Bowen, Trinity Hall MCR Vice President*
Ahmed Elmi, Wolfson College Student Association President*

**Against:** 0

**Abstention:** 4
Stephanie Ashenden, Darwin College Student Association President*
Tim Lornie, Downing JCR Green Officer (proxy for Jamie Carr, Downing JCR Vice
President)*
Angus Satow (proxy for Harry Gower, Magdalene College JCR President)*
Ellie Whitlock (proxy for Ryan McIntyre, Magdalene JCR Vice President)*

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- No-one runs for Elections Committee
- Hustings for the TCS Board of Directors

ELECTION RESULTS TCS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Round 1 Votes:
Will Amor – 0
Thomas Saunders – 5
Tonicha Upham – 24
RON – 0

Tonicha Upham has exceeded the quota and is elected. The surplus is now reallocated.

Round 2 Votes:
Will Amor – 2
Thomas Saunders – 16
Tonicha Upham – 0
RON – 0

Thomas Saunders has exceeded the quota and is elected.

Tonicha Upham and Thomas Saunders are elected to the TCS Board of Directors. ]