

ANU LSS Committee Meeting Minutes 19/08/18

President

- ALSA Report
 - Elections - vote of no confidence during elections
 - Committee consensus that this is not a good idea
 - Engaging with law and technology
 - Alternate career promotion
 - Some societies have a separate guide and careers fair for alternative/social justice careers
 - We have a diverse Careers Guide already
 - Competitions
 - Some societies have worked with their city/state society to get accredited lawyers as judges and count towards CPE (continuing professional education) points - Victoria and Suchara to work on this
 - Finance
 - Discount tickets for non-drinkers and committee members for events
 - Even a nominal difference for non-drinkers
 - How would you police it?
 - Excess finance
 - Invest in stocks
 - Textbook bursary
 - Equity scholarship to support those who couldn't be involved in LSS without financial support
 - Approach CoL to set up an extra-curricular legal scholarship?
 - Unpaid internships
 - A lot of societies are finding that their members are doing unpaid internships and getting exploited
 - Could jeopardise sponsorship issues
 - Could make some kind of document to support members instead - let them know their rights etc
- Suchara met with the Pledge group
 - Working towards graduation ceremony coming in November
- Welcome to Daniel (new International Students Director) and Dylan (new Wellbeing Director)

Administration

- Constitutional changes for OGM
 - Adding VP Equity
 - IPP removing exec membership
 - Removing VP Education as designated ALSA Representative
 - Adding VP Competitions duties as a formality to match other VP roles
- OGM - Monday 17th September at 6:30pm in the Law Theatre!!!!

- Elections coming up
 - Please let Julia know if you have ideas about making them more accessible
- Welcome to Michelle (new Publicity Director)

Competitions

- Thank you to everyone for filling out the roster
- August 25th - closing date for Law and Technology Moot
 - Need more applications!

Careers

- Had research event with the library
- Mock interviews went well
 - Going to follow up with ANU Careers

Events

- Law Ball
 - Roster up now on Slack!

Education

- Small event during NAIDOC Week
 - Went well
- Dealing with ongoing education issues
- Met with Sub Dean about the Exam Database
 - Open to innovative ideas about how we can provide resources for students
 - CoL have a lot of issues with written answers
 - Going to reach out through ALSA network to other LSAs
- Getting Indigenous Cultural Competency letter ready to take to Sally

Social Justice

- WIL Breakfast
 - Went really well
- SJ Careers and Social Justice Dinner coming up

Finance

- Nothing to report