

Faculty Representatives Termly Report

2017-18

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Faculty Priorities:

After attending and contributing to several Faculty and departmental meetings, I have come to the conclusion that space continues to be an ongoing issue as well as library resources.

Some minor issues still exist including interdisciplinary programs prioritizing students within their host department instead of taking a more egalitarian approach.

Meetings in the Faculty:

I attended the Joint Faculty Meetings on the 31 October, 29 November, and the 12 December. The discussions were nuanced and varied consisting of a proposal of a new undergraduate degree, personal tutoring amendments, student survey results, UCL East, online education, and library problems and solutions.

The Faculty welcomes student feedback, and my points about CMII degree, space, and library resources were well received. Mr. Ashley Doolan assisted us Faculty representatives immensely to get our points across.

Meetings with the Union:

I attended Union Council on the 23 November and the Faculty Rep Forum on 29 November. The Union's boycott of student surveys directly affects the data sent to the JFC. Since the JFC fared poorly in the most recent survey, they hope that students do not boycott surveys this year so that the data is representative and meaningful.

Other comments:

Faculty representatives in the JFC like myself would love more student feedback. Please do get in touch if there's a pressing issue. I do all the outreach I can, but I always welcome direct contact.