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1. Opening

Van Beek opens the meeting at 15:30.

2. Announcements

- Dijkman, Lenz and Peper are absent. Sjoerd Baerts attents the PV as a guest. Aslan is absent and impowered Van Beek to speak on his behalf.
 - 3. Mail & Action points

The mail is discussed and the action list is updated.

4. Confirming minutes October 16nd

The minutes of 191016 are discussed and adopted.

5. Confirming agenda

The agenda is discussed and confirmed.

6. Delegate update

- The council discusses Kirli's weekly update and matters surrounding the CSR are discussed. His notes state as follows:
 - We decided to spare 1 hour and 20 minutes of our PV to a session focused on tackling the internal communication problems. It ended up being to 2 hours and I was late to our PV. Sorry about that.
 - Another topic that we got to discuss at last PV was catering. Luca and Maya
 presented the possible changes that we can push for at cafeterias. We discussed
 them and delegated Maya and Luca to handle the logistics.
 - Language Offer 2 of INTT is coming to the PV. As I informed you in my previous updates, CSR and INTT collaborated on a language course specifically designed for CSR members. They offered us two courses: one for new CSR members next year, and one for current CSR members. Offer 2 (for current members) are coming to the PV for approval.
 - Roos of FdR prepared an informing meeting piece on Van Rijn Report. CSR will get to discuss the topic for the next 3 weeks.
 - After realizing that UB 24/7 idea is too expensive, O&F Committee is bringing up a new idea to the PV; extended opening hours. There are different options to follow when we are talking about extending the opening hours. In order to tackle with possible questions and concerns, CSR will be looking into these options.
 - \circ The case of the Turkish student was a public one for all. On Thursday, I was informed by the vice chair of FSR FEB on the situation. As you have seen, FSR FEB



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- AND FSR FMG started an initiative on the issue. 0&0 Committee decided to let the DB investigate the situation first before taking a public stance.
 - o We will start the BOB-Cycle for Budget tomorrow.
 - After long and heated discussions, O&F Committee is bringing sustainability file to the PV, and starting the process to take an official stance on the issue.
 - o Last but not least, Social Safety is joining the BOB-Cycle starting from this week.

There are no further questions concerning the CSR update. About van Rijn Kirli says that until 2022, the university will not lose any money because the budget doesn't change (due to an exchange between HvA and UvA). From 2022 on there will be a deteriation of approx. 2 million a year. The CvB did not agree with the budget for beta and they consider the option to label every single coarse as beta so there can't be an exchange of money within the university depending on the discipline only.

7. Social media update

Van Beek informs the council on recent and upcoming social media posts. The council agrees that Aslan should spend at least 15 euro's on the facebookpage [ACTION].

8. Golden age track advice request

The council discusses Valkenburg's and Aslan meeting piece concerning the Golden Age advice request. Valkenburg says that most of the arguments are being presented in the letter. Nevertheless, he has a remark about the point on how 'not all options for sustainable continuation have been investigated' and he suggests this should be supported by an example. Kirli also likes the letter and the argumentation behind it. Chiappino says that she wants to incorporate the point that this master could be used as a pilot for HiC. Van Beek finds this unnecessary and states that this can be reserved for a conversation but should not be implemented not in the letter. Chiappino proposes the argument of changing the beeldvorming of the track. Valkenburg confirms that he will add to the letter that the council has not looked at the image or the name change of the track. Van Beek wants to do a temperature check about the letter. The council is overwhelmingly in favor. Kirli says that the argument of the Golden Age as an unique track is reprehensible and he doesn't want to glorify this track because it is a specialism about a time of wealth from colonization. Chiappino says that what goes wrong with this track is that this subject can be used to discuss these kind of things (eg. colonialism). Kirli says that this debate should be the focus point in the track and must be integrated into a new way where it can be discussed to tackle the big discourses on top of them. Van Beek is in favor of incorporating Kirli's point that the track should be focusing on decolonization and stimulating the discussion about things such as slavery. The council also wants to change the name in the whole letter, except for the first sentence because the track is called the Golden Age.



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The letter is modified in the break by Valkenburg. The council is in favor and the proposed letter is adopted. The Golden Age Advise letter will be signed and send to the board.

9. HR

The council discusses the final version of the new HR and votes on it. Van Beek states that the HR is going to be translated as soon as possible. There are no questions about the document. Point 10.1 is discussed about not reading the meeting pieces and guarantee the confidentiality of it. A vote has been casted on whether to implement the changes in HR or not. The council is in favor of the new HR and the modifications are adopted.

10. Faculty budget

Division research 60:40: The council discusses Chiappino's meeting piece concerning the faculty budget (*oordeelvormende fase*). She says that the faculty chooses to be a research based faculty and she wants to stress that this research has to be more visible. Therefore, she advocates to to implement the research into the education. Kirli informs about another system where PHD students take the role as teachers. FEB has the same system and he doesn't like this. He wants to have a professional teachers working for Humanities. Chiappino says that the discussion is more about that the teachers which are working now who can use their research more in their classes. Valkenburg proposes that the DB presents a plan for this topic about research and he wants to discuss how to write this down. At the OV this will be asked to the board.

Sustainable Humanities: Chiappino wants the FSR to demand the board on a deadline on when they are going to decide on this. Kirli says that greenpapers will be included into it in the future and this could be implied on a faculty level.

Diversity officer: Chiappino says that from the 10.000 euro's only 450 euro's is spend and she asks if the money should be spend, how it would be spend and if the council wants to draft a plan about how the diversity officer will spend his money this year. Tiel says she wants a begroting on this. Van Beek states that he wants to know what happened with the money that isn't spend (does it accumulate or not?) or if it is spend somewhere else. Chiappino will check this. Van Beek states that students should be informed about the possibilities this budget can offer for diversity, so they can also ask for money for projects from the diversity officer.

HiC: Chiappino asks if the council wants to be more involved in this project and if they want some conditions for the spending of the money. Van Beek says they should be involved. Kirli asks for a workgroup. Van Beek says that Don and the other kwartiermaker will formulate a plan which will be presented. Valkenburg says that they presented the first example of the plan and it will come soon. The next question of the piece is if the council wants an evaluation at the end of the year how the money is spend. Van Beek is in favor.

Internationalization: Chiappino says that the whole faculty is very dependent on internationalization. She wants to know if the faculty does enough to get Dutch students, and if





yes, what they do. Also she wants to know if they should have reserved more money for study advisors in the budget. Valkenburg wants to know how the money for the promotion is been spend and for example, if is it targeting international students only. Kirli says he gets a lot of advertisement and the faculty should stop depending on international students money. Chiappino says that she has been told during the budget meeting that there is not a big profit marge because the money they get is the same for Dutch students as it is for foreign students and that there isn't enough profit for the money. She says it is a problem that Dutch students are not as interested in Humanities as foreign students. Kirli says that there is a 6000 euro's tuition fee difference for foreign students, so it does matter. Van Beek says that there is also a bigger pool of international students. Van Beek wants a general plan on internationalization and he asks if the faculty wants to have more international students or not. Valkenburg states that he wants a thorough plan for the future of tutoring before we can agree to allocate extra funding.

11. 2020 elections

The council discusses the CSR's proposal concerning the 2020 elections and vote on it. Kirli asks if the council can go date by date to see if there is something problematic. Valkenburg says that there should not be an exam week during election week. Chiappino will check if the dates goes well together with the academic agenda [ACTION]. Kirli presents some arguments of CSR for their choice of dates. Van Beek says that last year the Central Voting Bureau (CBS) didn't promote the elections. Valkenburg states it is only their job to execute them, but last year some things went wrong during this execution. Aslan has a meeting with Hahae about elections 2020 [ACTION]. Tiel leaves the meeting at 16:49 and mandates Valkenburg.

12. Honors

The council discusses Kirli's meeting piece concerning Honors. Kirli says he talked to Nuria and she told him about two options for honors which are listed in the piece. The first option is abolishing Honours and the second option is re-branding the program as an 'Honorary Research practicum and Interdisciplinarity Program'. Valkenburg says that the second option is what the board can work with because they already said that abolishing is not an option but that the the council nevertheless, should send the piece to the board for the OV discussion. Kirli also has an third option namely to change the Honors into a research practicum and interdisciplinarity Minor. Van Beek prefers to abolish Honors because he says that the program can't go on in its current state and that the other two proposes are not an option for him. Kirli says that the main idea about Honors is to promote interdisciplinary programs and he says that the third option offers a decrease of the workload. Valkenburg says that the board will not agree on this option. The idea for Honors is that it is available for students with high grades to upgrade their study and therefore they follow an Honors with an interdisciplinary topic. Kirli says that Honors as a minor would be a better idea. Valkenburg wants to propose the meeting piece as a memo and discuss it with Vaessens. Kirli wants to take an official stance on this and he will write this





memo where after the council sends it for the OV [ACTION]. Chiappino summarizes that the council wants to abolish Honors and make a minor out of the program. If the DB doesn't agree, they will propose the third point. Valkenburg says the suggestions should be very practical to speed up implementation.

13. Quality funding

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Chiappino wants to incorporate in the letter that the money shouldn't go into research time and if it goes to research, there should be a plan about research being more visible in the begroting. Van Beek says that the NVAO has guidelines which can be used to make this request but he can remove this point. Valkenburg wants to ask Marian that the deadline is extended to after the FSR PV. He also states that the letter should have more body, he wants to ask Roeland to help with the letter and they might extent on it. Valkenburg misses the leaking away of money in the letter and how it vade away into the bureaucratic system. Van Beek will incorporate the changes and send it to Roeland [ACTION]. Valkenburg requests Marian to extend the deadline for the quality funding [ACTION].

14. Agenda for upcoming meetings

The Agenda for the following week with its coming meetings is discussed and representation ensured.

15. Other concerns (Wvttk.)

- 167 *File update Dijkman:* Will be postponed until next week.
- 168 *OV date:* Valkenberg will make a living document about the OV [ACTION].
- 169 Grading term (OER-A): The council agrees with the proposal about the changes. Valkenburg
- will makes a memo concerning the Grading term (OER-A)[ACTION].
- 171 FNV: The council considers whether or not to support the action. Van Beek says this is not an
- option but that they can vote in the name of TOF.

16. Final points

173 There are no Final points to be made.

17. Action points

174 There are no other Action points to be added to the list.

18. Closing

175 Van Beek closes the meeting at 17:43.

Besluiten

176 191023-01 Tjibbe Valkenburg is a backup for the solicitation commission.





177	191023-02	The FSR FGw 2019-20 is in favor of signing and sending the Golden Age
178	101022 02	Advise letter to the board.
179	191023-03	The FSR FGw 2019-20 is in favor of their new HR.
	Actielijst	
180	190904-01	Van Beek and Kirli write a PV MP about humanities relation concerning the
181		van Rijnrapport and the budget cuts.
182	190911-03	A meeting is planned to talk about the expectations of the council.
183	190911-05	The AS makes a schedule of the active members for the secretariat
184		(concerning future appointments).
185	190925-03	The AS makes an appointment with the technical-chair (Kat) concerning next
186		OV (PV voor de 30e).
187	191001-11	Telegram as a communication is postponed and will be discussed.
188	191001-14	Everyone will fill in the Cobo schedule.
189	191009-03	Lenz wordt ingewerkt.
190	191009-04	Chiappino sends the inwerkmap to Lenz.
191	191009-05	Dijkman informs the council about her files the next PV.
192	191009-08	Kirli will write an information piece about the unsullicted advice for the 16th.
193	191009-09	Lenz and Van Beek write a proposal concerning niveleren equality and
194		printing for an upcoming PV 30th.
195	191009-10	Van Beek will send an email to the councilors to remind them to fill in the
196		CoBo document.
197	191009-11	Kirli makes a list with Nuria about what Weerman can change in the Honors
198		program for the 16th.
199	191016-01	Aslan makes a plan regarding student newsletter and planning.
200	191016-02	Chiappino reageert op Pjotr omtrent Advies begroting (voor 6 november).
201	191016-03	Chiappino mailt Gerwin over de aanwezigheid bij de PV.
202	190916-04	The AS plans a new meeting to talk about the expectations of the council.
203	190916-05	The council will invite their friends to like the facebook page
204	190916-06	Valkenburg and Aslan make a concept advise about this topic for the next PV
205		about the Golden Age track.
206	190916-07	Tiel will adjust point 10.1 and adds that violations must occur repeatedly.
207	190916-08	Chiappino will add 10.3 to the HR as discussed during the PV.
208	190916-09	Kirli sends the link to the council to translate academic documents.
209	190916-10	Thirza makes sure the HR is translated.
210	190916-13	Freya and Nicolle will meet about AS expectation.
211	190916-14	Rijk will call marian about vervolgoverleg (nieuwe opzet bijeenkomst van 23
212		oktober).





213	190916-15	On the 30st of October everyone has written 100-200 words for					
214		facebook/wandkrant about themselves and send it to Devrim.					
215	190916-16	Chiappino and Kirli will propose a plan to Tiel and Valkenburg concerning					
216		being a member of the solicitation committee.					
217	191023-01	Aslan should spend at least 15 euro's on the Facebook page.					
218	191023-02	Chiappino will check if the 2020 election dates fit within the academic agenda.					
219	191023-03	Aslan has a meeting with Hahae about elections 2020.					
220	191023-04	Kirli and Valkenburg will write a memo on Honours and the council sends it to					
221		the DB via Nicolle before the weekend.					
222	191023-05	Van Beek will incorporate the changes to the letter on quality funding					
223		and sends it to Roeland.					
224	191023-06	Valkenburg requests Marian to extend the deadline for the quality funding.					
225	191023-08	Valkenberg will make a living document about the OV and everybody fills it in					
226		before next PV.					
227	191023-09	Valkenburg will makes a memo concerning the Grading term (OER-A).					
	Pro memori						
228	190904-01	When communicating, the AS must always be placed in the cc.					
229	190904-02	Letters must be placed on the Google Drive so that other Council members can					
230		comment.					
231	190904-02	A list of improvements for the Heidag must be prepared for next year.					
232	190904-03	Van Beek asks if Kirli wants to put in the update when he agrees during the					
233		FSR, but the CSR ultimately decides something else.					
234	190904-04	The FSR - DB action list must be discussed for OV's, both internally and during					
235		the preliminary consultation.					
236	190911-01	The technical chairperson always needs to be invited for PV's prior to an OV.					
237	190911-02	The council needs to deliver all documents required for Wednesday's PV to					
238		the AS before Sunday.					
239	190911-02	When the website is renewed we decide who is going to do the minutes.					
240	190911-02	Rijk will send AS a revised new agenda each week.					
241	190925-01	Van Beek rewrites the letter and will send it to the council. The council will					
242		vote on this via email.					
243	190925-02	Dilemma's for the weekly dilemma post on Tuesday (on facebook) can be send					
244		to Aslan.					
245	191001-01	The AS makes sure at the end of the year all private information of the					
246		councilors is deleted.					
247	191009-01	A list is drawn up around the dean's shortcomings regarding 8-8-4.					
248	191016-01	The council works with the following "living" documents:					





249 - Agenda
 250 - CoBo
 251 - FSR Files

252 - <u>Rooster raadsleden</u>

253 190916-05 The council will invite their friends to like the facebook page

