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Minutes of the Plenaire Vergadering (16) of the FSR FMG '23 - '24
Faculty Student Council of the Faculty of Social and behavioural sciences

Date: January 15, 2024

Location: On-site

Present FSR '23-'24: Rachel Ham, Varvara Gorbunova, Diana Andreea Burduja, Kianush Monschau, Sonia Batreja, Elisa V Neiva, Serena Song, Clara Ricci Curbastro Ruiz de Arcaute

Absent FSR '23-24: Vidhi Khandelwal, Samarth Kambli, Julie Nesse Barikmo, Marten van der Pal.

Minutes: Kamyab Moteabbed

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1. Opening

Rachel opens the meeting at 16:13.

Sonia notes that tomorrow is the geography PC, but she cannot go. Rachel notes that Marten can go. The meeting is in English at C5.00 11.00-12.30. Sonia has the agenda and can send it.

Diana notes that Varvara gave her the email of another PC.

Rachel notes that she maybe can go starting next month, but not right now.

2. Announcements

Late arrivals: Serena.

3. Setting the PV minutes

The minutes of PV15 are set.

4. Action Points

The action list is updated.

231012-6: Rachel/Varvara schedules the meeting with the director. (haven't, they start in January)

231215-4: Send out a sheet to all FSR members to determine where and when to have dinner during the evaluation weekend.

240108-3: Rachel asks Angelie to provide the student representatives' contacts of all PCs.

240115-1: Rachel asks if someone can go to the Human Geography PC.

240115-2: For the media, make a half-year recap of the OV's using excerpts from the minutes.

240115-2: Rachel asks Sara and ASVA if they have anyone who wants to act as technical chair for OV3.

5. Mail

Kamyab informs the FSR that the ordered pride keycards are available for pickup. Irem ordered these on October 6th.

Rachel notes that 12 is enough. Clara says that 24 is better.

During the Rojava event, Clara was approached by a person who is part of a group that organizes events regarding both Kurdish culture and more general stuff about diaspora and migrants, and he asked the FSR whether they would be interested in organizing an event.

Rachel responds that linking up with them will be really cool.

Elisa notes that the Rojava event was really good and that the FSR should organize more of such events that the UvA themselves may not think of organizing.

Rachel notes that the budget is plenty and should be spent on this.

6. Updates

Updates delegate to the CSR

No new updates

Updates worker's council

No new updates.

Updates O&F

No new updates.

Updates E&C

No new updates.

Rachel notes that Sara is not available to chair :(. Perhaps Willem can replace her.

Rachel notes that she will ask Sara if she knows a replacement.

7. Setting the agenda

Agenda has been set.

8. Topic 1: FSR Manual

Clara informs and updates on the manual.

Clara notes that it will be done by the end of the month. Everyone needs to go through it. She wants to reach out to different political parties, but she does not know which are relevant. She wants to outline the candidacy procedure for student political parties and will email different parties.

Diana suggests texting the three prominent parties.

Kianush notes that the FSR should at least contact those parties who participated in the FMG in the elections.

Clara wants to avoid candidates wanting to be sponsored or paid.

Sonia asks if the FSR can say no to contributions. Diana responds that we can negotiate.

Clara wants to know what else to add. She wants to make the manual a complete thing.

Diana notes that candidates cannot run as an independents.

9. Topic 2: OV 3 Topics

The FSR discusses the plan for OV topics, and what should the DB bring to the agenda-setting meeting tomorrow.

Diana suggests planning a break in the middle of the agenda and meeting.

Rachel agrees.

Rachel asks if the FSR want to continue the house rules topic, and Elisa says yes.

Clara asks if the dean knows if there will be sit-ins. Elisa responds that they know.

Elisa notes that the FSR should not engage with the mentality that the FSR would organize protests.

Serena notes that the dean knows now.

Elisa will write the meeting piece for house rules and Clara agreed to assist.

Elisa asked where to go with it, she proposed the possibility of focus groups.

Elisa left at 16:51

10. Topic 3: Meeting Pieces

Discuss who will be writing the pieces and set up groups, meeting times, etc.

Rachel recommends spilling into groups for this. The deadline is unsure, but the FSR has only a week, by the 22nd likely.

Rachel notes that topic 1 should go to Poli Sci students.

Topic 2 should go to Communication Science.

Topic 3 should go to Elisa.

Topic 4 should go to Sonia and Diana.

Kianush is flexible and can help out with any topic. Rachel suggests Kianush help with topics 2 and 3.

Rachel will ask Samarth which topics he wants to help with.

Rachel notes that Marten would likely want to the house rules.

For the Political Science numerus fixus, Clara wonders how different skill levels from people with different backgrounds and countries are measured.

11. Topic 4: Evaluation Weekend

Finalize and announce to council when we are doing the weekend, also get updates from the Fun Times Committee

Rachel notes that Samarth will ask us.

12. Topic 5:

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13. Any other business

No other business.

14. Points for the CSR

No points.

15. Points for the Media

Sonia asks who has joined the PR team.

Diana notes that Clara joined. It consists also of Samarth, and Diana.

Clara notes that she will try to put less pressure on Diana, since she is overworked.

Diana asks if Sonia can take the lead, and Sonia agrees.

16. Questions and Closing

No questions.

Rachel closes the meeting at 17:07.

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