



**TU Dublin Students' Union**  
**Student Council Officer Report**  
*Tuarascáil Oifigeach Comhairle na Mac Léinn*  
*Aontas na Mac Leinn, Ollscoil Teicneolaíochta,*  
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**Key Points Since the Last Meeting**  
*Príomhphointí ón gcrúinniú deireanach*

**Dia Daoibh!**  
 Failte arís don Comhairle na Mac Léinn. Tá súil agam go bhfuil sláinte agus athas are gach duine. Since the last SC there has been a lot of work done in the union which I will further discuss below. GRMA mo chairde x

**SHIFT Week!**  
 At our last SC I mentioned how preparations for SHIT Week were well and truly underway. I am happy to report that in my opinion, the week was a success. There was good engagement across all 3 campuses with Blanch coming up trumps by engaging the most which I was delighted to see. Our Aoife Murray workshops were enjoyed by everyone and the quiz sold out which was a resounding success. The only part of the week that didn't go exactly according to plan was the consent workshops which had to be postponed on both City and Tallaght Campus due to a lack of interest. This may be due to the sensitive nature of the content of the workshops and an even bigger effort is going to be put in by myself and head of counselling Catherine Bolger to push these workshops in December. I facilitated x1 Active\* Consent workshop myself in BC and found it to be quite successful.

**Mental Health Week**  
 MHW – led by CC Welfare Officer Aoife Meagher took place from the 18th-22nd October and was a really nice way of easing students back into life on campus. Despite Covid19 restrictions still being in place meaning that the campaign had to be help online, the weeks events went smoothly.

**Social Justice Week (29<sup>th</sup> November-3<sup>rd</sup> December)**  
 Plans for SJW have been finalised this week and we are very excited to have collaborated with the Chaplaincy service on this project. Myself and BC's Chaplain Susan Jones have worked closely on planning what Wednesday the 1<sup>st</sup> of December (World AIDS Day) will look like and we can't wait to share it with both students and staff across TUD.

## Casework

Casework is still tipping along as some students are still trying to find their feet and adapt to life back on campus. As we are heading into the winter months and towards exam/assignment season I am particularly conscious of the added stress/pressure/general feelings of low mood that this may have on students and so I will take this opportunity to remind students that the SU door is always open and there is no problem too big or too small or too strange. There are a plethora of supports available to students both internally and externally and I strongly encourage students to utilize these if needed/wanted.

### Meetings Attended (and Number)

Tinrimh Choistí agus Cruinnithe (agus Líon)

### Priorities for Next Period

Tosaíochtaí don chéad tréimhse eile

MMM x3  
Weekly Welfare Meetings x2  
Organisational Design x2  
Chaplaincy x3  
SJW x2  
CPD x4  
Healthy Campus x1  
Student Issue  
Formal Team Meeting  
Meeting w/ Aoife Murray  
Meeting w/ Lecturer re: policies around racial abuse  
OD – Equality, Diversity & Inclusion

SHIFT Week  
Social Justice Week in collab w/ Chaplaincy  
Mental Health Week  
Online safety campaign  
Facilities (Student space, microwaves, student services)  
Casework

<b>Events/Activities Attended</b> Tinrimh Imeachtaí / Gníomhaíochtaí	<b>Annual Leave Taken</b> Saoire bhliantúil
Chains, Wh1ps & Selfcare Tips x3 SHIFT Quiz Active Consent Training	N/A
<b>Mandates (Complete/In Progress/Uncompleted)</b> Sainorduithe (Déanta / Ar Siúl / Le Déanamh)	<b>Comments</b> Ráitis
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Access Students Info Campaign – In progress</li> <li>2. Period Poverty – In progress</li> <li>3. 3 Black History Month – Complete</li> <li>4. Lobby TUD for pronouns in email signature – In progress</li> <li>5. Lobbying Against CETA – Incomplete</li> <li>6. Constitutional Working Group – In progress</li> <li>7. De-platforming &amp; Rejecting Fascism – Ongoing</li> <li>8. The Abolishment of Discriminatory Blood Donation Deferral – In progress</li> <li>9. T Fund – In progress</li> <li>10. Ammendemnt for Constitution – In progress</li> <li>11. Fairtrade – Incomplete (BC)</li> </ol>	Go raibh maith agat arís!!! 😊
<b>Gifts Received</b> Bronntanais a Fuarthas	<b>Personal Expenses</b> Costaisí phearsanta
N/A	Parking Permit – 80e
<b>Any Other Matters</b> Aon nithe eile	

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