

## TU Dublin Students' Union Student Council Officer Report 23/24

Tuarascáil Oifigeach Comhairle na Mac Léinn Aontas na Mac Leinn, Ollscoil Teicneolaíochta, Baile Átha Cliath 23/24



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#### Key Points of work carried out since last meeting

Príomhphointí ón gcruinniú deireanach

#### Class rep Training

Myself ,the team and our wonderful staff brought over 100 Class Reps to the lovely but confusing Westgrove Hotel in Clane Co. Kildare. We had a variety of Keynote speakers all with different pieces of wisdom to offer our reps. Although the planning to get to this point was oftentimes stressful the reward was a group of happy, empowered and engaged reps leaving the hotel the next day. I want to thank the team for helping facilitate the training, the Student Advisors for the huge amount of admin work they put in and last but not least my right hand man Liam, thank you for being my saving grace, my support and my voice of reason I couldn't have done it without you <3

#### **National Council**

We had the honour of hosting National Council for USI I attended the following working groups

**Education**: Discussed NStEP and their new tool kit for students(it's also very useful for officers), discussed holding a meeting on the 13<sup>th</sup> November to discuss plans around Student Survey.

**Gaeilge:** got to brag about our Wonder PTO Éadaoin for getting the fada on the student cards. Other MO's (Member Organisations) discussed policies they have around the Irish language.

**Dublin Region:** Discussed the joke that is public transport in Dublin and discussed various ways to protest and get some attention to it on a national level.

**Equality and Citizenship**: discussed the various events coming up Pink Training ,Empower and we discussed potential direct action over the sheer lack of healthcare to trans people in Ireland.

#### **Body Acceptance**

I have been working with the counselling service in the university and I have been trained in their body acceptance training and I will be facilitating it myself along with our wonderful welfare lead Abby. I have found the experience very healing for myself personally and I'm excited to aid student on their own Body Acceptance journey.

#### **Student Charter**

I have been in the process of chatting with the team about the student charter that's underway in the Student experience committee that myself and some other officer and union staff sit on with the university. The university are



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keen to have one by the end of the year (woo) however, myself and the team are keen to make sure it serves students and not the university only.			

Meetings Attended (and Number)
Tinrimh Choistí agus Cruinnithe (agus Líon)

Events/Activities Attended Tinrimh Imeachtaí / Gníomhaíochtaí



Aon nithe eile

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FARCx1 HR Subcomitteex1 TUDSU CLG Boardx1 N-TUTORRx1		Class Rep Training Body Acceptance Training	
Gifts Received Bronntanais a Fuarthas		Personal Expenses Costaisí phearsanta	
N/A		N/A	
Additional notes			



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As of the 31st of October I am officially a TU Dublin Graduate (hehe).