**Officer Report | President**

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| **Meeting date:** | 14/1/23 |
| **Meeting of:** | Student Council |
| **Action:** | Approve/Note/discuss |
| **Summary:** | This paper contains a report of the key events, meetings and engagement that I have attended. |
| **Publication** | For publication and circulation to Oxford SU members |

# Section 1 | Priorities for 2022-23

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| **Projects**  Write here a title or name which most closely describes your project | **Progress**  How has this area of work progressed since its commencement or since the last report |
| Cost of Living | * Met with other Sabbatical Officers to discuss demands on cost of living which have been taken to our meeting with the Vice Chancellor * VC gave an update on the situation regarding student support funding |
| SU Rules reform | * Met with the Group chaired by the Returing officer over the weekend to determine terms of reference and divide up what we’ll be working on. |
| Student Experience | * Discussion with VP AccAff and VP Graduates about reaching out to students in PPHs to see how we can better support them as an SU, and see what satisfaction levels are with their experience |
| SU Apathy & Student Engagement | * Met with Head of governance to discuss the term of reference for the new student engagement trustee board sub committee which I will be chairing. This Committee wil look into the work of the SU and how well it engages its students. The TB accepted my recommendation to allow 3 or 4 ordinary students to attend. I hope that JCR president and members of council will take up the opportunity to help advise and scrutinise the SU student engament progress. |
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# Section 2 | Key events, meetings, Students’ Union and media engagement

In this section of the report you will need to update this before each meeting. There’s no need to record every single meeting you have in your diary but put in here all the key meetings or events you may have had with students, union staff, university staff, external agencies, NUS or other SU’s. Keep it short and focus on what the outcomes or impact was as a result of the meeting.

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| **Event, Meeting or Media**    Write here the name of meeting, event, visit or media organisation | **Date** | **Outcomes / Impact**  What was the key outcome or impact of this engagement? |
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| University Council | 6th February | * Various updates from university departments, including a positive development from Humanities Division regarding undergraduate access |
| Meeting the VC | 7th February | * Discussion about progress on hardship funding support and how to communicate to students, graduate rent costs and interdisciplinary degrees |
| JCR Prescom | 7th February | * Unable to attend due to SU Rep Com clash and thus delegated for VP AccAff to attend on my behalf. Took on feedback form the discussion and discussed how SU can help address isues with PresCom Co-Secs |
| Wonkhe Catch Up | 13th February | * Run through of the issues which are affecting the Higher Education sector and a discussion about where Oxford’s situation is within it |
| MCR Academic RepCom | 13th February | * Chaired PG Acadmeic Affiars Rep Com. Discuss the impact of college library facilities pressure, Technology and AI impacts, cost of living and marketisation of education. |
| UCU Rally | 14th February | * Attended UCU Rally in support of striking university staff. Was on hand to ask student questions and concerns. Ha |
| Meeting with NUS VP Liberation and Equality | 14th February | * Met with former Balliol Student and Currnet NUS VP to discuss issues regard NUS representation |
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