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**Australian National University  
Law Students' Society**

**Minutes for Committee Meeting**

*We acknowledge that this meeting is taking place on Indigenous land across Australia, and acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we meet today. We pay our respects to Elders past, present, and emerging.*

**Date:**

**Time:**

**Location:**

**Present: Cian, Bitu, Emmy, Ruby, Mia H, Alex, Hugh, Sam, Mia B, Charli DG**

**Indah, Jasmine, Will C, Jade  
Olly, Gina, Jess, Barbara  
Lara, Hannah M, Joseph, Eloise, Olivia M, Alison  
Ashna, Olivia L, Isabelle  
Sarah, Clea, Amanda  
Thomas, Andreis  
Venni  
Roshan**

**Absent with Apologies: Will J, Hannah B, Charli W, Will K, Aisha, Amy,**

**1. Acknowledgement of Country**

**2. President (Cian)**

- Legal launchpad coming up, firm visits
- Good attendance in meetings and events
- Great success at ALSA
- Submitting application to host Gibbs
- Australian Veterinary Society reached out to us to see if anyone wants to be a trustee

- Feedback form post, please spread the word to up engagement with it

### **3. Administration (Bita)**

- Poorva and Dominique are our new IS and disabilities directors respectively

### **4. Careers (Emmy)**

- Firm visit next Tuesday - Sparke Helmore - please come along!
  - Sponsored our careers guide and clerkship evening
  - Tuesday 9-11am
  - Great grad and paralegal opportunities
  - Deadline for applications is this Thursday
- Both of our careers publications from this year are up on the website now

### **5. Competitions (Ruby)**

- Comps guide going very well, signups for comps will open next week
- 7 August - 12:30-2:00pm BBQ
- Client interview prep has been going well, booking rooms and getting forms ready
  - Will also host a training event in week 4
- External comps
  - Nuremberg moot team WON - as the first Australian team ever!
  - Kirby and Gibbs teams ready to go, they're preparing with Andrew Ray and student coaches
  - Baker McKenzie moot nominations out
  - UNSW wanting to recruit ANU students for their internal comps
    - Yet to discuss
- Mooting
  - Going well, mooting1001 tomorrow night
  - Need to recruit more judges, please reach out
- Negotiations
  - Everything going well, talking with the Maddocks lawyer that did the workshop last year to run another one (otherwise have a recording)
  - Rooms, judges etc sorted

### **6. Education (Mia H)**

- Mooting1001 tomorrow night - for anyone interested in mooting, not just first years
  - Will have QR codes up everywhere and food

### **7. Equity (Alex)**

- Had signups open for IS mentoring - closing Friday
  - Have more mentee applications than mentor applications
- Worked with Hugh with equity tickets for law ball
  - 22 tickets sold!
  - Better visibility and uptake than previous years
- Discussing an international humanitarian law event
- BIPOC
  - Coffee catch up event in week 4 in new ANU sport cafe

- Will see if they're keen to cater an event this week
- Queer
  - Campfire postponed to next Monday

### **8. Events (Hugh)**

- LLB welcome drinks
  - 57 tickets sold and a few tix on the day
  - 1K bar tab finished in 45ish minutes
  - Went well
- JD welcome drinks
  - This friday at Badger
- Law Ball
  - Planning going well
  - No committee discount this year to recover costs and enable more equity tickets

### **9. Finance (Sam)**

- Finance focusing on law ball stuff
- ACNC docs went through without a hitch, some more to file soon

### **10. Social Justice (Mia B)**

- Podcast episode has been posted so check it out
  - With Dr Jessica Hambly
  - On Spotify
- Come to legal launchpad on Tuesday 6 - 7.30pm
  - Law students doing interesting things outside law school, tips and tricks
  - Free food, 90 people interested according to FB
- This Tuesday 6-7pm - LBGTQI+ issues in the law - open to all
  - Gay ANU alumni speaker working as a family lawyer in a Canberra firm which offers at LGBT legal service for lgbt issues in the law panel secured
  - Venue will be confirmed tomorrow

### **11. Sponsorships (Charli)**

Meeting closed: