



10th Plenary Meeting of 2018/2019  
Sunday, February 3, 2019 | 11:45 am  
40 Willcocks St, 2002

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## ATTENDANCE

**Clerk: Hannah Turcotte**

### **Executive Members**

Madison Hönig, President  
Nkemakolam Ogbonna, VP Administration  
Prashansa Atreay, VP Student Life  
Ariel Ho, VP Finance

### **Representatives**

Genevieve Gottschalk, First Year Representative  
Lucy Zuo, First Year Representative  
Keven Qiao, IFP Representative  
Nicole Ng, Mid Year Representative  
Danielle Serra, Mid Year Representative  
Zahra Babrawala, Grad Year Representative  
Nasa Ekeanyanwu, Grad Year Representative  
Mayu Adachi, Off Campus Representative  
Manuela Zapata, Off Campus Representative

### **Commissioners**

John Leung, Athletics Commissioner  
Diana Subron, Athletics Commissioner  
Sharon Ma, Education and Philanthropy  
Mohammed Ali, Equity Commissioner  
Reinald De Leon, Social Commissioner  
Conroy Gomes, Social Commissioner  
Sarim Irfan, Social Commissioner  
Sharon Tung, Social Commissioner

### **Non Voting Members**

Alexia Anand, Advertising Coordinator  
Erica Ly, Bookkeeper  
Stephanie Nguyen, CRO  
Nina Jabbari, DRO  
Emerson Gu, Photographer  
Karel Peters, Social Media Coordinator  
Sharon Ma, UTSU Director  
Arjun Singh, UTSU Director  
Manuela Zapata, UTSU Director  
Daphne Zhuang, Web Designer

## **AGENDA**

### **1. Call to Order**

The meeting is called to order at \_\_\_\_\_.

### **2. Approval of Agenda**

Be it resolved that the February 3 plenary meeting agenda be approved as presented.

#### **MOTION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

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### **3. Approval of the November 25 Meeting Minutes**

Be it resolved that the November 25 plenary meeting minutes be approved as presented.

#### **MOTION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

Carried/Failed

### **4. Approval of the January 13 Meeting Minutes**

Be it resolved that the January 13 plenary meeting minutes be approved as presented.

#### **MOTION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

Carried/Failed

### **5. Executive Reports**

Be it resolved that the following executive reports be approved as presented.

#### **MOTION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

- i. President
- ii. Vice President Administration
- iii. Vice President Finance
- iv. Vice President Student Life

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### **6. Arts and Sciences Students' Union (ASSU) Referendum Endorsement**

Be it resolved that NCSC formally endorses ASSU's 2018-2019 referendum.

#### **MOTION**

MOVED BY: ATREAY

SECONDED BY:

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**7. OSAP/Tuition Cuts Statement**

Be it resolved that NCSC publicly release the statement in Appendix A on the current legislative tuition cuts.

**MOTION**

MOVED BY: ATREAY

SECONDED BY:

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**8. Grad Formal Updates**

**DISCUSSION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

**9. Victoria University Students' Administrative Council (VUSAC) Floor Renaming Endorsement**

Be it resolved that NCSC formally endorses VUSAC's decision to rename the Victoria College residential house and VicOne program, both named after Egerton Ryerson.

**MOTION**

MOVED BY: HONIG

SECONDED BY:

**10. General Meeting**

**DISCUSSION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

**11. Other Business**

- a) **Upcoming Events**
  - i) **SkyZone**
  - ii) **New-vie Night**
- b) **NCSC Bulletin Board**
- c) **Executive Feedback Form**
- d) **Equity Commissioner Meeting**

**12. Adjournment**

Be it resolved that the meeting be adjourned.

**MOTION**

MOVED BY: OGBONNA

SECONDED BY:

Carried/Failed

The meeting is adjourned at \_\_\_\_\_.

## **Appendix A: NCSC Statement on 2019 Tuition Policy Changes**

In light of the recent provincial announcement regarding changes to the Tuition Fee policy which governs universities in Ontario

The policy will be in effect starting September 2019 and will continue for the following two academic years. The policy changes include major funding restructuring to the Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP), non-academic fees, and OSAP repayment periods. Further details continue to emerge through our consultations with administration and fellow student unions.

### **Summary of the Policy Changes**

OSAP Restructuring:

The threshold for OSAP recipients of a combined family income of \$175,000 will be reduced to a combined family income of \$140,000.

Tuition Cuts:

Universities will be required to decrease their tuition fees by 10% and freeze tuition for another year. Universities will be required to make adjustments to makeup for lost revenue.

Opting-out of Compulsory Non-Academic Student Fees:

Non-Academic student fees will no longer be mandatory. This would mean that non-essential student fees would be required to have a opt-out process. Essential fees that will remain mandatory include Walksafe programs, health and counselling services, athletics and recreation and academic support.

We will continue to provide our students with information as we receive and advocate for our students particularly those who are affected by this policy. You are not alone and we will be with every step of the way.

Yours,

The New College Student Council 2018-2019