



Goldsmiths Students' Union Policy

Goldsmiths Students' Union Student Assembly

Motion proposed by Tamara White

Motion Title:

Fairer Representation at NUS Conference.

Union Notes:

We are currently entitled to three delegate places at NUS conference

One of these places is currently given to the president of the SU ex officio, as permitted by NUS.

Union Believes:

Having diverse delegates has greatly benefited conferences such as NUS Women's Conference and NUS LGBT Conference

Having reserved spaces for liberation groups is one approach to increasing involvement.

It is not essential for the president to hold an ex officio place - they may run for election to be a delegate should they wish to.

Union Resolves:

The President no longer hold a ex officio place to NUS National Conference.

That one of our delegate spaces be reserved as a women only delegate position (self-identifying).

That a second delegate space be reserved for a student who defines into another liberation group (BME, disabled, LGBTQ).

The third place (previous ex officio) becomes an open place delegate space in which any student may run.

To commit to this in the upcoming governance review