

CHANGE IN THE ICSMSU CONSTITUTION

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Proposed changes:

- **Removal of one of the ICSMSU Social Secretaries to the standing order – *Passed by ICSMSU Exec on 18th December 2014***
- **Addition of the ICSMSU Sponsorship Officer to the standing order - *Passed by ICSMSU Exec on 18th December 2014***
- **Addition of the ICSMSU Deputy President's responsibilities - *Passed by ICSMSU Exec on 8th January 2015***

Rationale for the removal of one of the ICSMSU Social Secretaries to the standing order

The ICSMSU Exec believes that having two people in this position is not required. After discussion it was agreed that one person could easily achieve the responsibilities.

Rational for the addition of the ICSMSU Sponsorship Officer to the standing order

The ICSMSU Exec believes that this a much needed role. The ICSMSU Exec has had a substantial cut in its funding from grants, therefore it is key that sponsorship is sought. Currently the President and the Treasurer locate sponsorship for the Exec. By having a dedicated officer to search for sponsorship, which very hard to come by as medics aren't as sought out by sponsors in general, the aim is that funding will increase.

ICSMSU clubs & societies have a similar problem with regards to sponsorship. The officer's role will include leasing with big sponsors and linking them to clubs & societies.

Rationale for the addition of the ICSMSU Deputy President's responsibilities

The ICSMSU Deputy President plays a key role within the exec, deputising for the President in his absence and helping the President with various tasks and projects. It should be noticed that the amount the Deputy President achieves varies year on year. It was agreed by the ICSMSU Exec that officer's responsibilities should be more structured, so that the officer has a few clear aims and objectives from the beginning of the year. These additions include:

- Aiding the Treasurer with financial admin through eActivities including approving Purchase Orders and claims
- Organising the annual awareness campaign with the ICSMSU Welfare Officer
- Lease with the Entertainments team to organise Freshers' Fortnight, in particularly the ICSM Welcome Dinner

PROPOSAL:

- 1) To pass the ICSMSU Constitution with the presented amendments.**