



Team HISA Perth Newsletter: Feb 2022

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Officer Updates

Perth President

Hi everyone, hope you are all excited for the mid-term break! It seems like only yesterday I was writing the January update!

Earlier this month I co-hosted a Mental Health Event with Maddie, your VPAW, which highlighted the student support services available on campus alongside some brilliant local charities!

I will also be delivering an anti-racism workshop on behalf of HISA at the upcoming staff conference to highlight the importance of equality on campus.



"Don't forget you can stand as a candidate in our upcoming HISA Elections! Visit our website or stop by the Webster to find out more!"

Vice President of Education & Engagement

Hello everyone, I hope you are all looking forward to a well deserved rest. These past few months have truly flown by!

At this month's SRC meeting we explored potential events and opportunities including increased work placements. There was feedback on campus catering as well as how to improve our current email communications with students.

I am delighted to present my updated campus maps with you all! This should hopefully make it easier to navigate your way around campus!

A sample of these can be viewed on the next page and they can be accessed in full on your student myday page!

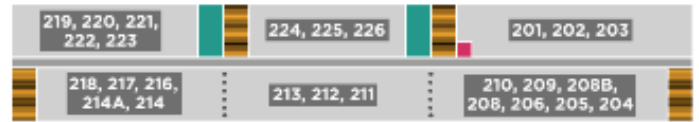


"Stay tuned for some exciting announcements about this years OBI's!"

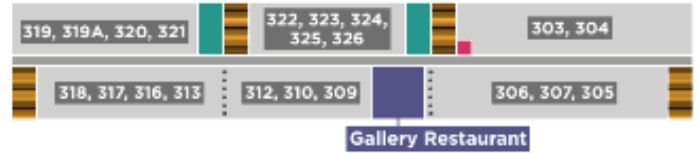
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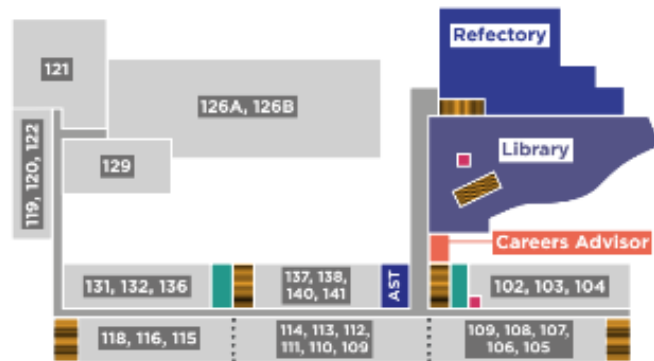
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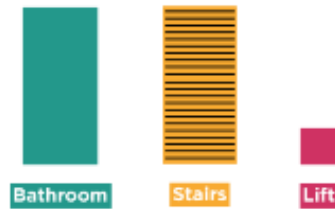
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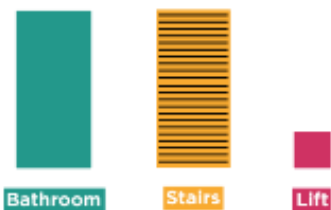
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**Goodlyburn Building
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**Campus Maps
Let us know
your thoughts!**

Vice President of Activities & Welfare



Hi everyone, I hope you are all settled back into campus life and looking forward to a short but much anticipated break!

This month I co-hosted a mental health event with Todor, your Perth President. A massive thank you to our wonderful hospitality students for providing some delicious refreshments!

I also attended the first meeting of the new Scottish College Learners Advisory Group on Mental Health to ensure students are accessing the support they need.

"If you find a heart be sure to bring it to the HISA Office for a sweet Valentines surprise courtesy of HISA Perth!"

Chinese New Year

The Year of the Tiger

The 1st of February 2022 marked the beginning of Chinese New Year, the most important holiday in China which lasts for 16 days and ends with a lantern festival on the 16th.

In China it is often referred to as "**chunjie**" or the Spring Festival. It celebrates the arrival of a new season and the coming harvests, whilst symbolizing new beginnings and opportunities.

The holiday is set in accordance to the Lunar Calendar which means the dates change slightly each year. Each year features a set zodiac animal with 2022 being the Year of the Tiger.

During Chinese New Year children receive lucky red envelopes filled with money to signify fortune transferring from elders to younger generations.



Events Calendar: February 2022

Weekly Student
Drop In

**Every Thursday -
12:45 - 1:45pm**

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HISA Drop In

**Dear Students! Your HISA Perth
President would like to invite you to
chat!**

**Come along and have your lunch with
Todor and ask any questions you might
have about HISA. Or have an informal
chat and get to know your HISA Perth
President**

Every Thursday

12:45 - 1:45

Clubs and Socs
Monthly Drop In

**15th Feb -
12:00 - 1:30pm**

Webster Starbucks

Come and speak with your
VPAW about any issues or
ideas you may have, register
for a club/soc or start your
own!



Covid - 19 Student
Focus Group


22nd Feb

1 - 3pm


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FREE
Snacks
and Drinks!

**What are your
thoughts?**



We want YOUR
views on staying
COVID-19 safe on
campus



**HISA SPRING
QUIZ!**

**2nd of March 2022
From 2pm to 3pm**

Win Prizes!

**Attend Online through MS
Teams!**

**Email Hisa.Perth@uhi.ac.uk and
get your link to participate!**

Spring Quiz

2nd March

2 - 3pm

**Online through
MS Teams**

Hosted by your
Perth President Todor!

Clubs & Socs



Perth Campus

Perth Blizzard (Basketball)



African Caribbean Society

Perth Archaeology & History Society

Regional

UHI Dance Society

UHI Gaming Society

UHI Literature Society

UHI Snow Sports Club

UHI Labour Society



STUDENT ELECTIONS

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Perth Roles

HISA Perth President

Full time role, £17K+ salary, ideal if about to graduate

Depute President Activities and Welfare

10 hours a week, £9.70 p/h, fit around studies

Depute President Education and Engagement

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Regional Roles

HISA President

Vice President Communities

Vice President Education

If you've ever had an idea on how being a student could be better, put your name forward!

www.hisa.uhi.ac.uk/elections

Future Clubs/Socs

The following list are expressions of interest by students who are looking for others to join them in creating a club/society!

Song writing

Volleyball

Badminton

Mature Students

Dungeons & Dragons

**If you are interested in joining any of our existing or future clubs/socs or starting your own please email
HISA.Perth.VPAW@uhi.ac.uk**