

Team HISA Perth Newsletter: Jan 2022



Officer Updates

Perth President



I hope you all enjoyed your time off and are settling back into campus life. I can't believe we are in 2022 already!

Last month I attended the Education Scotland Review and was delighted with the positive feedback we received. The future looks bright and I can't wait to see what new opportunities await HISA Perth in the year ahead.

This month I will be attending our largest annual event HISA Con and finalising the preparations for our upcoming Mental Health Event in February.

"Don't forget you can always come and talk to me at our office in the Webster about any issues or ideas!"



Vice President of Education & Engagement

" Welcome Back Everyone! "

I hope you are all well rested and ready to resume your studies. Semester 2 is fast approaching!

Last month I met with students to launch a visual anti-bullying campaign following feedback from SRC meetings. I would encourage you all to stay positive and support each other during these challenging times.

I am currently in the process of creating an updated student friendly map of our campus. I hope this will reduce confusion especially to those of you who have recently joined us.

"Don't forget to take part in Refreshers to discover all the great opportunities and services Perth College UHI has to offer!"



Vice President of Activities & Welfare

"Happy New Year!"



Last month I met with the newly formed Perth College UHI
Sustainability Group to discuss what we can do to create a more environmentally friendly campus.

This month I spoke with the Senior Management Team about staff and student concerns regarding face coverings. I intend to set up a focus group next month for students and would love to hear your feedback!

"HISA Elections are fast approaching! If you are interested in standing please come and talk to us or visit our website:

www.HISA.uhi.ac.uk"



STUDENT ELECTIONS

TAGHAIDHEAN NAN OILEANACH

2022



Highlands and Islands Students' Association Comann Oileanaich na Gàidhealtachd agus nan Eilean

HISA is an organisation led by students, for students. Every year, students elect from amongst themselves the new leadership team of HISA. This is a great opportunity for you to represent your fellow students and change the student experience for the better.

HISA is the students' association that exists to represent all students in the Highlands and Islands – whatever you study, wherever you study. There are a range of different roles available where you can leave a legacy for students in your region and where you learn.

HISA elected officers represent the voice of students. They sit on the highest decision-making bodies of UHI and its academic partners, meet with local and national politicians, and campaign for change. They do all this to change people's lives.

To become a HISA officer, you don't need to submit a CV, attend an interview or have prior experience. To become an elected HISA officer, all you need is a vision of how being a student can be better, and to secure the support of your fellow students in an election.

To find out more information about standing as a candidate come and talk to us at the Webster or visit our website at: www.HISA.uhi.ac.uk/elections

Events Calendar: January 2022



Our annual conference saw students t submit policies, attend workshops and question MSP's!

Student Voice Reps can vote on policy now - check your emails!



31st Jan - 4th Feb

See next page for events!



Welcome Back Quiz

31st Jan: 12pm - 1pm

A fun way to celebrate the beginning of Semester 2!

Join Us: In Person, Room 319 Brahan Building OR online!

<u>Mental Health Day</u>

2nd Feb:

10 -11:30am OR

2 - 3:30pm in the

Brahan Lecture

Theatre

Co-hosted by your
President and VPAW come
along and hear from some
Mental Health Charities!

Food and Freebies!

Tickets available on the HISA Website!



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





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