Bye-Law: Union Executive

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- 1. The Union Executive will be the Executive Committee of the Union as outlined in Article 32 of the Articles.
- 2. The Union executive shall be comprised of:
 - 2.1. The five Sabbatical Officers
 - 2.2. The senior leadership team of the Students' Union who, for the avoidance of doubt, will not have voting rights
- 3. The Union Executive is responsible for:
 - 3.1. Implementing the policy decisions of Union members made by Referenda or in Union Council
 - 3.2. The day to day direction and financial oversight of the Students' Union, subject to article 31 of the Articles (Delegation of day to day management powers to Chief Executive)
 - 3.3. Representing the Union at all levels of the University, including attending appropriate meetings
 - 3.4. Allocating Sabbatical Officers University Committees
 - 3.5. Allocating a Sabbatical Officer lead responsible for implementing each individual Union policy
 - 3.6. Determining any additional portfolios for Sabbatical Officers
 - 3.7. Setting the priorities of the Sabbatical Officers for the year ahead
 - 3.8. Allocating any campaign budget devolved to it by the Union Council to specific officer priorities.
- 4. At the start of their year in office the Sabbatical Officers (Officer Trustees) will together create a series of individual and collective priorities for their term of office forming their sabbatical officer plan
 - 4.1. These priorities should:
 - 4.1.1. Be created in consultation with student representatives
 - 4.1.2. Reflect the manifestos the Sabbatical Officers were elected on
 - 4.1.3. Include an indication of cost implications and timescales involved
 - 4.2. The Collective Sabbatical officer plan will be presented to the first scrutiny committee of the year.
- 5. The Union Executive will operate as far as possible on a consensus basis
 - 5.1. If it is not possible to reach a consensus a decision will be made by a simple majority vote
- 6. Quorum shall be three voting members.
- 7. Minutes of each executive meeting shall be produced and be available online
- 8. The Union executive may from time to time create a guidance document to cover matters such as the conduct and frequency of meetings of the Union Executive.