



## Implementation of policy

### To discuss

#### Current policy

Up Your Grants Owners: Jamie Smith	To lapse 23 November 2016
WMRW Owners: Grace Anderson	To lapse 23 November 2016
Gender Neutral Toilets Owner: Kathryn Younger and Jamie Smith	To lapse 8 February 2017
Save Our Space Owners: Leigh Rooney and Jamie Smith	To lapse 8 February 2017
We Want The Living Wage Owner: Precious Nwanze	To lapse 8 February 2017
More Owner: Grace Anderson	To lapse 24 April 2017

#### Policy 1: Up Your Grants (to lapse 23 November 2016)

##### Union Resolves:

1. To increase the grant pots by 20% each per year for both Cambridgeshire & Chelmsford campuses.

##### Completed

2. That this increase becomes part of the newly reform Clubs and Societies Bye-Law (currently Bye-Law 5)

##### Not completed/in progress

Action: DL

3. For this money to be sought from Union budgets that do not relate to Clubs and Societies activities and Extra-curricular student experience.

Completed

4. To lobby the University to continue to fund off campus facility hire.

In progress

Action: JS

**Policy 2: Where My Rent Went (WMRW)?** (to lapse 23 November 2016)

**Union Resolves:**

1. To run a campaign to look into support for International students seeking accommodation.

Not completed

Action: GA

2. To work with the local councils on ensuring Admin fees & other fees related to accommodation are all fair and legal within the Private Rented sector.

Not completed

Action: GA

**Policy 3: Gender Neutral Toilets** (to lapse 8 February 2017)

**Union Resolves:**

1. To campaign to Estates and Facilities to create university regulations which ensure that all university owned buildings have at least one accessible GNT.
2. To encourage Estates and Facilities to not only develop GNTs in the future but create or convert toilets that are gender neutral as appropriate.
3. To proactively encourage or co-ordinate a Gender Neutral Toilets Audit of ARU core campuses (Cambridge, Chelmsford and Peterborough) to look into the practicality of converting any gendered toilets to become GNTs.
4. To actively review, amend and change policy on GNTs for future developments such as gendered/non gendered signage of toilets and expanding this policy to accommodate gender neutral single cubical changing room facilities for the gym.

Action: KY/JS

**Policy 4: Save Our Space** (to lapse 8 February 2017)

**Union Resolves:**

1. To lobby the institution for a new multipurpose recreational space on campus and to prioritise student-led activities.

In progress

Action: LR/JS

2. To lobby the institution to guarantee that any space that becomes available will be discussed with the Students' Union as to what its purpose will be.

In progress

Action: LR

3. To gather and use student feedback when making decisions on the use of new space.

In progress

Action: LR/GA/KY/JS/PN

#### **Policy 5: We Want The Living Wage** (to lapse 8 February 2017)

##### **Union Resolves:**

1. To lobby the University to pay all student staff the living wage, and to ensure that any working agreements reflect being paid this wage ex: deductions in rent.
2. For the Students' Union to write a paper to present to relevant University Committees about why they should support the living wage.

In progress

Action: PN

#### **Policy 6: More** (to lapse 24 April 2017)

**Responsible: Grace Anderson, Academic Officer and Selina Burdett, FST Faculty Rep (Cambridge)**

##### **Union Resolves:**

1. Anglia Ruskin SU Resolves to lobby the University for a Policy around how many exams students could be expected to sit in one day.
2. This policy should where possible be no more than one exam a day
3. Where this is not possible the university should ensure a minimum break of 3 hours.

Not completed

Action: GA