

Staff Student Consultative Committee Meeting
Minutes for Meeting No.1 of 2009/2010

Date: 19th October, 2009

Time: 4:00pm

Venue: Rm518A, CYM Physics Building, HKU

Present:

Dr. K.M. Lee (Chairman, Staff Representative)

Dr. X.D. Cui (Staff Representative)

Dr. F.C.C. Ling (Staff Representative)

Prof. J. Wang (Staff Representative)

Mr. Mok Yi Yun (First Year Student Representative)

Mr. Chan Chi Chung (Third Year Student Representative)

Ms. Anna Chen Yuk Nga (Postgraduate Student Representative)

Ms. Li Wing Yi (Physics Society Representative)

Apologies:

Dr. H.S. Wu (Staff Representative)

Mr. Chan Tsz Man (Second Year Student Representative)

Absent:

(1) Confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting

The previous minutes was confirmed as correct.

(2) Matters arising from the previous meeting

Nil.

(3) Comments from the first year student representative.

The first year representative requested to have printer in the computer lab in the 3rd floor of CYM Physics building for the convenience of the students.

Dr. Ling replied that there used to be printers in that room but was removed because of there were cases of abuse by students.

(4) Comments from the second year student representative.

The second year student representative was absent.

(5) Comments from the third year student representative.

The third year student representative had concerns about whether the cost of printing (\$0.1/sheet) in the computer lab could be lowered.

Dr. Cui pointed out that the basic cost of printing is around \$0.2/sheet, therefore the cost of printing was considered reasonable.

Dr. Ling added that printing services used to be free for the students. The cost was added to avoid abuse of the system.

(6) Comments from the postgraduate student representative.

There was no comment from the postgraduate student representative.

(7) Comments from the Physics Society representative

The Physics Society representative raised the issue about whether it was possible for the department to allocate a room for the society.

Dr. Lee said he would raise this issue in the Staff meeting.

Dr. Ling mentioned that the space allocation in the department was very tight due to various reasons. The physics society must have strong reasons why they needed the space in order to get it. He also mentioned that the physics society could try to get space through other means, for example, joining the ICA.

(8) Comments from the staff representatives

Dr. Lee reminded everyone that the Information Day was on the coming Saturday and he thanked the students for all the preparation for the event.

(9) A.O.B.

There was no A.O.B.

(10) Date of the next meeting

The next meeting would be held in November before the Staff meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:23 p.m.

Anna Yuk Nga Chen (Secretary & Postgraduate Student Representative)

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