




nus **lgbt+** **CONFERENCE**

Agenda

5 Mar – 6 Mar 2019 | Sheffield

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Day One

11:30	Registration and Lunch	60 minutes
	You are advised to arrive as early as you can. Voting Credentials and the priority ballot will be issued at Registration.	
12:30	Opening of Business: Announcements, staff protocol, code of conduct & safeguarding	10 minutes
	The Conference administration is carried out by members of NUS staff. Their conduct, and the conduct of delegates towards them, is covered by the Staff Protocol. In this session we will outline a protocol agreement between NUS and the staff trade union so that everyone is clear about procedure. We will also cover Domestic Arrangements, Fire Procedures and Safeguarding details.	
12:40	Delegates Briefing and Training	30 minutes
	The steering committee will deliver an introduction to democratic processes. The Returning Officer or a representative will announce opening and closing times for nominations to committee place elections. Introduction to and adoption of the Agenda The Steering Committee explain this Agenda and Conference formally adopts it. Minutes Minutes of the last Conference are approved Introduction to Policy Lapse Steering will announce that all policy passed at the Conference three years ago will lapse unless an objection is raised.	
13:10	LGBT+ Officers Opening Remarks	10 minutes
	Eden Ladley and Rob Noon will formally open NUS LGBT+ Conference 2019	
13:20	Solidarity Address	30 minutes
13:50	Motions Debate	40 minutes
14:30	Break	15 Minutes
14:30	Deadline: submission of Informal Hustings questions for Full Time Officer candidates	
14:45	Motions Debate	75 Minutes
16:00	LGBT+ Committee Reports Session	30 minutes
	5-minute presentation from NUS-USI representatives followed by 5 minutes where delegates may ask questions. 5-minute presentation from NUS-Wales representatives followed by 5 minutes where delegates may ask questions. 5-minute presentation from NUS-Scotland representatives followed by 5 minutes where delegates may ask questions.	
16:30	Break	15 minutes
16:45	Resume LGBT+ Committee Reports Session	40 minutes
	10-minute presentation from the LGBT+ Officer (Open Place) followed by 10 minutes where delegates may ask questions. 5-minute presentation from the Committee Open Places followed by 5 minutes where delegates may ask questions. 5-minute presentation from NUS LGBT+ Steering Committee followed by 5 minutes where delegates may ask questions.	
17:25	Announcements & Breaks Conference floor closes.	10 minutes
17:30	Deadline: NEC & Steering Committee nominations Deadline: Policy Lapse challenges	
19:30	Gala Dinner and LGBT+ Awards	120 minutes

Day Two

08:45	DEADLINE Challenge to Nominations for Committee and NEC Places	
09:00	Conference Floor Opens	
	Please collect your ballot papers and check out of your room	
09:00	Elections LGBT+ Officer LGBT+ Students' Full Time Officer Open Place x 1 Steering Committee LGBT+ Steering Committee Open Place x 1	
09:45	Women's Caucus	15 Minutes
09:45	The caucus will be asked to formally approve the section of the committee report relevant to the LGBT+ Officer Women's Place Caucus Elections NEC Representative LGBT+ Students' NEC Representative Women's Place x1 Steering Committee LGBT+ Steering Committee Women's Place x 2	
10:00	Motions Debate	60 minutes
11:00	Break	15 minutes
11:15	Workshops	60 minutes
12:15	Lunch	60 minutes
12:15	Deadline: contest policy lapse to Steering Committee	
13:15	Bi+ Students Caucus	15 minutes
13:30	QTIPOC (Queer, Trans and Intersex People of Colour) Students' Caucus	15 minutes
13:45	Further Education Caucus	15 minutes
14:00	Disabled Students Caucus	15 minutes
14:15	Trans Students Caucus	15 minutes
14:30	Ace Students' Caucus	15 minutes
14:45	Polyamory Students' Caucus	15 minutes
15:00	Students' with Caring Responsibilities Caucus	
15:15	Break	
15:30	Policy Lapse	15 minutes
	Policy from the Conference three years prior will lapse unless it is objected from lapsing.	
15:45	Any Other Business	15 minutes
	If any emergency motions are submitted they will be discussed here.	
16:00	Steering Reports	15 minutes
16:15	Closing Remarks	15 minutes
16:30	Close of Conference	