



Grey College MCR

Motion to remodel the MCR Constitution into a series of Standing Orders, with intention to better represent de facto operations of the MCR within College and ensure an effective and efficient committee structure for the future. Effective Oct-2016.

MCR Notes:

1. The MCR is governed by a constitution and held within the wider JCR structure
2. There is some repetition and ambiguity over Officers' roles within the functional running of the MCR and possible miss-categorisation
3. Certain specified activities are precluded by JCR Operations and Constitution

MCR Believes:

1. All MCR Officers should be listed relevant and meaningful duties and position within wider structure
2. MCR governance is most powerful when fitted within the wider JCR structure
3. MCR should maintain independent voting and referenda privileges although this may in future involve use of a JCR website or facility
4. MCR members benefit from access to wider JCR facilities

MCR Resolves to make the following changes:

1. Re-title the constitution as a series of Standing Orders and facilitate alteration as appropriate such as section 10
2. Alter clause 3.5.1 to end 'via the JCR'
3. Insert into clause 5.1.1.2 reference to JCR Executive and JCR Trustees
4. Remove clause 5.1.1.8
5. To clause 5.1.1.9 add reference to work with the college and Social Secretary
6. Retitle section 5.2 Non-Executive Positions
7. Re title 5.2.1 'Fourth Year and Mature Students Representative'
8. Update clause 5.2.3.3 to specify, elections may be run separately or as one election. Returning Officer for the election must specify this clearly.
9. Move contents of Clause 5.2.3 into position as 5.1.6
10. Remove from title 6 the word Executive
11. Add to section 9.4 JCR President
12. Set quorum to 15 members, including committee members. Clauses 6.11.2 7.3, 7.4, 10.2
13. Add to 8.2.5 specific expectation this include Ex-Officio Members
14. Add to section 9 "the MCR shall have a separate bank account"
15. Add a section 5.3 Recognised Ex-Officio Committee Members: JCR President, JCR Representatives Officer, Postgraduate Tutor
16. Renumber accordingly