

# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Students' Union Okanagan of UBC, Local 12 British Columbia Federation of Students  
Executive Committee Meeting, February 9, 2026 at 12:30 pm, UNC105

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## **Executives Present**

Vice-President External

Olivia Lai (chair)

Vice President Finance and Administration

Rajat Arora

Vice-President Internal

Shreya Patnaik

Vice-President Campus Life

Ashley Kyei-Badu

## **Executives Absent**

President

Peter Idoko

## **Staff Present**

General Manager

Jason Evans

Operational Manager

Mike Ouellet

Governance Coordinator

Lijie Qiu

## 1. CALLED TO ORDER AT 12:37 P.M.

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TERRITORY

We would like to acknowledge that we are on the traditional, ancestral territory of the Okanagan Nation. We would like to recognize that learning happened in this place long before this institution was established. It is important to understand the privilege we hold to be living, working, and learning on Syilx territory.

## 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA AND REVIEW OF MEMBERSHIP

26/02/09.01

Patnaik/Kyei-Badu

Be it resolved that the agenda be adopted.

Patnaik/Lai

Be it resolved that "Acknowledgement for Mike" be added.

Amendment carried.

Carried as amended.

## 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

26/02/09.02

Patnaik/Kyei-Badu

Be it resolved that the minutes of meetings held January 23<sup>rd</sup> and January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026 be adopted.

Carried.

## 4. NEW BUSINESS

### 4.1 Board Report Approval

26/02/09.03

Patnaik/Kyei-Badu

Be it resolved that the January Board of Directors reports be approved:

Name	Title	%/ \$
Akinlade, Kiki	Faculty of Creative & Critical Studies Rep.	100%
Awais, Saadia	Director-at-Large	100%
Bhatia, Tejas	Faculty of Management Rep.	100%
Goel, Jessica	Director-at-Large	100%
Golash, Aaditya	Director-at-Large	100%
Onyewuchi-Ohiri, Donald	Faculty of Applied Sciences Rep.	100%
Osadczuk, Quinlin	Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences Rep.	Tabled
Qually, Naden	Director-at-Large	100%
Trabelsi, Yasmine	Faculty of Science Rep.	Tabled
Wasti, Ali	Faculty of Health & Social Development Rep.	100%

Patnaik/Kyei-Badu

Be it resolved that the approval for Quinlin's and Yasmine's monthly reports be tabled.

Evans stated that he had not received those two reports, which needs further confirmation from the President.

Two reports were tabled.

Carried as amended.

#### **4.2 UPASS**

Evans updated that Aaron and City staff Hailey had tabled for the referendum. The feedback they received from students were positive. The main request from students was the opt-out process. Kyei-Badu acknowledged students' concern, and expressed worry that students may not be fully aware of the consequence should the referendum fail. She recommended having some awareness campaigns. Lai suggested hosting a BBC event to increase the awareness of this referendum. She also recommended that the campaigns committee move their Transit Week initiative earlier to incorporate UPASS referendum messaging. Patnaik proposed holding the event on March 2 right before the opening of the voting period. Executives agreed to have a hotdog BBQ on March 2<sup>nd</sup> from 11am to 3 pm and requested the executives and board members attend. Arora asked about the source of funding for the event. Evans stated that it would be covered by a campaign & referendum budget.

#### **4.3 Acknowledgment of Mike**

Patnaik expressed her appreciation to Ouellet for going beyond his role to help her with clubs.

#### **5. ADJOURNMENT**

Next executive meeting was scheduled for February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9-10 am.

Meeting was adjourned at 12:56 p.m.