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UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEMBERS AND EXECUTIVE BOARD

The University Council is the central participation body of the University of Twente and holds regular consultations with the Executive Board, which enables the University Council to exert influence or give advice on the policy of the University of Twente at a central level. It consists of nine staff members and nine students. The student parties UReka and DAS are represented in the council alongside the staff parties Campus Coalition and List Weppelman.

For the academic year 2022 - 2023 the members of the University Council are:

Employees

Herbert Wormeester (chair), Hanneke Becht, Pieter Boerman, Cynthia Souren, Emile Dopheide, Jacqueline Weppelman, Wilma Dierkes, Roberto Cruz Martinez and Eline Marsman.

Eline will be replaced by Frank Groot during her maternity leave. Frank started this meeting cycle.

Students

Tim Achterkamp, Robin van Zutphen, Maartje van Delden, Aarezo Sha, Fridtjof Otto, Sabin Kerwien Lopez, Milan Gomes, Jaime de Bruijn and Sander van den Berg.

MEETING CYCLE SEPTEMBER 2022

During the plenary [meeting](#) on the 21st of September 2022 a number of important topics were discussed. This newsletter contains a reflection of the discussions on the following topics: the Masterplan Sportsculture, the English Entry requirements at the UT, the Enrolment regulations at the UT, the UT Election regulations for the UC, FC and SC and the application fee from pilot to regular business at the faculty EEMCS.

MASTERPLAN SPORTSCULTURE



growing student numbers

The University Council received an update on the masterplan sports & culture, which aims to keep the sports and culture facilities of the UT up to date with rising demand. The first step considered is the installation of temporary facilities by means of an indoor sports, dancing and gym hall.

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APPLICATION FEE FROM PILOT TO REGULAR BUSINESS AT EEMCS

The UC was presented with [the proposal](#) to turn the application fee pilot, which has been going on for a year, into common practice. The council [agreed](#) with the proposal, as programs could determine themselves if they find the fee needed yes or no. The council had one point, which was that additional effort should be done to refund all students who were part of the pilot, as this was promised to them.

SELECTION MASTER SPECIALISATION POSITIVE CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY AND TECHNOLOGY



Quality programme

The University Council was asked to give advice on the [selection procedure](#) for the Psychology Master specialisation Positive Clinical Psychology and Technology (PCPT). This academic year, it was the first time that selection took place for this specialisation.

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ELECTION REGULATIONS UNIVERSITY COUNCIL, FACULTY COUNCILS AND SERVICE COUNCILS



Uniform rules

The Executive Board presented the University Council for consent the Election Regulations for the election of the University Council, the Faculty Councils and the Service Councils of the UT. It is for the first time that there is one single set of regulations for the election at the different levels and among faculties and service departments.

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ENGLISH ENTRY REQUIREMENTS



Raising the bar

The University Council was presented with a report on the findings of the EB considering the raising of English entry requirements at the UT. Raising them would lead to us having the same requirement as for example TU Delft or TU Eindhoven.

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UT ENROLMENT REGULATIONS



Communication to students

During the September cycle, the Council was presented with the concept Enrolment Regulations for 2023 - 2024 and the concept Selection and Placement Regulations for 2023 - 2024. Although these were not the most exciting documents to review at first glance, it was of course worthwhile to critically assess them.

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