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RETURNING OFFICER'S CERTIFICATE

Under the Maynooth Students' Union Constitution in force as of Thursday 13th March 2025 the elections to positions on the Maynooth Students' Union Executive were duly convened.

As Returning Officer I hereby certify that the election results herein recorded for each position have been verified by me. The successful candidates are indicated hereunder in bold print and designated by asterisk.

I would like to note my appreciation to the Electoral Commission, the Director General, the Leadership & Advocacy Manager, the Content Coordinator, and the Events Coordinator for the work undertaken to ensure that the elections could proceed smoothly.

Richard Hammond S.C. MSU Returning Officer



General Election

for

Maynooth Students' Union Executive

Polling Days – 12 March 2025 & 13 March 2025

Position Results

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Transfer of Votes

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12 & 13 MARCH 2025

POSITION OF MSU PRESIDENT

| Total Poll | 1,702 |
|---------------------|-------|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 1,702 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 852 |

Name of Candidate Elected

Maeve Farrell (2nd Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (4 No) | First Count | Second Count | |
|----------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Number of Votes | | Transfer of INSERT votes and results | |
| Husna BAHDMUS | 525 | (+43) 568 | |
| *Maeve FARRELL | 838 | (+76) 914 | |
| Jack KIERNAN | 304 | -304 | |
| RE-OPEN NOMINATIONS | 35 | -35 | |
| Non-transferable papers | N/a | (+220) 220 | |
| TOTAL | 1,702 | 1,702 | |

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POSITION OF VICE PRESIDENT ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

| Total Poll | 1,487 |
|---------------------|-------|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 1,487 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 744 |
| | |

Name of Candidate Elected Charli Middleton (1st Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (2 No) | First Count |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Number of Votes |
| *Charli MIDDLETON | 1,374 |
| RE-OPEN NOMINATIONS | 113 |
| Non-transferable papers | N/a |
| TOTAL | 1,487 |

12 & 13 MARCH 2025

POSITION OF VICE PRESIDENT WELFARE & EQUALITY

| Total Poll | 1,466 |
|----------------------------|-------|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 1,466 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 734 |

Name of Candidate Elected

Théa Layberry-Ling (1st Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (2 No) | First Count |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Number of Votes |
| *Théa LAYBERRY-LING | 1,372 |
| RE-OPEN NOMINATIONS | 94 |
| Non-transferable papers | N/a |
| TOTAL | 1,466 |

12 & 13 MARCH 2025

POSITION OF VICE PRESIDENT STUDENT LIFE

| Total Poll | 1,555 |
|---------------------|-------|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 1,555 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 778 |
| | |

Name of Candidate Elected

Amina Traboue (1st Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (3 No) | First Count |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Number of Votes |
| *Amina TRABOUE | 1,077 |
| Elle GEORGE | 409 |
| RE-OPEN NOMINATIONS | 69 |
| Non-transferable papers | N/a |
| TOTAL | 1,555 |

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POSITION OF ARTS & HUMANITIES FACULTY CONVENOR

| Total Poll | 488 |
|---------------------|-----|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 488 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 245 |
| | |

Name of Candidate Elected

Jakub Pustulka (1st Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (2 No) | First Count |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Number of Votes |
| *Jakub PUSTULKA | 303 |
| Michael COMER | 185 |
| Non-transferable papers | 0 |
| TOTAL | 488 |

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POSITION OF SOCIAL SCIENCES FACULTY CONVENOR

| Total Poll | 990 |
|---------------------|-----|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 990 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 496 |
| | |

Name of Candidate Elected

Andrew Victory (1st Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (2 No) | First Count |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Number of Votes |
| *Andrew VICTORY | 784 |
| Gareth WHITE | 206 |
| Non-transferable papers | N/a |
| TOTAL | 990 |

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POSITION OF SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FACULTY CONVENOR

| Total Poll | 531 |
|---------------------|-----|
| Spoilt Ballot Paper | Nil |
| Valid Poll | 531 |
| Number of Seats | 1 |
| Quota | 266 |
| | |

Name of Candidate Elected

Goodness Mbala (1st Count)

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES (2 No) | First Count |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Number of Votes |
| *Goodness MBALA | 385 |
| Faderera OWOADE | 146 |
| Non-transferable papers | N/a |
| TOTAL | 531 |

SCHEDULES

LIST OF CANDIDATES ELECTED TO THE MSU EXECUTIVE

| Position | No of Seats | Name of Candidates Elected |
|--|----------------|-------------------------------|
| MSU President | 1 | Maeve FARRELL |
| VP Academic Affairs | 1 | Charli MIDDLETON |
| VP Welfare & Equality | 1 | Théa LAYBERRY-LING |
| VP Student Life | 1 | Amina TRABOUE |
| Arts & Humanities Faculty Convenor | 1 | Jakub PUSTULKA |
| Social Sciences Faculty Convenor | 1 | Andrew VICTORY |
| Science & Engineering Faculty Convenor | 1 | Goodness MBALA |
| St. Patrick's Pontifical University Convenor | 1 | Ellen MCCLEAN * |
| Postgraduate Representative | 1 | Karen DONOHUE * |
| Doctoral Postgraduate Representative | 1 | Midhun MADHU * |
| Equality Officer | 1 | Neepa KHAN * |
| Environmental Officer | 1 | Lily KILMARTIN-GATH * |

^{*} Candidates declared elected as they stood uncontested for the positions to which they were duly nominated.

LIST OF POSITIONS REMAINING VACANT ON THE MSU EXECUTIVE **

| Position | No of Seats |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Oifigeach na Gaeilge | 1 |

^{**} A bye-election will be held in semester one of the next academic year (2025-26) for the position remaining vacant



