

**MONASH UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS SYSTEMS
STAFF/STUDENT MEETING**

Minutes of Meeting 01/06 of the Staff/Student meeting for the Clayton School of Information Technology on Monday 1st May 2006 in room 115, building 63 from 11.00am -12.00pm.

1. ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES.

Present: Mr Richard Schneider (1st Year IBL Student) Andrew Poon (1st Year Coursework Student), Lachlan Grant (2nd Year IBL Student) Graciana Surahadi (3rd Year Coursework Student), Mr Stephen Huxford, Dr Peter Lawrence, Dr Tony Lewis, Mr Ian Martin, Dr Rodney Martin, Dr Nasrin Rahmati, Ms Daisy Seng, Dr Daminda Alahakoon, Mr Gordon Lowe, Dr Ann Nicholson (Chair), Michelle Kozel, Di Mummery

Apologies: Mrs Sue Bedingfield, Ms Fay Maglen, Mr Charles Greif, Dr Ai Cheo Yeo, Mr Dave Hunt, Dr Yen Cheung, Ms Nandita Bhattacharjee, Vicki Morris (2nd Year Coursework Student)

2. WELCOME:

Dr Ann Nicholson, (chair) welcomed all staff and student representatives in attendance at the second meeting in 2006 of the Clayton School of Information Technology staff/student meeting.

3. FIRST YEAR

Reps: Richard Schneider (1st year IBL student) & Andrew Poon (coursework student).

FIT1001 - Disappointed with the time of the test. A 50 minute test with 5 minutes reading time but only had 37 minutes writing time. Assignment marks released 4 weeks after assignment due, should be returned in 2 weeks.

Tutors are not available at advertised consultations times.

Request to have the lecture taped as it is still difficult to hear when people talk (microphone is being used).

FIT1002 - No feedback

FIT1003 - Good feedback

BUS1010/FIT1013 - No issues

BUS1016 - No issues

4. SECOND YEAR

Reps: Lachlan Grant (2nd year IBL student) & Vicki Morris (course work student)

BUS2120 - Students are questioning binary and decimal and outdated subject matter. Computational calculations to be made in long division format however students prefer to use calculators but should get used to long division since calculators are not used in the exam.

Lecture /assignment notes not available on Muso - advised that copies are available from tutor consultations rooms.

Assignment not on MUSO, problem should be now being fixed.

BUS2011 - Problems with assignments on MUSO. Assignment material not available on time, leaving one week to complete assessment.

BUS2020 - No feedback

5. THIRD YEAR.

Graciana Surahadi and Zhigang Liao (course work students)

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BUS3020 - Students starting to enjoy lectures.

BUS3112 - Very happy, lectures concise and clear.

BUS3150 – Similar to a CSE unit. Lecture disorganized needs to be more consistent.

BUS3030 - No comments

BUS3530 - Two assignments due in the final week

BUS3720 - No comments

6. OTHER BUSINESS

Dr Ann Nicholson advised that the minutes of this meeting and the previous meetings would be placed on the website.

7. Next meeting

Next meeting will be on Monday 1st May from 11.00am - 12.00pm in room 115 building 63.

8. Closure

Dr Ann Nicholson closed the meeting at 1.15pm and thanked everyone for their attendance.