

Union Assembly 2025-26 agenda

Date: 30 th April 2026	Time: 6:00pm-8.00pm	Location: Academy 2
<p>Welcome to the agenda for Union Assembly.</p> <p>Please remember to arrive 10 minutes before the meeting is due to start. All Union Assembly meetings will have food and drink provided. You can follow along with the agenda and SU Exec Officer Updates here: The previous agendas for all Union Assembly Meetings can be found here.</p> <p>You Union Assembly Chair for 25/26 is: Ivy Onyechere If you have any questions regarding Union Assembly, please get in touch with them via campaigns.su@manchester.ac.uk</p>		

<i>Pre-Meeting Activity</i>	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>Food and Refreshments available at 5.30pm</i>	
<i>First timers briefing at 5:45</i>	

<i>Welcome & Introductions</i>	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>Welcome to Union Assembly</i>	
<i>Introduction to your Union Assembly Chair</i>	
- <i>Event admin and accessibility.</i>	

<i>General Updates and Follow-Ups</i>	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>A follow-up on the minutes and actions of the previous UA meeting</i>	
<i>An overview of the agenda and items for discussion.</i>	
<i>Policies lapsing in 2025-26</i>	
- <i>International student tuition fees [Lapse date: 03/05/2026]</i>	Policy – International Student Tuition
- <i>Decolonisation and Anti-Racism Action [Lapse date: 03/05/2026]</i>	Policy – Decolonisation and
<i>Please contact campaigns.su@manchester.ac.uk</i>	
<i>An overview of deliberation and decision-making.</i>	

<i>Moving Forward a Student Petition to Rename the Nancy Rothwell Building (40 minutes)</i>	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>Overview of policy</i>	Policy proposal

<i>Roundtable Deliberation and Discussion</i>	
<i>Summaries of Deliberation</i>	
<i>Amendments</i>	
<i>Roundtable Deliberation and Discussion</i>	
<i>Voting on Amendments</i>	

Officer Updates and Questions	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>Updates from the Executive Officer team</i>	<u>Reports</u>
<i>Questions for Officers</i>	

The Students' Union should lobby the university to protect 1-2pm every Friday from timetabled teaching and examinations (40 minutes)	
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Consultation: How the Students' Union should reinvest the £30k freed up through NUS UK membership (20 minutes)	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>Briefing</i>	
<i>Feedback</i>	

Any Other Business and Wrap-Up	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Links/Resources</i>
<i>Feedback</i>	
<i>Date of next Union Assembly</i> - 6 th May	<u>Union Assembly</u>
<i>Thank You and Goodbye!</i>	