



# NUS National Conference 2020

## Agenda

### Monday 30 March – Optional pre-briefings

We'll be holding optional drop-in briefings over Skype with NUS staff and the Democratic Procedures Committee (DPC) to discuss the conference and business. There will be a choice of timeslots and we will make Skype links available ahead of the conference. We're also preparing some videos and briefing information for first time delegates.

### Tuesday 31 March - Elections

<b>09:00</b>	<b>Welcome</b>
	<p><b>Presidential Address:</b> The National President, Zamzam Ibrahim and the Chair of Democratic Procedures Committee, Naa Acquah will welcome delegates to the conference. This will be made available as video and transcript</p> <p><b>Election Speeches:</b> We hear from the candidates for the Positions of National President, Vice President Further Education and Vice President Higher Education Election speeches will be posted online as Videos and Transcripts</p>
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Close of Nominations for DPC Positions</b>
	Nominate yourself here <a href="https://www.nusconnect.org.uk/nus-uk-democratic-conferences/national-conference/elections-stand-for-election">https://www.nusconnect.org.uk/nus-uk-democratic-conferences/national-conference/elections-stand-for-election</a>
<b>17:00</b>	<b>Close of Polls – FTO Elections</b>
	Polls will close in the afternoon allowing enough time for delegates to hear speeches and cast votes. Delegates should ensure they are able to vote (i.e. that we hold the right email address to send them a link to vote) and any problems reported 24 hours before close of polls to <a href="mailto:membership@nus.org.uk">membership@nus.org.uk</a>
<b>09:00 – 17:00</b>	<b>Virtual Information Point</b>
	A <a href="#">virtual information point</a> will be available over skype all day (9.00am – 5.00pm) for any queries. This will be monitored by staff and DPC members. You can also send enquiries to <a href="mailto:membership@nus.org.uk">membership@nus.org.uk</a>

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## Wednesday 1 April – Conference Policy Discussions

<b>10:00</b>	<b>Choose from two live fun warm up activities!</b>
	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"><b>LIVEDJZOOMPARTY</b></p>  <p>DJ and queer activist Harry Gay is 1/3 of anti-fascist DJ collective Glamtifa, running dance parties and a radio show to penetrate London's queer rave scene with some much-needed rowdiness. Bringing you queer pop, raucous dance classics and slaggy house beats. Most importantly he once supported Mutya Buena (the original suga).</p> </div> <div style="width: 10%; text-align: center; font-size: small;">             Download zoom and join at 10am Weds 1 April              Zoom links at <a href="https://conference.nusconnect.org.uk/">https://conference.nusconnect.org.uk/</a> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"><b>LIVEZOOMCHAIR-YOGA</b></p>  <p>Hanna Thomas-Uose is an experienced yoga instructor, activist and digital campaigns consultant. Using a trauma-informed approach, Hanna runs a regular 'Yoga for Activists' program. She'll be leading you through stretches, postures, and breathwork all from the comfort of your chair at home.</p> </div> </div>
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Officer Election result Announcement</b>
	The Deputy Returning Officer will announce the results of the elections for NUS national president, Vice President Further Education and Vice President Higher Education
<b>11:15</b>	<b>Policy Voting</b>
	<p>Policy: We'll publish videos on each of the eight motions, including summaries and speeches for and against.</p> <p>National Scrutiny Council: Speeches will be published for all NSC candidates.</p> <p>Voting: Voting will open for NSC, DPC and Policy votes.</p>
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## Monday 6 April – Close of Polls

<b>12:00</b>	<b>Close of Polls</b>
	Close of polls for NSC, DPC elections and policy voting. Delegates should ensure they are able to vote (i.e. that we hold the right email address to send them a link to vote) and any problems reported 24 hours before close of polls to <a href="mailto:membership@nus.org.uk">membership@nus.org.uk</a>