

## Imperial College Union

### COURT NOMINATIONS (2007/08 ACADEMIC YEAR)

*A note by John Collins, IC Union President*

#### Background

Under Regulation Seven of the new constitution, the Council must appoint nine members of this new Court and nominate a tenth member:

#### *B. Membership*

*4. The Court shall consist of members appointed in the following manner:*

- 1. One member of each Faculty Union elected by the Council, each person being a Full Member of the Union,*
- 2. Three Full Members of the Union nominated by the Executive Committee and approved by the Council,*
- 3. Three Life Members of the Union nominated by the Executive Committee and approved by the Council,*
- 4. One member of the academic, academic-related or senior administrative staff of Imperial College, of a rank equivalent to that of Senior Lecturer or above, nominated by the Council and approved by the Rector.*

#### Nominations to the Court

Council appoints three students on the Executive Committee's recommendation, however if a student wishes to be re-appointed, Executive has no say in this matter.

Two of the three students who were nominated by the Executive Committee last year have indicated that they wish to stay on next year.

The Executive Committee has resolved to nominate **Lara West** to fill the third place on the Union Court. Lara was an elected member of the Court last year and has demonstrated that she is more than capable of successfully fulfilling this role.

#### Decision required

1. To endorse Executive's decision and appoint **Lara West** as an appointed member of the Court.
2. To reappoint **Sebastian Tallents** and **Katherine McGinn** as appointed members of the Court.

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