## **Creation of an International Officer**

Proposed by the Deputy President (Education and Welfare) Seconded by the Representation and Welfare Board

Imperial has a growing number of International Students, almost reaching half of our student population. At present there is no effective representation of International Students in any Committee within the Union. While Imperial provides a service for International Students through the International Office, it does not represent them to College.

The International Officer will be a full Union officer, elected by a cross-campus ballot. They will have a seat on Council and the Representation and Welfare Board.

## **Proposed Standing Orders:**

The International Officer shall:

- i. Be responsible for those issues which specifically relate to International Students and organise relevant educational and training events and briefings, and report accordingly,
- ii. Sit on appropriate Union Committees,
- iii. Represent the Union's views on the relevant College Committees,
- iv. Facilitate an International Student's Forum,
- v. Support International Students' involvement in all relevant areas of Union and College activity,
- vi. Be responsible to the Deputy President (Education and Welfare) for the research and implementation of campaigns relating to International Students,
- v. Carry out such duties as may, from time to time, be laid down by the Council or the Executive Committee.