



UNIVERSITY OF LINCOLN STUDENTS' UNION

Vice President International Report

Presentation for PEASS students

In early July, I have met 42 pre-English language school international students who came for the English programme. I delivered a presentation to introduce the SU and the activities for international students and the services and facilities that we offer to students. They all settled in very well and looking forward to studying in Lincoln.

The 5 weeks Pre-English session students will arrive on the 6th August, there are around 45 of them and I will meet and talk to them when they arrive.

Communicate with the University about airport pick up service

The university are currently offering the airport pick up service in July, August, and September to bring our new international students to Lincoln. From the feedback I have received the same services would be more than welcome by returning students. I have forwarded the suggestion to the university, and they said they be happy to review the service for future years for international students.

UKCISA Funding

UKCISA (UK Council for International Student Affairs) has opened funding applications for Universities and SUs to deliver programmes for international students. With the successful research we did in 2015 for the International Research Project, we are going to apply for funding to use on the recommendation from the results of the research – an International Buddy scheme will be a good way to get started.

The volunteer description for Buddy has been completed and it will go on our website before September for students.

KDU Malaysia students

In July, there were about 15 international students from Malaysia KDU coming to Lincoln for a 2 month exchange programme based In the Lincoln International Business School. We helped LIBS hold a welcome social gathering event for them to welcome them to Lincoln.

NUS - SU18

I also attended the SU18 event in Birmingham alongside other Students Leaders, I have meet the NUS International officers and talked about the ideas with him and the things that I want to achieve for the year ahead, he also agreed that he will be happy to come to Lincoln and talk to the ISA committee in November and work together with us.

Office time

Over the past month, I have been working on my KPIs (Key Performance Indicators) and Ops plan (my targets and plans) for the year as well as doing research and writing the proposal for the International Buddy scheme. I also worked behind the bar in the Engine shed for the world cup England matches, it was a great experience.