

USU's PRESIDENT REPORT:

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August has been a big month of increasing USU's capacity to support our members and further enliven campus life. We welcomed thousands of students back onto campus through our Semester 2 Welcome Fest activities including our sold out Welcome to Sydney party! We also launched Issue 09 for *PULP* now available on stands across campus. USU continues to be dedicated in creating a vibrant, inclusive, and fun campus experience through continuing our existing programs and creating new initiatives to serve our 42,000+ members.

Excitingly, inaugural Festival of Creativity is live and will take place from 18-22 September to celebrate the remarkable creativity of our clubs and societies, artists, and members. I am thankful for the tireless work of USU staff who continue to support the aspirations of Board in implementing student centric initiatives.

After months of planning, consulting with our relevant stakeholders and implementing their feedback in the renovation process, our new Ethnocultural Space is now open. USU is committed to ensuring that our autonomous spaces are fit for purpose and have all the relevant resources for our members who use them.

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President