Minutes Coiste Gnó Meeting (Online) 11/12/2021

Present:

Emer Neville - Uachtarán
Eoin Connolly - Rúnaí
Jack McGinn - Education Officer
Denis Lynch - Welfare Officer
Quinton Kelly - Communications Officer
Mohammad Naeem - Regional Liaison and Support Officer
Kacper Bogalecki - International Officer
Reuban Murray - Uachtarán Oinigh

With Apologies:

Saoirse Exton - Equality Officer Adam Lambe - Leas Uachtarán

Absent:

James O'Muirithe - Oifigeach na Gaeilge Salim Kajani - Sustainability Officer

Minutes by: Eoin Connolly - Rúnaí

Recordings

The Board of Directors has ended the practice of sharing recordings of Coiste Gnó meetings due to significant Child Protection concerns that were not considered when the practice was proposed. The Rúnaí asked the Coiste Gnó if it would be possible for him to continue recording meetings for writing minutes, as they improved minutes significantly. The Coiste Gnó discussed who on the Coiste Gnó would be able to access the recordings and for how long, if just Coiste Gnó members present at the meeting could access them (under EU law individuals have the right to access their data), or just the Rúnaí, and members present could request access, or the whole Coiste Gnó and whether or not they'd be deleted or kept in case something needed to be double checked in the future.

Covid + LC2022

The Coiste Gnó discussed issues around Covid 19 and the Leaving Cert. They held a joint meeting with the ROB on Wednesday the 1st of December to hear their concerns and experience. The substitution crisis in particular is a major concern. The ISSU is in contact with the Department of Education on finding remedies for these issues.

Officer Updates

The meeting was running late and adjourned, Coiste Gnó Officers will have their updates in the MEOW document on the website.