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September GMM Minutes

G.T.D. Bernoulli

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Present: Victoria, Lisa, Anas, Mark, Eline (online), Ádám, Smilte, Irina, Laura, Paula, Pierre, Oualid, Manuel, Hazem, Alan, Eliza, Amanda, Marjan, Aravind

Motion counter: 9

1. Opening

Victoria: We start the meeting at 17:20 on Friday, September 19th. Sorry, it's a bit late.

2. Establishing agenda

Victoria: And now we start with establishing of the agenda. This is the agenda, I don't think it needs further explaining. We will start with the approval of minutes, announcements, and then received documents and then we will go on to the discharge of Board 40. And then we will do discharge and installment of all the committees and committee updates.

3. Approval of minutes

Victoria: Okay, next one. Approval of minutes from last time?
all approve

4. Announcements

a. Upcoming events

Victoria: Okay, for announcements we start with upcoming events. Well, we have the Woktober soon guys. I don't think that that has been fully set on yet, because we have an issue with putting it accidentally on exam season. So we're trying to move it before, so we will let you guys know when that happens. And also we're planning sometime soon Axe Throwing for everyone, which I think it will be nice because soon it will be good weather again and we will take advantage of it.

b. Lounge updates

Victoria: Updates on lounge. I will not give a lot of information, but we're working on it, and it's looking promising. But that is all that I'm going to say, because I believe in jinxing, and I don't want to Jinx it. Because then we end up in NB again. And then locations of snacks. They're still in the master's room. And until we get these lounge, that hopefully comes to us eventually, they will remain there.

5. Received documents

Victoria: Did we receive any documents? No? Okay, no received documents. I see that someone is plotting something over there, but it's not yet so...

refers to the audience that are probably plotting a motion

6. Year 2024-2025

a. Policy plan realization

Victoria: Okay, okay, we go to you guys? *Looks at Board 40*

Smilte: Yes, so we switch.

Lisa: Already?

Victoria: Yeah.

Board 41 takes place in the audience and Board 40 takes their place

Smilte: Okay, well. So hi everyone, we are still board 40. We were the board the year before. So what usually happens during the September GMM is that we give a short overview of our year report. So basically everything that happened in 24-25. So next slide. Yeah, so this is everything that we're gonna cover. So first of all, just very short aims at outcomes. So we wanted to do some like in-lecture promo and tutorial promo for the bachelor's students. Because we were noticed that at the borrels, and those kinds of events, we mostly saw like master's and PhD students. Which is of course very nice but we want to keep growing. So put in a bit of effort for that. And it's nice to see that like the next Board is doing an even more active job at it. And obviously quite a few of them are bachelor's students themselves. So we think that's going to be nicely continued onwards. Then, for committee organization, what we introduced was that we split the committees amongst the Board members so that each of us had a few committees that we specifically were responsible for. Because we wanted some more structure on who's making sure that it's being done, instead of it just being like this general thing that then gets lost somewhere in the meeting minutes. And that worked worked out quite well for us too, I would say, it definitely helped keeping us more on track. And then with the lounge. *sighs* Yes, as covered already a bit, there were many, many, many meetings last year. Especially for the chair meetings during which we would discuss this type of situation.

b. Activities

Smilte: So next, just for all of the activities that happened last year, if you could go one more? Perfect! So education activities, we had quite a few. So we wanted, first of all, in general to have more organization for those. So it was quite a few support sessions. It was also the research info markets that were already done the years prior. What we really introduced was, not just the number of support sessions, but also the number of support sessions done independently. With just Bernoulli organizing it

and not in combination with other associations, so we had a few more of those. And we saw them, especially as a very active way to get Bachelor's students into the association. Because it's one of those things where you become aware of it as you're naturally following a course. And then whoever is interested Bernoulli from that point on can continue to attend, and whoever is not, I would say, is their loss. But it worked out quite well, and I would say, this was mostly Irina's accomplishment as our commissioner of educational affairs. Because that role was established in our year. Finally, long overdue. And it brought some great results. Yeah, so happy with that. Next up we have. I believe, yes, that's from the symposium. *shows a slide about the Bernoulli symposium 24-25* Very successful guys, very fun. I recommend you all go to this year's symposium. Whenever that may happen. You can't really share a lot of the presentations because people talk about some of their personal research stuff. So we were forced to photograph just the attendants. But I quite enjoyed the mix of presenters last year, so I hope that in 25-26 it will be equally as interesting. Next, for career activities. We had in total 4, so we had 3 excursions to Envalior, to Shell and to ExxonMobil, which was in Rotterdam. They do air splitting for those who don't know, just because it's maybe not as famous as the other two. Honestly, I personally quite enjoyed it. And then we had the case study with Exxon Mobile. So that's when somebody from the company comes and basically walks you through a real life scenario of some kind of problem that they may have encountered as one of their plants, and you kind of get to role play an engineer and pretend like you're solving the problem alongside them. It's just nice because like you also get to meet some Bernoulli alumni from those. So the guys were very excited to come visit and see how it's changed and actually present what they've been working on for the past few years. Yeah, I think one of those is from the ExxonMobil, and one of those is from Envalior (*referring to the slides*). Because in Shell they were like very strict about how it's all private and you cannot take any photos on the grounds.

Paula: I have pictures and I was like, please tell me these were legal.

Smilte: We had to like keep those secret guys. Sorry, but that's usually how it goes with visits to those kinds of plants, they don't want a lot of information out there. So we just have some roof photos.

And then next up for our social activities. It also ended up quite well. We have some representatives from committees who took part in those last years. We have Hazem from AC. We have Kevin, and we have, I don't think anyone. Oh, Mark was in lustrum, so lustrum activities also contributed to quite a few events. There's a nice sticker. Aravind for Top30, always a good tradition to upkeep. So yeah, overall, I mean yeah continue with the main traditions. So that's Woktober, Christmas dinner, Top30, the Barbecue, those are there every single year. But as always, we had some of our own that we just thought up on the spot. And again, we had the Lustrum so that added some special events that are not there every single year. But I at least enjoyed it quite a lot, and yeah, I would say was a success. So we have some photos in general, but there's not much to say. It's all in the year report as a nice little overview. Yeah,

the one blurry photo is the one I took at Top30 sorry, guys. *all laughing* There were none in focus from those, but yeah.

c. GMMs Overview

Smilte: And then the GMMs. So these meetings right here. We did every single one we were meant to do. Traditionally, there's 5 of them per year. We had 5, not really much else there to say, that's pretty a standard.

d. Members Overview

Smilte: Next up, I think is the member's overview. So in total new members, 94, so as per usual, the biggest times of influx are the very beginning of the year. So that's like September/ October. So now. And then the next influx usually that we see when a lot of members join is the January February period, when also a lot of let's say PhD members join because they just started. Or maybe they finally got convinced to become part of this. Or like some people who begun their program a bit later. But yeah, we're quite happy with that. Then, we have been seeing that it's finally some younger people are joining. That's good in general. And then the ratio of male to female members. The female ratio is slightly increasing from year to year. It does may not seem like it, but hey, it's getting better. Because if you look at the overall ratios in the next slide. Yeah, it's like a bit lesser. So we're trying to increase that because at least in our year it was like fifty-fifty. So we think it should reflect that in the association. And we're happy to, like, slowly make moves towards that. And then of course, in the general ages, all of the members that are there, you also have some older members that contribute to the total numbers. So that's why along with the PhDs you have some people who perhaps joined when they were themselves in their master's bachelor's. But then, as time went on, they slowly approached the 25-34 territory, and we love them all. Snacks and drinks. We had a few more like free borrels this year. Because due to the absence of a lounge, we really wanted to have some more general group activities that would motivate people to join in, right? So you want to see people show up. So that's why there were slightly less beer sales than we're accustomed to. But that was according to plan, kind of. We have our, almost the same, number of sodas. Yeah, quite a lot of chewing gum going. Honestly, I said technicians. It's just Rick. And that's like the only person getting them. So good for him, I guess. But it was just funny to notice that in general in the data. And then in total we had like 4154 stripes. So we have some hungry, hungry members amongst us. And then yes, guys don't forget to stripe. Okay. There's a difference between free borrels that are free because we want them to be free. And free borrels that ended up being free due, to let's say, unforeseen circumstances. So yeah, we had quite a few of those as well.

Paula: We have a motion.

Smilte: Ah, okay, from whom?

Paula: Yeah, from who is it gonna be...

Smilte: Yeah haha, I wonder.

Paula: *reading out the motion*

Dear Board 40,
when talking about all the wonderful social activities you organize, you accidentally used a picture of Woktober from before your time.

Smilte: No??? Is it?

Paula: F*** no... Ain't no way!

Smilte: Ain't no way.

Paula: *navigating to Woktober slide*

Oh, yeah, he's right.

Everyone laughing

Smilte: Sorry, it's the same picture. It's the same spot. It's the same spot, okay?

Paula: *continues to read motion*

We expect you to be very careful with your end of the year report, so we ask that the chair chug a beer for failing to catch this error in the presentation.

Smilte: Okay, by the way, I haven't chugged anything in like 6 months. I don't know what to tell you. I'll just finish.

Paula: Like old times.

Smilte: No. We're doing, we're doing it simple today.

Paula: This is what full board year teaches you.

Smilte: The power of no, I'm using my veto rights I guess.
starts chugging beer

everyone applauding when it is finished

Smilte: Thank you. I used to be better at this. Sadly, time has passed.

e. Sponsor overview

Smilte: Next up. Yeah, sponsor overview I'll actually let you cover that.
gives the word to Paula

Paula: Okay so, on the left you can see what we expected to get at the beginning of the year based on the initial contacts that we had made. Not only from previous years but also some new contact that we were able to get. Throughout the year, due to unforeseen circumstances, changes in legislation and internal structure of the companies, a lot of this unfortunately filled out. Yeah, so unfortunately, we went from the original €18850 that we expected to get from sponsorship to €12650, which is still below the original goal that we have of 15K. But still we managed to get some new contacts for new years. So a lot of them didn't or weren't able to collaborate with us on our year, but they'll be able to collaborate with the new board. So we are still very happy for that.

gives the word to Laura for the treasurer slides

f. Financial Overview

Laura: Now comes the very boring part and please stay with me or don't, but I do have to go individually through all of this for the record.

Smilte: Guys, it's tradition. Okay, like grab a beer.

Laura: So here we have all of the posts of the budget that Bernoulli has, and in the blue columns, you can see what was expected. So this is based on the budget that was made at the transfer GMM, before my year. And in the white columns, you can see, the end of the year, actual values. So what's important here to look at is the very 2 right columns. And that is the expected difference. And the actual difference. So to go post by post, starting from the consumptionist category. The first consumptions are just the snacks and soft drinks. And you can see we made a higher loss than expected. And this was due to what we suspect is people not striping their purchases correctly. This is also a bit difficult to monitor since we didn't have a lounge. So we didn't have our own space where we could just keep guard of the consumptions and people.

Smilte: Or a computer that you could like log it properly on.

Laura: Yeah, but because we implement this trust based system, we do see some drawbacks.

Paula: No more trust.

Hazem: It's time for a new committee.

Paula: They told us the Dutch were honest, and they're not.

Hazem: Next, police committee.

Laura: Next up, during the free borrels, I have no idea what they were doing during previous years, but you can see that we spent significantly less money on the free borrels. And this wasn't because they weren't well enjoyed. So okay, but we were able to save a lot of money, as you can see. Because of the lack of lounge we didn't organize many coffee hours. I think we did just a couple of them, so we didn't spend the money that was expected to be spent. The beer actually was able also to make a smaller loss than predicted. So people were honest with the beers, but not with the snacks, which says a lot about society.

Smilte: Haha okay. Just continue...

Laura: And then same issue with the not having a lounge and most of our members that are around the department, they're either employed by the university or their PhD students that have free coffee cards. So not a lot of people felt the need for us to brew coffee, so we did not. And next up, we have 'beer of the moment'. You may wonder 'what's the moment?' well, It's just special beers so like now we have different beers. But in our year we had Bavaria beer and anything that was not Bavaria was a special beer. Yeah, and this one we did unfortunately make some loss on. And lastly, the lunch and pizza, so we made one free Wednesday lunch. This was already in depth discussed at previous GMMs, so I wanted to go over it again. Yeah, but we made a loss on this unfortunately. Moving on in the administration costs. Again as we didn't have a lounge, the only office supplies cost that were needed were to purchase a trash can and some trash bags, that was it. We also had some minimal print costs. The reason there's a negative value instead of the zero is because we used university subsidy to cover different posts rather than to cover the print costs from the subsidy. We didn't buy any coffee cups. Since everyone now has their own coffee mugs, it's not needed anymore. For the website accounting program and bank costs. That's when we did use the university subsidy fully, and the costs were, except for the bank costs, all within expectations. ABN AMRO did increase their monthly costs. I won't go into detail. So then we have our board activities. First up was the master's research info session and also the bachelor research info session. Because this is organized with the chemical engineering department's.

Amanda enters

Smilte: Amanda hi!

Laura: Hello!

Smilte: Continue.

Laura: So for this, the department organizes it and we just provide the snacks, and then they reimburse us. So there's no loss or income made on this. We were very

smart with our end of the year barbecue, and we're able to make some savings here by doing smart purchases.

Smilte: A.k.a. going on the bike to the Albert Heijn in Paddepoel.

Laura: 5 times.

Smilte: Because that ended up being a bit better than ordering it through a caterer. Yeah, that was fun.

Hazem: Why are you looking at me?

Laura: No reason.

Hazem: I've also done it like 6 times last night.

Smilte: But it saved money, so it was worth it.

Laura: We went below budget for the themed drinks, which were just like any special borrels with the themed, for example, a Halloween borrel. The lectures and workshops are those organized by the education committee. And those were fully covered by the university. These were lower costs than expected due to a lot of sessions having professors teaching the support sessions. So of course, we don't have to reimburse the professors for their time. For the candidate board, for the consti and the transfer GMM, we went slightly below budget, and we didn't organize a department borrel since we saw that the research groups and the ENTECH department were sort of organizing their own dinners and events. And we didn't want to step into it. So we didn't organize any. Alumni day was part of the Lustrum, and it made 0 difference as predicted. And safety training, we spend less, because only 3 of us attended this safety training.

Smilte: Which is now expired, I think.

Laura: Yes. That is very worth it.

Smilte: Yeah, guys.

Laura: For our own Constitution costs. Consti drinks went below budget. Constant cards went below budget. Constant gifts went below budget. Amazing.

Smilte: That's a good that we went below budget, because me and Laura had such a good time at the Mamamini store and that that was perfect. I would recommend all of the next consti gifts to be from there as well.

Laura: Moving on, please. We have the costs for representation. So for board clothing, we also went slightly below budget. For the ties, we did go over budget because we also ordered ties for our own board member who didn't have a tie, because the previous board member sort of stole...

Smilte: No, it was Mark.

Laura: The previous previous board member sort of stole one? Ish, yeah. And then we also ordered ties for a board 42, which is the board after this board. Uh, where was I? We did no business cards printing for the business gifts. We didn't need the allocated budget. And graduation gifts, we went over budget, because we had a lot of active members graduating during the year and we really made it like a board decision to reward the members that were active in our committees. So, moving on. Committee costs. So GRIR is, for those who don't know, is the community that publishes the magazine. We went below budget because there was one less version being released than usual. The Bernoulli welcoming committee spent exactly as it was supposed to spend. You might think that's a coincidence. Well, I conveniently allocated the university subsidy. The Lustrum also evened out, and this is because any leftover profit that we made was moved to a reservation for the next Lustrum. Because our lustrum was able to sort of use the reservations from 2 lustrum periods since the last lustrum was during COVID and it got canceled. So we had more funds for our lustrum, so now the next lustrum already has funds from us. In our year there was no lustrum book printed, so no costs for this. Obviously we haven't moved to the Feringa building, so no cost. Now, the symposium committee was supposed to not make any loss, and it did have also a reservation in the budget, in the case that there is a loss. However, this reservation was not able to compensate the full loss because the committee received a much higher catering invoice than expected. So they did get enough sponsors and everything university subsidy. But then the final invoice for the catering was just so high that it struck us by surprise. Next up, the activity committee went below budget as Hazem might remember me pushing them to go below budget.

Hazem: For the last singing with Patrizio, I wanted to bring more beer.

Laura: I was like, that's enough.

Hazem: Did it make a difference? No.

Paula: In this country anything is possible.

Smilte: Yeah, land of the free

Laura: Yeah, we had to. Next up, we have the infamous Top30 committee. And this was also already discussed at the previous gmms they made a loss due to some miscommunications with us, previous board and top 30 committee and previous top

30 committee. We have implemented measures to make sure this doesn't happen in the future.

Smilte: But it was fun. That's what I remember from that night. Exactly.

Laura: And then the Bernoulli Goes Fit committee also organized very nice events and was able to go slightly below budget. Everyone is still with me or not anymore? You don't care?

Smilte giggling

Okay, next up we have the active member's costs. We had committee dinners. So guys. If you become part of a committee at the end, there is a committee dinner for free.

Smilte: And committee gifts! Okay?

Laura: And committee gifts. So we were able to spend slightly less for the committee dinner because some people just couldn't attend the dinner. Now, for the committee clothing and committee gifts posts, there was sort of like a switch between the allocated budgets between these 2 posts. Because we did make higher expenses to the committee clothing that was originally approved, which was lower than the 800 you see here. But then we sort of compensated for this by having cheaper committee gifts. So in the end, still, everyone from a committee did get gifts fairly. We had some traveling costs, which were not reimbursed by a sponsor to an excursion. So those were then reimbursed by the university subsidy. We didn't buy any merchandise in our year, so we were able to make a profit and then for the promotion. There was no paid promotion that we would do. So again, you can see in everything that we went below the budget. We had some unfortunate unforeseen causes due to a break in into our NB storage room. Where someone stole a whole Sligro cart with empty beer crates.

Smilte: If you haven't heard about this. Because all of the rooms are like visible from the outside, they had an issue with like some homeless guys, most likely, breaking into a few rooms. Actually, so it ended up being like 3 or 4 associations total who had their rooms broken into to get Statiegeld. And that is still a cost to us, because we lose the empty cans that we return. And we lost the actual cart. So that's not awful, but it was a loss that was unexpected in our year. Just due to the whole NB situation and the university failing to provide proper security measures.

Laura: Yes, lastly, for the incomes. We aimed to get more contributions from the members as opposed to previous years because previous years, their expected income was €1500. So we were able to get almost €2000. Some people did Sternos, and they unsubscribed from the association. Now for the post of Sternos, almost everyone who Sternos add is our member paid the money back. Except for one cent which was just bank charge for the Sternos. Now we have the sponsorship post. You can see that we

weren't able to raise nearly enough as we were predicted. And this was unfortunate. Moving on. We did accrue some interest due to moving our funds from the debitors bank account to the savings account. But it's not crazy amount of interest, and now in the end, you can see that we made a higher loss than expected by around €700. And even though we went below budget on the vast majority of the cost, this was not unfortunately enough to compensate the loss of the sponsorships.

Smilte: For the newcomers, just so because I see some new faces, it's important to make a loss of at least €2000. So that's why the goal is to make a loss, because otherwise you're a company earning money. And that is extra legal problems and taxes and things like that. So that's why the goal is a negative number. Okay? Because I saw some like furrowed brows, when that was brought up.

Laura: I think I will expand on this statement that like we are a nonprofit organization. So we obviously can't make a profit. Now in theory, we could make a 0. However, during the Corona years, because the association's activity was very much diminished, they operated so well that they would have been in profit. But then it was saved up for the upcoming years. So that's why now, for some time, we are able to make a loss. But then towards, I don't know in 5 years' time, we should be aiming for a 0 sum. Questions?

Aravind: I thought the sponsorships were worth €1000 or something?

Smilte: So there's a difference between sponsorships, like 'signs to money to be received', and then the 'money that was received in this year'. Because some of that €2000 is money for the future.

Laura: So it was money that was secured by Paula. So it's counted as her achievement.

Aravind: Okay. And the €1000 was to be paid this year.

Smilte: Yes, exactly.

Paula: And the remaining will go to the new Board.

Smilte: Yeah, so that's like the difference between the 2 numbers.

g. Final Balances

Laura: Other question I saw someone? *having already answered a similar question* Some people do notice the numbers. So we have 2 more things from the finances side to go over. We have some active assets which include our stocks of all the snacks and drinks and beer. We also have some cash. And then the bank accounts. So for the consumptions, because we were very much in a money saving mode during the end of the year because of the sponsorships, we did aim to deplete this stock in order to

generate income for us. So we were very much limiting the purchases of new snacks and drinks towards the end of the year. That's why you can see that the stock has decreased for basically all of the consumptions. Now we have some cash and that one has not been touched by multiple treasurers in a row. So we just trust that it's there. You can see that there were moves from the savings account and the bank account. So now we have a higher balance in the savings account so that we can be getting more interest. And that's sort of it. Now, there's a funny thing that €180 is supposed to be still owed by a company. However, this is like most likely just accounting mistakes from some treasurers ago. I have gone back 2 years in the accounting system to find this. And it was not in the past 2 years. So it might be 3 years, it might be 10 years ago.

Smilte: We don't know basically. Somebody f***** u* and...

Laura: But in theory, we don't have any companies that are owing us money. Question?

Aravind: You said this €400 of snacks at the end of your year. Where was it over the summer? What are you hiding from us?

Hazem: That's a good question!

people laughing about starvation during summer

Laura: Keep in mind that this includes the rolling carts.

Smilte: And those are a 100 each! Which is crazy. I just needed to like get that off my chest because when I found out how expensive they are, I was shocked. The rolling carts, they're like a 100 each, I could make that for €15.

Laura: Could you? Haha

Smilte: Absolutely.

Paula: We will take you up for that.

Smilte and Laura laughing

Aravind: Another question, how come Board 40 did not make any merchandise? Or did you make it?

Laura: We only made stickers.

Smilte: Because we also began to run out of them and the last stickers were ugly guys. I'm sorry, like the rectangle sticker. Amanda, I'm so sorry. That's just the truth. And

also we saw that we had the leftover merch. That if we ordered new merch, that would just kind of go to waste. Because if you have items from now and you have items from a few years ago, obviously people, if they're going to buy something, they're going to buy the new shiny thing. And that would just be unnecessary losses to the association. And already because we knew that, sadly, the sponsorships didn't turn out according to the goal, we're like, okay, this is one of those areas where we could afford to save on money. To set it our goal to be the selling of the old merch, rather than ordering new.

Laura: So we did originally plan to make new nice merchandise during our year. But because we were in money saving mode, we decided not to go through with it. And we did also try to get rid of the old stock by using it as prizes for some events.

Smilte: Yeah. That was effective.

Laura: Okay, any other questions? Next up, last thing. These are all the passive assets that we have. So there are all the reservations in the accounting system to different posts. So you can see that the Lustrum started with €4000. That was meant to be spent on this year's Lustrum. And we were able to save €1300 for the next Lustrum, which is quite a significant sum. So great. We used up the reservation for the Top30, as they were making a bigger loss. A reservation for a Feringa building stayed the same.

Victoria: I wonder why...

Laura: Yeah... A Lustrum book also wasn't printed during our year, so there wasn't any costs needed here. There was leftover university subsidy from a previous year that was spent in our year. Because with the university's subsidy, you really need to spend everything that they allocate you otherwise for the next years, they will give you less money. There is also some very emergency €300, which we decided to keep for worse situations.

Smilte: If you get broken into again... *everybody laughing* Or any other fun adventures.

Paula: A motion! *Proceeds to read motion.*

Dear Board,

it seems your security could use some work. The association doesn't feel very protected. As a member, we feel very concerned to fix this with Board 40 to share their ideas on how to keep the new lounge safe from future robberies. Other than that, we propose Board 41 to elect the strongest board member to protect the association and take on any potential robbers in case of when we're on fire. We would like this person chug a beer to signify accepting their responsibility.

Kind regards,

Amanda, Majan, Aravind, Kevin and Hazem.

Smilte: Okay, we have a problem in the case that the strongest board member doesn't drink...

Laura: No, but it's for them.

Paula: It's for them ya.

Smilte: Oh I'm sorry, yes.

Paula: They just need to talk to Cover AI people and have them program some little lock thing. That's what you need to do. Just get yourself into the new board of the AI people and have them do some dirty work for you.

Victoria: Or get an extra lock maybe?

Laura: No I think the best idea is to leave and be free forever...

Smilte: Yeah, just let NB go.

Paula: Install cameras.

Smilte: Yeah, we asked about the cameras. Because there are cameras outside the building, and we're like: 'okay, don't those do anything?' And they basically said: 'no'.

Victoria: Wait they don't???

Smilte: They never have.

more talk about who could have done it

Smilte: Do we choose the strongest amongst you? *pointing to Board 41* No you have to choose!

Paula: *outing confused Spanish words*

'Other than that, we propose Board 41 to elect the strongest board member.' Of which Board? Of their Board?

Smilte: Yeah, of their Board.

Victoria: Yeah, because we would have to protect our lounge. I suggest *Ádám* because he does fencing. Does everyone in the Board agree?

Board 41 agreeing and Ádám gets handed a beer

Paula: Oh, he chugged the beer just like that?
round of applause on Ádám having chugged his beer
Okay. you missed it.

Smilte: He finished a very fast chug.

Victoria: He is silently successive.

Laura: Just the last things to finish. The reservation for symposium was used up. And there was a negative reservation made for the ties post, which is because we bought ties in advance for the board 42. Anas, the current treasurer, will have to make this cost to even out the negative as if they have purchased it, then. Is that clear? Doesn't matter. Any questions or that's it from me? *no hands raised*

h. Discharge of Board Krutkyte

Smilte: Oh, beautiful, okay. Okay, guys, next. Does anybody have objections to us being discharged? And if you do... please, please, please let us go.
everyone laughing and joking

Paula: Nobody has a problem, right? *silence*

Smilte: Okay, perfect. Then, you should go ahead and discharge us (*looking at Board 41*). Yeah, so we switch again.

Paula: Wait, there's another motion for us before we leave!

Dear Board,

The year that the board has board poured heart, sould and questionable amounts of beer... As members, we want to congratulate you for the full board year done. Now as we all know, Board life's a bittersweet cocktail with equal parts laughter, paperwork and bullying from the members. To commemorate your journey, we proposed that Board 40 does a Rietadt chug together being hammered out.

Victoria: While being hammered out?

Smilte: Before.

Board 40 preparing for a Rietadt

Board 40 chugging

Board 40 and 41 switch places

Oualid: But how come you are 5 and they are 4?

Victoria: We're 6 actually. We're missing Eline, she's right there (*pointing to the screen*)

Oualid waving to the screen

Victoria: I don't think she can see you.

Aravind: She hasn't moved in the while. It's a bit concerning.

everybody laughing

Victoria: She laughed. Okay, so nobody's against discharging Board Krutkyte? No? Okay, then we can discharge them good job!

round of applause

Victoria: Does everyone approve we do a break for like 10 minutes? *everyone approving* 10 minute break at 6:08!

7. Budget

Victoria: We start the meeting again at 6:23.

Aravind: Uhh, you have to use the hammer. *miraculously hammer has dissapeared*

Victoria: *hammers with bottle* Works no? Makes noise also. Thank you. Okay we start the meeting with a motion which I need you to read (*talking to Lisa*).

Lisa: We've got a motion. Oh s***, we have 2 motions... First one:

Dear Board,

This summer we were left parched. No snacks, no drinks, not even beer. A crime against member wellbeing. Technically Bernoulli had both board 40 and 41 active during this tragic season so responsibility is shared. To prevent us from filing a completely justified lawsuit, we demand that board 40 personally serve us beer after a long break to the members during this GMM. While board 41 must promise never to let the snacks and drinks to run dry again. Should this not be fulfilled? Board 41 will face the consequences at the next GMM.

Signed,

Amanda, Kevin, Alan, Elisa, Smilte, Marjan

Victoria: Okay, we promise.

Lisa: Yes, we can officially promise.

Victoria: I can pinky promise that this will not happen again guys.

Amanda: It's on record.

Lisa: It is on record. Then, the second motion:

Dear Board,

it seems like the security problem is indeed real. Not an hour in, and you have the hammer block stolen. To get it back, you need to be investigator and find out who has them. And chug of course.

Best,

Amanda, Kevin, Alan, Elisa, Smilte, Marjan

Victoria: Okay, you guys realize that the longer that I investigate, the longer we are all here. So maybe you might as well just tell me who took it.

Aravind: I mean, I have all evening

everybody laughing

Victoria: I don't think everyone else here agrees. Laura, I thought you wanted to leave soon? Do you know who took it?

Amanda: You can have friends to help?

Victoria: Do you guys want to look for the hammer, please?

Hazem: This is a good practice for your investigative skills no?

Victoria: I didn't really want those, but thank you.

Hazem: Well, you do need it. Because, as a scientist, you need to be a good investigator.

Victoria: You said I can have friends look into it? Okay, can you guys please look into it? I consider you guys my friends. Eline do you know who took it? You were looking the whole time.

Eline: Do I speak for the motion?

Victoria: Yes.

Eline: Okay, nice! *Starts reading out motion everyone cracking up*

Victoria: Okay, no no, no. We want to know do you know who took the hammer? Guys, please just tell me where it is.

Aravind: Who's backpacks are those? They've been there for a while.

Victoria: Their ours.

Lisa: That's a hint.

Aravind: You're being a bit sneaky and suspicious over there.

Victoria: Us? You think we would steal our own hammer? We would send a motion to ourselves?

Lisa: Someone look in there. Mine is open.

Victoria: I think mine is open as well. *Ádám looking in bags* You're allowed to.

Ádám retrieves hammer from Victoria's backpack, everybody acting surprised

Victoria: Oh my God How did it end up in there?

Aravind: Anas, is it you who stole the hammer?

Anas: That is discrimination. *everyone laughs*

Mark: Racist!

Eline having no clue what is happening and Victoria updating her

Aravind: Do you all have beers by the way?

Amanda; Oh yes, they still need to chug. Where is the chug?

Lisa: I'm not answering that.

Victoria: Where's the what? *Board is handed beers* Oh, but it's so full. But am I the only one drinking? Mark?

Lisa: We need to do it all, but I don't have a fresh beer. Can someone fetch me a fresh one?

more beers are fetched for the Board

Victoria: Okay, are we chugging?
trying to reconnect Eline

Lisa: She also has a motion later.

Victoria: Oh, you also have a motion?

Lisa: Yeah, she got one as well.
them discussing the order of events

Victoria: My bad guys, technical difficulties, this could happen to anyone. Okay, we chug first and then you can do your motion. 1 second. Okay, everyone ready? Yes, okay. Three, two, one.
chugging

Lisa: I need the straw.

Aravind: Just next time be more careful!
Victoria sticking out her tongue

Marjan: Next thing you know, you're getting robbed...

Victoria: Okay, Eline, you want to do your motion now?

Eline: Yes, but did you just do a motion? Did you just chug?

Victoria: Yeah, but now you have to do the one that they send you.

Eline: *proceeds to read aloud motion*

Dear Board 41,

This GMM would like to congratulate you on your first official GMM. However, we do not appreciate to be left waiting. Time is precious, especially our time. To make up for this preposterous mistake, we propose that the board member who was late and the chairman chug a drink.

Best,

Irina, Laura, Smilte, Kevin, Aravind, Marjan, Paula

Victoria: *protesting* How is this my fault? I told him to be on time but I don't have like a transportation machine.

evil noises

Amanda: You're an engineer, fix it.

Aravind: It is one of your responsibilities to bring the transport.

Victoria: You, oh yeah, don't talk to me about responsibilities! I have too many... Okay, Mark you were the one who was late. Thank you very much for this!



Mark: You gotta enjoy it.

Victoria: If I throw up, this is your guy's fault. By the way.

beers are retrieved for Victoria and Mark

Victoria: I keep on chugging my pants are not going to fit anymore.

Laura: That's normal...

Victoria and Mark chugging

Lisa: This is such a cult...

everybody applauding

Victoria: Guys, you're gonna give me a heart attack. Anyway, we move on to the budget.

everyone laughing at Victoria still swallowing beer

Lisa: You got this!

Victoria: We move on to the budget, he goes now.

Anas: So for the budget, as explained by Laura we don't have much expenses over the summer as you guys know. *everyone laughing* So consumption, we have restocked the lounge. So that costs 79. Accounting programs and bankcosts, they are fixed. That will be covered by the university subsidy as well. We go to the next slide please. The board activities one. We don't have any board activities. So that's o.

Victoria: You're great at this. *laughing at the fast pace*

Anas: Constitution gifts. *everyone laughing* We didn't give any €147. That was supposed to be graduation gifts. Board clothing. We bought new suits, that's €984. That's it. Go to the next slide please faster. *going so fast everyone cracks up*

Victoria: Question, question!

Aravind: Just a the general question. Have you been to any consties yet?

Victoria: Yes, one yesterday. Was our first one. *Victoria telling about first consti*

Aravind: Also another question. When are you're having your consti?



Victoria: 10th of November.

Aravind: And when are you inviting us to it?

Victoria: We already sent the invitation if you didn't see it...

Amanda: *explaining Consties are only for (old) Board members.*

Victoria: All board members.

Lisa: I've sent invitations out to other Boards of student associations. I'm really sorry. I also sent them to former board members who are also invited. Those are the people that are invited.

more talk about consti and required security

Victoria: Honestly, we don't need security, but we need an announcer. So if anyone's open to doing that.

Aravind: Don't you need security?

Victoria: We have like seven people already.

Paola: We need somebody with a big voice and can speak Dutch.

Victoria: I feel like Hazem you can do it? Would you? Would you actually?

Hazem: Sure.

Victoria: Amazing!

round of applause for Hazem

Victoria hammering

Victoria: There's no going back now. You said yes.

Aravind: Can I be backup announcer? In case he loses his voice?

Victoria: You can do the stick!

another round of applause

Victoria: It's okay. Also it's good, because no one can brass our stick because it's metal, so it's dangerous. So no one will try to brass it.

Amanda: Put it in the email!

Paola: Yes someone brassed it.

Victoria: Oh, then they didn't read their email correctly.

Lisa: I have put out Save the Dates.

more talk about constitution drinks

Victoria: Anyways, we continue with the budget.

Anas: *moves to a slide that is blank*

Yeah it's empty. Yes, exactly...

Public again cracking up

Victoria: Continue, please.

Anas: *moving to the right slide* We got a sponsorship of €1500 in July. So that would fall in our year. But that was also secured by Paula in the previous year, but we got it. Yes, other than that, we go to the balance. All the numbers have not been changed other than the consumption. We just restocked the consumption and beer. Other than that, we don't have anything. Yeah, this is it. Please go to the next one, faster. Yeah, this is the same from Laura's slide. Because we still have the starting amount same as the ending amount from previous year. And we don't have much changed in any thing. *people laughing*

It's the start of the year guys please?

Victoria: Okay? So we continue with Mark with discharge and installation of committees.

Eline: I've got a motion.

Victoria: Oh, wait, Eline got a motion. Wait 1 second I have to put the volume up.

Hazem: Before you do it, I have a question. Do you have a yearplan?

Victoria: Yes, it was given in the last GMM. Oh, no, wait the year plan do you mean the calendar? Yes, we have one.

Hazem: Do you mind sharing this with me?

Victoria: We will, we will. It's like the draft one, you know.

Hazem: Ah that's perfect, it just helps us organizing.

Victoria: We have that one, yes. Okay, Eline is gonna give her motion. Oh, wait, I don't think we can hear you. *turns up Eline's volume*
Go.

Eline: *Proceeds to read motion*

Dear Board 41,

as the representatives of this wonderful association full of beautiful people, we expect you to know all of our names. The fact that you had to ask us was extremely unbecoming as the board. And we ask that you chug a beer each to make up for this breach of etiquette.

Signed,

Aravind, Kevin, Marjan, Hazem

Victoria: a bit I'm sorry, guys, but it's not for you guys. It's because we have to write it down. And there's some new members.

Paula: A motion is a motion.

Victoria: Paula, I'm sorry, I don't remember going against you when it was your turn. Maybe I should have been a bit rougher! No, no, I will keep it in mind.

Hazem: Oh, yeah, she's serious...

Victoria: Can I just finish the one from before? Cause if I chug another one I will throw up.

Paula: That's okay. You can like sip it quietly.

Aravind: Just finish the one from before and get the new one.

Victoria: Come on, come on. We will see. Okay mark I feel like you also need a beer.

Lisa: This is not fun.

Victoria: No it's not... Oh another one!! *cursing in Spanish*

Lisa: Let's do this one first.

Victoria; Guys, please okay, you want one or no?

Lisa: Uh, yeah I'll take

Victoria: Okay. *Laura puts beer on the table* Thank you Laura we love you. One for Mark as well. Can I ask someone from a committee to do it for me?



Amanda: No.

Victoria: You can do it with me? Thank you for the help though.

Pierre: I'll do one with you.

Aravind: You can do solidarity chugs.

Victoria: Ah, can you chugk-in solidarity with me? Okay! Okay, guys, cheers! Mark, where's your beer? Cheers.

all chug

Victoria: I am never getting home guys. I have to cycle.

Lisa: Are you ready for the next motion Vic?

Victoria: I have to cycle all heels.

Aravind: Since you've just chugged to apologize for the breach in etiquette earlier where you asked us all of our names. Do you now remember all of our names? Can you name everyone in the home?

Victoria: You do it, okay, she's gonna do it.

Lisa: I need to burp first.

Victoria: I need to die first guys.

Lisa: Yeah but our intern is doing a better job with that.

Victoria: Oh, you do it. He knows all of this. He's very good at this.

Aravind: It can be a group effort, of course.

Ádám: I mean we could do that.

Victoria: Okay, he's doing it.

Lisa: Don't do it wrong. I'm not drinking again.

Mark: Should I start?

Pierre, Oualid, Manuel, Hazem, Allan, Eliza. In the back, Paula, Amanda Tiffany Hendra, Marjan, Aravind, Smilte, Irina and Laura.



round of applause

Victoria: Okay, now the second one.

Pierre: How do we put forward these motions?

Victoria: Oh, you just send us a message. You have my number.

Lisa: Noo don't give him the

Victoria: Oh, you sent me one?

Aravind: You have to send it to the external, but...

Lisa: Oh, I thought the secretary.

Victoria: *Reading aloud Pierres motion* You just said 'Motion, drink'. That's not how they work. You have to give me a reason. *everyone laughing*

Lisa: We do have another one though.

Victoria: You didn't sign it so it doesn't count. Wait, okay, let's read the other one.

Lisa: Can I start everyone?

Dear Board,

it seems your treasurer has been somewhat negligent in his bookkeeping. The graduation gifts meant for our precious members somehow ended up with third party boards for consti gifts. And this, of course, is unacceptable and disrespectful towards the members. As for reparations, we propose that both the treasurer and chairman must chug. If they can no longer chug they may appoint another board member, 40 or 41, to perform the act on their behalf.

Victoria: Ohh Paulaaaa...

everyone laughing

Victoria: I told you! *Paula resisting* No, no, no, no, this is what happens when

you get on my bad side. But okay, can we have an alcohol-free one?

Smilte: Yeah.

Victoria: Oh, did we run out of the alcohol-free? Can he chug a Sprite? That feels equally as painful. Okay, Paulaaa. Drink.

Paula: Cheers guys.

both chugging

Paula: I feel like Sprite is a lot worse than this.

Victoria: Anyways, if we're done with the motions, I would like to continue with the meeting.

Lisa: You can do your hammer.

Victoria: *smacks hammer*

8. Discharge/installation of committees

Please, I would like to continue with the meeting. We go with installation and discharge of committees. Please, let's continue. Mark you have the floor.

Mark: Yes, thank you guys. So we'll start with hammering out the EC. Since it wasn't hammered out in the previous GMM. We are hammering out Anna Schuller, Indre Maceikate, Irina Obeada, Latika Aggarwal, and Lisa Mulder.

Lisa: Why? I'm still in the committee?

Victoria: We continue, next committee.

Smilte: Hammer per committee.

Amanda: The point of the hammer is you need to ask people: 'do you guys agree?'

Victoria: Oh, my bad honest mistake. Please don't do a motion out of this.

Aravind: You have to ask people if everyone agrees with the discharging and appointing.

Victoria: Okay, anyways, let's continue.

Mark: Since we are discharging board 41 today. We are also discharging the...

Amanda: You are discharging yourself?

Mark: Yes, I want to now.

Hazem: I think two more emotions and this is not going to work.

Mark: Yeah *laughing*

Victoria: If you keep doing this, this might take a while, and someone might have to take me

Mark: Okay, we are hammering out the previous Bernoulli Welcoming committee, which include Smilte, Irina, Laura and Paula.

Victoria: Anyone disagree? *BWC hammered out.* Motion!
reads aloud new message of Pierre
Dearest Board (whatever the number is),

choose two members of the previous
Board to chug.

Signed,

P

Reason: Vic is being bullied.
I hate you.

no one understanding what is going on

Victoria: That's not how motions work.

Lisa: Denied.

Mark: We veto it.

Victoria: You have to find something wrong with us.

Amanda: Pierre, I'll teach you about motions after this.

GMM cracking up

Victoria; We may continue with the discharging and installation.

Mark: Yes, since we have a lack of enthusiasm in joining the activity committee, I will not discharge the previous members. But I will hammer in new members as we go. And when we have the full activity committee filled in I will discharge the previous members. Of course, they don't have a responsibility of working on the following events, except Woktober. Sorry about that. But I will try my best to fill in the activity committee as soon as possible, due to the lack of members trying to join in. I will try to make more promotion and I'll try to make people join the activity committee as soon as possible.

Hazem: You can already discharge Sander if everybody agrees. Because he already finished and Alan is taking his place.

Mark: Okay, so I will discharge then Sander Bolt, in that case.

Victoria: Everybody agree? Say aye.

All: Aye!

Sander discharged

Lisa: I feel like we are pirates.

Victoria: At this point, I'm drinking like one so...

Lisa: Where's the rum?

Mark: Okay, for hammering in, I will start with the Symposium. So for our symposium, officially, we're hammering in Oualid Afassi, who is present at the GMM. Thank you for joining the committee.

round of applause

Mark: And I'm also hammering in -blank-.

objections about the mentioned member, ultimately concluding they will not participate

Aravind: Just a note for proceeding. People who are newly getting hammered in or hammered out usually chug a beer.

Victoria: Okay, then you chug a cola. *talking to Joaquin*

Mark: But we have another person interested in joining my symposium, but he still didn't respond. So I'm going to wait.

Amanda: Who?

Mark: David, the PhDer.

Smilte: He's not new.

everyone talking about asking David for symposium

Mark: Does everybody agree with hammering in Oualid?

Victoria: Everyone who agrees say aye.

All: Aye.

hammered in

Smilte: Next!

Mark: Okay, we are hammering in new EC members. Starting with Indre Maceikate, Ádám Sülli, who is the chair, Victor Mecheci the secretary, Shruti Sivakumar and Thijs Samuel Dijkman.

Victoria: Everyone who agrees say aye.

All: Aye.

hammered in

Mark: For the AC, we're hammering in a new member. Allan Gabriel Rios Frattaroli, I hope I said your name correctly. *round of applause* I will try to find new members as soon as possible, so please don't be discouraged.

Victoria: Is that it for the AC?

Mark: Uh yes, for the AC that's it.

Victoria: Everyone who agrees say aye.

All: Aye.

hammered in

Hazem: That was so disappointed. *commenting on Vic's attitude*

Victoria: Sorry I will have more energy next time. It's just the 3 beers that you made me chug. They are starting to work my way through me. And I don't want to do a break because then you do another motion. So I'm trying to hold it together. Please let's continue.

Mark: Okay, we have no more people to install.

9. Committee rounds

a. BWC

Victoria: Next slide, please. Go with the updates. Mark take the floor again.

Mark: Okay, so starting with the Bernoulli welcoming committee, we had the introductions for the masters and the bachelor's students. I think it was a success. I personally wasn't present, but my dear board members were present. So from what I understood, we had a very positive reception.

Victoria: I would say for the in Bachelor introduction day, we had a bit of an issue because the Chemische Binding did not want us to be included. So then we tried to do it through the faculty, but accidentally even though the slide and the text was very clear, Alwin introduced us as a master's association. So we did have to reclarify that afterwards even though I sent him a text. But we love him, so it's okay. But yeah, the Masters one was pretty good. I would say, but you can continue.

Mark: Yes, and also regarding the campervans. It took place basically...

Victoria: It was fun. People liked it.

Lisa: We liked it.

Mark: I personally wasn't present.

Victoria: I'm sorry, the strength test! People loved the strength test.

Lisa: People loved that but they were not chemical engineers.

Victoria: We didn't get any joints by that, but it was pretty fun.

Mark: The campervans took place for 3 days, and we also had like different activities during the event, such as face painting and the strength test, which also got positive reception from the participants. So I think it also was a success. Hopefully, we'll get new members from that.

We had also the introduction drinks. Technically, on the side, we had only like a few sign ups, but we got more than 30 people present at the introduction drinks, which I think was a success.

Victoria: Please everyone clap this is our big success.

round of applause

Mark: And we're getting new sign ups from a lot of people. Especially first year students as well, which is a very good thing. Since Bernoulli was mostly advertised as a Master and PhD association. So now that we are including more students, I hope we'll get many more members in the upcoming events.

b. AC

Mark: Regarding the AC, we have a big event called Woktober.

Hazem: I have to live in 10 minutes, so it's very good timing thank you. So yeah, the upcoming events. Right now we booked the Woktober event. And most people know what it is, but for people who don't know what it is... So basically every October we organize an all-you-can-eat, where we invite all members including professors. Last year, it was breaking record-breaking. We got like 120/122 people. I don't remember but...

Smilte: 118.

Hazem: 118? Still record-breaking. And as some of you suggested specifically that we do it again at NiHao, and I think that's our best option all-you-can-eat in Groningen, so we're doing it again. We booked it for the 22nd of October. You can already note it down in your agenda's, but we still are yet to announce it. Because first Mark has upload it on the website and then we will announce it. But it is official that it's upcoming and that's it for now.

Paula: I have a question. Like last year, will you allow to have members outside of Bernoulli, or will you only have Bernoulli members?

Hazem: Good question. Last time we had members from outside Bernoulli for the same price. And we usually said, if you bring a + 1, you can buy two or 3 tickets, or whatever. A little problem though; we don't get subsidies for those people. Another problem: we suffered a little bit from the budget because of that. So in order to put up an extra €100 other things, we decided that members will have the price of €20 and non-members will have a price of €30.

Paula: So non-members will have a higher price?

Hazem: yes.

Smilte: Question, did you specify with the venue that you want to be in the main hall? Rather than the awkward space that they put us in last time?

Hazem: A very good question, I'm not sure if we did. I can call them asking about that?

Smilte: I would. Yeah, it's definitely better. And they will most definitely put then a limit on people who can attend. Because that space is a bit smaller. I would say it's worth it. Because the balcony there is required for the speeches and in general, the space itself facilitates conversations better.

Hazem: So we adjust it to the limited amount of people?

Smilte: Yeah. It's better to have it at like a 110 and have the good space, than having a 120 people in the awkward space.

Hazem: Okay. And that is what space?

Smilte: So when you walk in and it's like the immediate first hall where you have the 2 floors. And then you have the balcony there. I would ask for that. And whatever cap they put on like attendance-wise, you should accept that as the cap.

Hazem: Okay. For now, we can keep the limit to a 110 if you want to post it. And I will get back to that because first I need to contact with them, see if that's possible, and then I'll let you know. Maybe we can update the event, but for now, I think it's safe to post it because it's already official.

Victoria: Great. I might as well get a motion for this, but we're doing a small break because we really need to pee because you guys made us chug so much. So break at 7:04. We only have 4 slides left. So after this, it would be like 20 minutes, okay.

c. BGF

Victoria: *resuming at 7.10*

Anyways, let's continue. We continue to updates for BGF.

Lisa: No, we continue with a motion.

Victoria: Oh, sorry, there's the motion my bad.

Lisa: Dear board,
it seems there has been quite a mess with this whole charging and discharging process. Full names were left out, the older committee was not consulted, you didn't know all the members, the hammering was inconsistent and most shocking of all... You forgot to ask for members' consent. For these serious oversights, we demand both an apology and an effort to regain our respect. Board 41 must collectively chug three beers shared evenly among you.

Victoria: So I am assuming it's gonna be the 3 of us, no?

Lisa: I already had one. That's one, so we need one more.

Victoria: It's okay, you got it. I will just not make it home tonight thanks to you guys.

Smilte: It's so much fun to cycle when drunk.

Lisa: Yes... Thank you Smilte.

Victoria: Looking forward to it.

GMM acting all excited

Lisa: Oh, yeah, it was also signed by Amanda, Paula, Pierre and Aravind. Thank you guys so much.

Victoria: I'm gonna stop asking you to come to these meetings. Anyway, Cheers.

Both chugging

Victoria: But I am not doing more guys, I'm sorry.

Lisa: That's okay.

Victoria: Anyways.

Lisa: Wrap it up, please.

Victoria: BGF update. Pierre, do you want to take the floor my guy?

Pierre: So yes, I'm one of the BGF for the board. We are planning on doing an activity at the end of September. It'll be axe throwing.

GMM getting excited

Pierre: I'm certainly not going to let you know about the exact date and time. I think right?

Mark: You are supposed to...

Pierre: And I hope to see all of you guys there. And uh, well, let's start killing them.

d. EC

Victoria: Good job, we continue to the EC. Ádám, take the floor.

Ádám: So for the education committee, we started this week on Monday, we have a full committee from all the years. Even experienced members. And yeah, we will continue on keeping up with the support sessions. Reasses which ones should be organized again. And yeah, maybe adding extra ones. And also relocating the date for the workshops for higher attendance. And yeah, for this block, we are aiming for a support session for master's students for electrochem, for technodynamics for 2nd years and IOCC.

Round of applause

Irina: Are you going to be working with CB?

Ádám: For some of them, but it's still under discussion.

e. Top 30

Mark: Okay? Next.

Victoria: Top30. Mark?

Hearing noises about another motion in uprising

Please no

Mark: We already have the present Top30 committee hammered in. But right now we don't have anything to do.

Smilte: Who's on the Top30? Could you repeat?

Mark: Yes, for top 40, we have myself.

Talk in GMM about not understanding Mark's accent

Victoria: If you don't understand accents, that's just mean.

Mark: Motion!

Crowd laughing

Mark: For Top30, there is Mark Apostol which is me.

Lisa: Oh, really?

Mark: Manuel Coral Vilotta, wait, where is he? Oh he left? Oh, no I'm sorry. And Mark Wage. *Happy noises from the audience.* So we are three members in the Top30 committee.

Talk about Mark Wage finally joining.

f. Brrr-noulli

Mark: And since it's not in the slides, we also have Brrrnoulli, the ski trip committee. And their progress is basically that we are searching for a traveling agency to search for a suitable place to have a ski trip. We are for now searching for places in France. *Responding to confused faces.* Yes, so they found out that like the cheapest places are in France. Yes, I gave them a limit of 20 people for the trip. But if more people are interested, then I will increase the limit to 30 people. If we have many more people joining... Since the logistics for more than 30 people is quite hard. And yes, Paula?



Paula: Will you also accept people who don't know how to ski?

Smilte: Of course, of course.

Victoria: You can just go to the apres ski.

Mark: Smilte?

Smilte: Do you have preliminary dates for the ski trip?

Victoria: It's in February.

Mark: Middle of February. Technically, it's like 10 to 15 February.

Smilte: Are you aware that Delft students have the first week of February off?

Victoria: But Groningen ones might not... We love you but you guys chose to leave.

Mark: Of course, non-members have to pay the increased price ticket.

People roasting Smilte for not being a member anymore.

Mark: Paula. Yes?

Paula: So is the rest of the association that is not present at the GMM aware that this committee is coming back and that there will be a ski trip?

Mark: Yes, I have sent a Google form two weeks ago, asking for people if they are interested in this. Yes, of course.

Victoria: If you didn't see it, it's on the 'Announcements'.

Mark: Yes, it's also on the 'La Nueva Aplicación'.

Victoria: That was actually a really good pronunciation.

Paula: Make sure to resend it.

Mark: I will resend it. Yes, I had the feedback of resending the Google form, but I will send it again. And if people are interested, then yes?

Paula: How many responses do you have yet?

Mark: Responses? Yes, we have like at least 20 people interested in the ski trip.

Crowd acting all excited. Mark elaborating on poll.

Mark: So more than 30 people are interested. I will resend the Google form and yes...

Pierre: How much is the ski trip?

Mark: We don't know because the committee has to look at the traveling agency and see like how much money it is. Like the thing is, we have to give an exact number of people which will go to the trip. And they will get like an exact price for the trip. But if more people join, maybe they will get a discount or something. But that's not like known yet. Yes, Irina?

Irina: do you have a budget made yet for the ski trip?

Silence from the treasurer.

Victoria: I mean people pay for own trips.

Paula: But you have the committee. So if the committee is in your proposal, then there should be a budget.

Smilte: So this is more of a KasCie thing. But it will have to be approved quite a while before the next GMM then. Because since it is a committee that you're planning to form that has to be its own separate budget. And because you've already allocated the full expected sponsorship budget to everything else, that means that you will have to retroactively go through all of those posts and take away some money from them to the Brrrnoulli. So like think about that for the November one, yeah?

Anas: Yeah.

Amanda: that's actually a point for November GMM, yes.

Victoria: We will keep it in mind. Thank you. Thank you for the constructive feedback.

Lisa: *puts hand on Vic's shoulder*
I got a motion...

Victoria: Nooo... not another motion.

Paula: I love how she puts the hand on the shoulder.

Victoria: This is why she is my right hand.

Lisa: *proceeds to read aloud motion.* Dear board...

Victoria: Why are you laughing? I am not laughing.

Lisa: I'm so sorry. *Continues reading*

It seems your chairman has been refusing motions: a clear violation of member free speech.

Stops Guys, come on.

Victoria: How am I refusing if I'm drinking? How does this make sense, I am following them...

Lisa: Okay, let me read.

Victoria: Continue, please.

Lisa: *reads further*

...this is unacceptable...

Victoria: This is like listening to my mother.

Lisa: To make amends, we demand an official apology, followed immediately by an apology chug. And this is signed by so many people, so thank you.

Amanda, Paula, Pierre, Aravind, Elisa, Smilte, Marjan... so everyone in the room basically.

Victoria: I am so sorry, my apologies.

Amanda reminding Lisa to write Vic's apology in the minutes.

Victoria: Mark can chug for me if you guys want? He looks interested. So I will pass it on to Mark. Mark you can chug for me.

Mark: I will chug for you?

Victoria: Yes, please.

Mark: Or for the whole board? Anybody interested is that?

Lisa: No, it's for Vic.

Mark: Okay.

Mark chugs a beer.

10. Question Round

Victoria: Good job. Anyways, questions round. *Calling out that Aravind is about to leave before closing.*

Victoria: Anyways, what's your question?

Pierre: For the BGF. Is it like a purely fitness thing, or is it also like fun?

Victoria: No fun thing is the AC.

Pierre: Like a like a beer Olympics or like a beer run?

Lisa: You should join the AC.

Smilte and Paula discussing with Pierre to get him interested for the AC.

Victoria: Okay, any more questions? Irina.

Irina: Uh, what's happening with BGA? Do you know?

Mark: I mean they're every 2 years.

Smilte: But they have to find a Board now...

Mark: I mean, we are soft governing, so like I'm not really updated.

Irina: Maybe you should reach out to them.

Smilte: Yeah, also, just for you to generally know. After each BGA trip, they compile a book and it would be nice to have one of those printed in either a lounge or a coffee corner, wherever you will have your members. Just so that it's a physical copy that you have as Bernoulli. Because they will get those out to obviously the people who participated in the trip. But that's always nice, just for bookkeeping purposes. And to have it for yourself.

Victoria: Okay. It's just not happening apparently. *Elaborating on BGA finding new board.*

Mark: We are trying to form a committee, but it's... uh.

Irina: But can't you talk people into it?

Mark: We tried to talk about it. We tried to invoke agreement. Like we gave the responsibility to them, but they are not interested in making an advertisement for the GRIR book. And we tried to involve the previous Lustrum committee, but they are

basically very occupied. So if we can manage to involve different members that do another committees when we will do it. But otherwise... Also this is the first Lustrum in 10 years. So we don't have a lot of experience in that. I mean, we will try to do something about it, but it's not looking very good. I'm sorry, guys.

Victoria: Any more questions?

All: No.

11. Closing

Victoria: Then, we're closing at 7:26 on Friday, the 19th of September. Thank you very much for coming.