

GSSLC Meeting on 28th Nov, 2025

Venue:

Online meeting via Teams

Participants:

Staff:

1. Bozena Beauclair
2. Andrea Wyld
3. Alexander Karalis-Isaac
4. Stephanie Redding
5. Shubham Kailthya

PGT Students:

1. Samantha Eves (Chair)
2. Aathira Pillai (Co-Chair)
3. Madhuvanathi Sounderrajan
4. Moksha Bhangaria
5. Riya Rajvanshi
6. Shiva Chelluri

(Transcribed by Shiva Chelluri)

Topics Covered:

The following are the topics discussed in the meeting. The detailed problems are mentioned in the Meeting Agenda, which is available to everyone. Therefore, to keep the Minutes of the Meeting succinct, we primarily record the discussion and problem-solving, and we align with the Meeting Agenda.

Introductory Discussion

The introductory discussion included the distribution of the Christmas dinner form. While 115 of the 125 registered, we were asked to spread the message so no one misses out. Following the meeting, we reminded students to register for the Christmas Dinner again.

Skills Development and Careers

Students highly appreciated the bulletin. Additionally, we requested details on employers that may be subject to sanctions and, therefore, restricted from hiring individuals from certain countries, to help them navigate their employment options. Stephanie informed that she will look into that. The WISE application form did not include the MSc Economics and Data Science course, which was updated before the meeting, as Bozena informed us.

Furthermore, Alex informed us about the Warwick Alumni Mentoring Scheme, which would involve Warwick graduates providing one-on-one mentoring to current students on career development, and asked for people from SSLC to join the event on 9th December. We agreed to this.

Assessment and Feedback

First, Alex confirmed that the Microeconomics and Macroeconomics Test 2 will be conducted online, addressing concerns from many students. Secondly, the miscoordination of the EC9D3: Microeconomics B class was addressed by the cohort and the seminar tutor, who shifted it themselves. Finally, the primary feedback on EC961: Introductory Mathematics and Statistics was that it was extremely fast-paced. Alex stated that they are trying to address this issue by using online materials that may be too basic or too theoretical, so the in-class lecture pace improves.

Student Engagement and Support

Students responded very positively to the Well-Being breakfast and indicated they would like it to be held more frequently. Alex informed us that they will look into it. Additionally, the well-being breakfast held before Microeconomics test 1 was chosen by mistake by Inga, and they will avoid repeating it.

Additionally, students requested the installation of whiteboards in the study room. Alex agreed on this. Finally, as the seminar rooms are booked before the start of the academic year, Andrea informed us that it is unlikely the rooms can be moved, but she will do her best to find new ones.

Final-Exam Feedback

Alex and Shubham provided information regarding the feedback we will receive for the final examinations in January. They are:

1. Feedback would be given before the Spring term at the latest.
2. The scripts would be made available earlier.
3. The raw marks in the scripts would be provisional.

Additionally, Aathira asked what the exam rubric was for Economics and Data Science students. Andrea explained that they will have 1 exam for microeconomics and 1 for

macroeconomics, and they will answer only the relevant questions based on the weeks they attended.

Finally, we were asked to spread the information regarding the mock exam session, as that would clarify the process of writing in-person exams and we shared the information with the cohort.

those mails must have been quite something that you find SSLC notes beautiful