



CIROS GA#4 minutes

OVERVIEW OF THE YEAR, POLICY PROPOSALS, INTRODUCTION OF THE NEW BOARD AND DISMISSAL OF THE ADVISORY BOARD, AND SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE OLYMPICS

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Opening and Approval of the Agenda



WELCOME & AGENDA

- A check-in was conducted with the members. The Secretary updated the attendance of the present Commissioners and Committee Heads.
- The President welcomed the present members, and thanked them for attending the Board's last General Assembly of the year.
- The President introduced the agenda, which included, among others, an overview of the year (events, external collaborations, and financial and sustainability reports), the introduction of the new Board, the dismissal of the Advisory Board, and an update on the Committee Olympics, which was unanimously approved by the attendees.

Overview of the Year and Policy Additions



GENERAL OVERVIEW OF THE YEAR

- The President presented an overview of the year, recalling CIROS events and activities in which members participated such as the Prague Winter trip, last year's graduation ceremony, a pool event with SPIL, embassy visits, among others. He thanked everyone for their participation.

POLICY PROPOSALS

- The Secretary introduced a new policy proposal: the addition of Article 14 on data protection and privacy regulations. She explained its relevance to the policy manual, as well as its functioning and implications. The President outlined how the article is consistent with the EU's GDPR, emphasizing the importance of ensuring CIROS's compliance with broader regulatory frameworks. He noted that a voting link would be provided at the end of the General Assembly, where members would be able to vote on the addition of the article.

RUNDOWN OF EXTERNAL COLLABORATIONS

- The External Officer presented a summary of the external collaborations carried out during the year: Frenchie's Burgers, De Corner, Salsa Shop, and the upcoming partnership with The Hangout. She explained that CIROS has the following arrangement with The Hangout: €12.50 for a lunch meal, which includes a free drink, and a dinner meal, which comes with a complimentary Vietnamese dessert. She mentioned the discount is available between May 11 and May 22, and is valid upon the presentation of an LU card with a CIROS membership sticker.

BUDGET SUMMARY AND ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

- The Treasurer conducted a budget overview, summarizing the state of different committees' budgets. He reported no issues in the association's financial status, but noted that some Trips Committee payments and Sport Committee reimbursements are pending which would be done swiftly.
- The Audit council verified the safeness of the academic year's budget and expenses.

ANNUAL SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

- Internal Officer Katerina presented this year's sustainability report, detailing the initiatives carried out by CIROS throughout the year in light of its compromise with sustainable events and functioning. She mentioned, among others, the prioritisation of plant-based food options at events, the committee's consistent reuse of materials throughout the year, collaborations with partners who use locally sourced ingredients such as Frenchie's Burgers, and the conscious ordering of materials and merchandise for HOP week and IROC month to avoid waste and overconsumption.

Introduction of the New Board and Dismissal of the Advisory Board



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- The President introduced CIROS' new 2026-2027 Board: Zubeyda Selin Keskin as President, Miranda Simon Rivera as Vice-president, Carolina Vaz Vivas as Treasurer, Milena González as External Officer, Radu-Stefan Ionescu as Internal Officer, and Elissa Chamy as Internal Officer.
 - The Vice-president mentioned that in light of the new Board missing a Secretary, applications are still open. She noted that interested members should send an email to the Secretary to apply for the position.
 - The Vice-president dismissed this year's Advisory Board members, who unfortunately were not able to attend the General Assembly. She thanked them for all their support and advice throughout the year.
 - The President noted that applications for next year's Advisory Board will open during the summer, and that the current Vice-president will be in charge of the application process.

Committee Olympics



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- Internal Officer Serin provided an overview of the association's Committee Olympics, noting that the winning committee would be awarded a prize such as laser tag or an escape room experience, with further details to be confirmed.
 - Internal Officer Serin announced the ranking, with the Student Support Committee coming in third, the Sports Committee second, and the Academic Committee first. She thanked all the committee members for their work throughout the year and all the amazing events they have done.

Upcoming Events and Closing Remarks



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- The President introduced the upcoming events, with particular emphasis on CIROS's long trip to Albania. He outlined several excursions and activities planned by the Trips Committee, including hikes and institutional visits.
 - The President opened the floor for any feedback or questions that attendees may have for the Board. He then thanked all members present for their participation in CIROS this year and for their efforts in improving and strengthening the association.