

# Falmouth & Exeter Students' Union (FXU) Timeline

# 2004-5

FXU President Falmouth College Arts-Jenny Coen

FXU Deputy President Falmouth College Arts – Thomas Donnelly

FXU President UEC - Daniel Parker

- FXU formed from Falmouth College of Arts Student Union and University of Exeter Student Union
- Seven Sports Clubs and Seven Societies
- Five Executive Officer Positions

## 2005-6

FXU President UEC - Alex Pearce

FXU President UCF (Representation) – Neil Heatley

FXU President UCF (Welfare) – Sara Morris

- First FXU Website is launched
- First FXU Snowboarding trip takes place
- First Health and Wellness Day takes place

#### 2006-7

FXU President UCF - Chris Tagg

FXU President UECC - Peter Ayres

FXU Welfare Officer (UCF & UECC) - Charlie Vine

 FXU enters its first BUCS competition as University College Falmouth (Surf, Sailing & Mountain biking)

# 2007-8

FXU President UCF - Steven Whiting

FXU President UECC - Mark Musgrave

FXU President Welfare - Tova Leech

- First FXU Dartington President is elected
- FXU hosts its first Green Tips Campaign

- First FXU and Freeriders Surf Competition
- Over 50 Competitors from South West Universities
- FXU Competes in the Bath vs. FXU Inter Sports Varsity
- Introduction of the FXU Sports Scholarship/ Bursary Scheme
- MUGA is opened at Tremough Campus

#### 2008-9

FXU President UCF - Karl Shaddick

FXU President UECC - Sean Graham

FXU President Welfare - Sarah Toledo

FXU President Dartington – Sarah Gray

• The FXU had over 30 Clubs & Societies

#### 2009-10

FXU President Falmouth – Taylor Worthington

FXU President Exeter – Ian Pogonowski

FXU Vice President Welfare – Sam Finneran

- The FXU had 301 Student Volunteers!
- FXU invests £10,000 in a new café (Koofi) on Tremough Campus

#### 2010-11

FXU President Falmouth - Andrew Edmunds

FXU President Exeter – Kristy Wallace

FXU Vice President Welfare - Tim Port

- FXU Students take part in their first Student Protest
  - 150 Students marched from Tremough Campus to Falmouth Town to protest the rise in Tuition Fees
  - FXU introduces its first Referendum (Demo against Proposed Education Cuts)
- Three coach loads of students attended the National Demo against the rise in tuition fees
- First female president for the University of Exeter is elected (Kristy Wallace)
- Six Executive Officer Positions are created
- 36.4% of students voted in the Presidential Elections
- 2 new members of staff are introduced as Sports & Recreation Assistant
- The FXU had 45 Clubs and Societies
- Rally for Haiti raised over £4000

#### 2011-12

FXU President Falmouth - Jamie Clark

FXU President Exeter – Jonathan Harris

FXU Vice President Welfare – Rich Pearson

- First FXU Facebook Post!
- FXU had 60 Clubs and Societies
- First FXU Slip & Slide

### 2012-13

FXU President Falmouth - Scott Pearson

FXU President Exeter – Jay Bjorkman

FXU Vice President Welfare - Rich Pearson

FXU Vice President Participation – Kasia Drinkwater

- First FXU Awards
- Second FXU Sport & Recreation Coordinator introduced (Rose Pennell-Hitchens)
- FXU introduced the role of Vice-President Participation
- Set up the Sports & Societies Forum
- Organised the first Tremough Community Games
- Awarded Silver Be a Champion Accreditation for Tremough 2012

# 2013-14

FXU President Falmouth – Isis O'Regan

FXU President Exeter – Chaz Malyon

FXU Vice President Welfare - Frankie Boyd

FXU Vice President Participation - Ollie Maskray

- FXU restructured
- Shortlisted for Small and Specialist Students' Union of the Year
- First female Falmouth President is elected (Isis O'Regan)
- Two External Trustees are recruited for the first time
- A fourth student advisor is hired
- Green Living Project is established
- NUS Green Impact Award: Most Improved Union
- FXU's first policy is passed (Environmental Impact & Ethics Policy)
- FXU Sports and Societies Accreditation Scheme was introduced

# 2014-15

FXU President Falmouth - Ellie Scouller

FXU President Exeter - Rhun Davies

FXU President Welfare - Catherine Thornhill

FXU President Student Experience – Roger Auster

- First 'Give it a Go' Week
- FXU was the runner up for Small and Specialist Students' Union of the Year
- Awarded Gold accreditation at the Green Impact Awards
- Vice-President Participation became President Student Experience and Vice-President
   Welfare became President Community & Welfare
- Increased the Officer Trustee roles from two to four
- 80 Sports Clubs and Societies
- FXU took over responsibility for recruiting, training and managing course reps and hired a Course Rep Co-ordinator (Hannah Partington)
- Memorandum of Understanding between FXU and Exeter Guild
- First year students were able to compete in BUCS as FXU
- First LOST Event
- NUS Green Impact Award: Gold

#### 2015-16

FXU President Falmouth - Fred Malin

FXU President Exeter - Grace Fisher

FXU President Student Experience - Amanda Chetwynd-Cowieson

FXU President Community & Welfare - Alexa Webster

- Over 100 Sports Clubs and Societies
- Raise and Donate (RAD) Committee Established
- FXU Volunteering Student led Volunteering Groups set up
- FXU Music Bursary Scheme Piloted
- NUS Green Impact Award: Excellence Highly Commended
- NUS Awards Winner: Officer Team of the Year
- Highly Commended: Internationalised Students' Union of the Year
- Students represent FXU at the following national conferences:
  - NUS LGBT+ Students Conference
  - NUS International Students' Conference
  - NUS National Conference

# 2016-17

FXU President Falmouth - Chris Slesser

FXU President Exeter - Tom Murray-Richards

FXU President Student Experience - Amanda Chetwynd-Cowieson

FXU President Community & Welfare - Alexa Webster

- Students represent FXU at the following national conferences:
  - NUS Black Students Winter Conference