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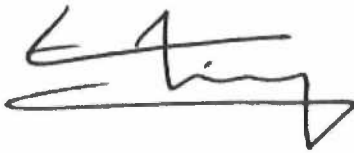
Faculty of Social Sciences

Department of Psychology
Management Group of the Master of Science
Programme in Psychology

Participants	Elia Psouni Roger Johansson Geoffrey Patching Lindsey Macke Mikael Johansson Roger Persson Åsa Arvidsson Sinnamon Varsamouli Adamopoulou	Programme Director, Chairing Programme Director Member Student Representative Member Member Programme Coordinator Secretary
Absent		Member

Agenda Item	Notes	Decision / Follow-up
§1. Meeting called to order 09:30		
§2. Choice of adjuster of the minutes		Lindsey Macke
§3. Minutes of the previous meeting		The previous minutes are approved.
§4. Approval of Agenda		The agenda is approved with the addition of the information point: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dates for the new meeting
§5. Applications 2023	Åsa Arvidsson informs regarding the applications of 2023. In general, 30 more students applied this year for the Master, in total 537 students. The nationality of applicants are similarly distributed as previous years.	

<p>§6. Management group-programme directors-study director: responsibilities, routines, and decision chains</p>	<p>Discussion regarding the need and possibility of the director of studies to be present at the Management group meetings when important issues regarding the budget of the programme, and questions regarding personnel allocations as course leaders etc, are being discussed and decided. The group wishes for a communication order and transparency that allows for decision making to be possible facilitates decision making, communication and anchoring at different levels (the department, the programme as a whole, the courses in the programme, teachers at the courses).</p>	
<p>§7. The start of VT2023</p>	<p>The group comments on the start of the spring term of 2023. The group is so far satisfied with the progress of the term.</p>	
<p>§8. Exam/course schedules – VT23 & HT23</p>	<p>Roger Johansson informs that all students have a supervisor by now and that the necessary information has been sent both to the students and supervisors.</p>	
<p>§9. Other business</p>	<p>Information point: The dates for the new meeting are: 14/9, 19/10 and 23/11 (time 9:30-12:00)</p> <p>Lindsey Macke raises the concern regarding the workload and grade distribution for students in work and organizational psychology(WOP) compared to the cognitive and neuro (COG) course last semester. For example, many students complained that COG grading felt unfair and extremely strict compared to reports from WOP course - where most received A's on the examination - and no one in COG received an A during the first exam date. A possible consideration is the complexity of having several examiners on the COG course compared to WOP.</p> <p>Lindsey Macke questions about the progress of the administrative issues that the exam of PSYP56 had in October. The Study Director of the programme will follow up on this issue on the next meeting.</p>	



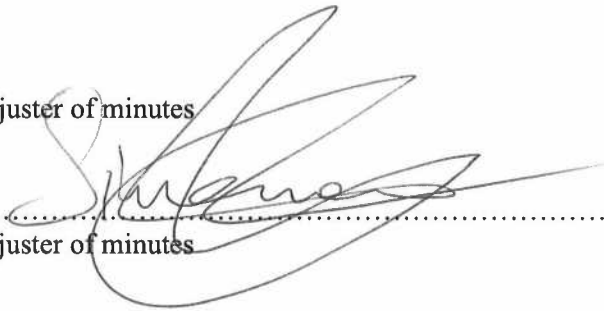
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