

**Andrew Machin**  
**Education & Representation Officer**

**Union Council – February 2008**

Meetings attended since January:  
Steering Group UPSU/UoP  
Board Of Trustees  
Course Rep Exec  
E-Learning  
Finance & Staffing  
Balls & Events  
Liaison Group – UPEL/UPSU

Any interests I have:  
Rugby Club – UPRFC  
Salsa Society

**Course Reps:**

I am currently writing a course rep review looking at all aspects of their roles within the University and how we can improve the system.

Course rep exec took place and a lot was covered once again.

**Union Disciplinary:**

Got several coming up

**Appeals and Complaints:**

The previous month has seen a sharp rise in complaints made by students concerning their courses, however, I expect this is due to the exam period ending. It was a pleasant surprise that not a single complaint was made about an exam however.

**Don't Lift the Cap:**

We went to Southampton on the 2nd Feb to present out petition to John Denham. The debate is later tonight (so be there!) We have people attending from the University and NUS as well as some other external parties.