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**PhUS Council Minutes**  
**Nov 23, 2016**  
**PHAR 3110**

**Attendance:** Kevin Sin, Jacqueline Kwok, Loreena Pang, Jerry Mejia, Simon Zhou, Thomas Tsuei, Simon Qi, Alex Assumption, Miriam Ahmed, Sahil Ahuja, Lisa Wang, Margaret Lu, Elaine Chang, Taylor Jameson, Karie Hanson, Melina Huang, Stephanie Song, Chiara Clemente, Brad de Hart, Kush Khanna, Karen Wang (Proxy for Jacqueline S), Geoff Martinson, Taylor Jameson

**Guests:** Monique Theriault, Jerold Chu

**Absences:** Stephanie Song

**Regrets:** Jacqueline Sze, Hafeez Dossa, Alex Assumption

Meeting called to order at: 12:01

**Approval of Minutes**

**Moved:** Thomas; **Seconded:** Sahil

Be it resolved that PhUS council approves the minutes for Nov 16/2016 as written and adopts the agenda for Nov 23/16 as written.

**Approved: All | Objections: | Abstained:**

**Standing Business:**

**Discussions:**

1. Senate Updates – Melina
  - New buildings, bus loop/ gate design, new pool opening next semester
  - Policy for standardizing syllabi across campus
  - Bachelor straight to PhD now possible, no need for honour degree. Master to PhD with less requirements
  - New biomedical engineering program
  - Interesting honorary degree recipients this year
2. Announcements follow-up – Margaret
  - see video posted in Facebook group and provide feedback
3. Certified Pharmacist Prescriber – Kevin
  - scope limited to interprofessional settings
  - pharmacists overwhelmingly supported prescribing rights while other prescribers were generally against
    - possibly due to the way the question was phrased without enough context to justify competence/benefit
    - pharmacists don't have access to patient lab/lytes

- no current incentive for pharmacist prescribing (additional risk without benefit)
- conflict of interest - prescribing and dispensing? (must tell patients they have the right to fill their prescription elsewhere)
- BCPHA's mandate is not advocacy for pharmacists; we don't have an advocacy body (yet)
  - explore collaboration with BCPHA to increase pharmacist advocacy (e.g. PAM)
  - start channeling more efforts into PAM to make it more visible (possible booth in LSC to reach out to future prescribers)

**Round Table:**

<b>Faculty</b>	
<b>President</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• November 25<sup>th</sup>: Alumni talk from 12-1pm</li> <li>• Dental Undergraduate Society (DUS) – host an interprofessional mixer           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Alex would be interested in contacting the DUS rep (Ruth)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Concerns about building space and usage           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please let Geoff or Kevin know if there are any inappropriate use of study rooms</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Meeting with AMS: Online voting in November           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Give people a week to decide if they want to run</li> <li>○ Aim for early November to allow time for spaces</li> <li>○ Allow 4<sup>th</sup> years on rotation to vote</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Election speeches going well</li> </ul>
<b>Secretary</b>	
<b>VP External</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student Health Council: talk on the morning of Nov 17<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• BCPHA Speaker Series: November 24<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• AMS meeting about tutoring: will report details after it is finalized</li> <li>• Mental Health interprofessional event with Nursing in January</li> </ul>
<b>VP Internal</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year reps and GCs please collect PhUS fees and give it to Brad</li> <li>• Final Interclub meeting of the year on Monday           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Clubs fund: a bit restrictive in the application process as it is not explicitly written that clubs cannot access over-funds granted to them (eg. Rho Chi) – future council to revise</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>VP Academic</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dog visit: Tuesday November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016</li> <li>• limited to one visit to each student group per term</li> </ul>
<b>VP Social</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• released end of term feedback survey</li> </ul>

<b>VP Sponsorship</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsorship committee application posted</li> <li>• Talk from brand new sponsor (JD Realty Services) on Friday November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2016 from 12-1pm</li> <li>• Wellsense Financial Talk about financial security on Monday November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2016 from 12-1pm</li> <li>• Financial talk on Friday November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2016 from 12-1pm</li> <li>• SpoCo – 9 applications so far</li> </ul>
<b>VP Finance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Working on reimbursements over the summer</li> <li>• Anything official documents with PhUS' name on it that need to be signed must be approved by AMS first</li> </ul>
<b>VP PR</b>	
<b>Communications Officer</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Funding applications on website</li> <li>• Working on new directory</li> <li>• working on announcement feedback form</li> </ul>
<b>Senate</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Time capsule deadline: November 24<sup>th</sup> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Group photo for council doodle posted on Facebook</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Sports Rep</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ski trip: 3 potential dates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Feb 3-5 (Big White)</li> <li>○ Deposit due Nov. 10</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Dodgeball Night: November 25<sup>th</sup> (Friday) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 9 teams signed up, spot for 1 more</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Pharmacy Hockey Team finals this week</li> </ul>
<b>Grad</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• JP booklets will be coming next week (last day today to order)</li> <li>• Grad Clothing sale: orders placed on Nov 6<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) and should come before end of November</li> <li>• Advent Calendar – blister packs for last week of November</li> </ul>
<b>1st Year</b>	
<b>2nd Year</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Games Night: November 24<sup>th</sup> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ joint event with CAPSI (2<sup>nd</sup> year CAPSI rep had extra funding that was meant to be allocated for</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>2<sup>nd</sup> year CAPSI members → pooled into one large year event)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ CAPSI council approved the funding yesterday</li> <li>○ ideally PhUS events should be free of affiliation</li> <li>○ external funding also obtained from company sponsorship (approved by Sahil)</li> <li>○ anything related to sponsorship and PhUS must go through VP sponsorship (one coordinated effort vs. disjointed initiatives)</li> <li>○ appropriateness and implications of CAPSI funding for PhUS event to be further discussed and decided on by Kevin</li> </ul>
<b>3rd Year</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Unipharm talks (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> years) – independent pharmacies started working together to order drugs in bulk and want to speak with 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year classes</li> </ul>
<b>4th Year</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● PBC Pretest: November 21st</li> </ul>
<b>CAPSI</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● AGM: November 23<sup>rd</sup> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Discuss next year’s budget,</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Symposium on Marijuana: November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016</li> <li>● Next Top Pharmacist: November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2016</li> </ul>
<b>LKS</b>	
<b>Kappa Psi</b>	
<b>Rho Chi</b>	
<b>CHIUS</b>	
<b>PSSJ</b>	
<b>Yearbook</b>	<p><b>Event Photography:</b> For any clubs that would like to have Yearbook take pictures for their event, feel free to send an email to <a href="mailto:photos.rxyearbook@gmail.com">photos.rxyearbook@gmail.com</a> and we’ll organize photographers for your occasion.</p>
<b>HSSA</b>	
<b>CSHP</b>	
<b>BCPHA</b>	

<b>UAEM</b>	
<b>Choir</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Year end concert: November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 12PM</li></ul>

**Meeting adjourned at:** 12:52

**Moved:** Thomas; **Seconded:** Stephanie

Be it resolved that PhUS council adjourns the meeting.

**Approved: All | Objections: | Abstained:**