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PhUS Council Minutes

March 12, 2014

Room 3340

Attendance: Benton Attfield, Melissa Patton, Yoshi Ito, Laura Palle, Aliya Daulat, Jason Alessio, Candice Leung, Jennnifer Chatterton, Jessica Tran, Sunil Fazaluddin, Flora Yu, Sabrina Rayworth, Moh Kazem, Mitch Prasad, Jared Kelly, Dr. Wayne Riggs, Latashya Truong, Scott Aldersey, Mandy Chung, Julie Chang

Absences: Tom Wierzbicki, Katie Milbers, Stephen Hyunh, France Carriere, Stacy Chattu, Charles Choi, Hafeez Dossa, Andrew Fong, Ying Wang, Bradley de Hart, Christina Le, Rachel Edey, Kevin Sin, Patrick Falkiner

Regrets: Katherine Go, Torey Lau

Guests:

Meeting called to order at: 1206pm

1.0 Approval of Minutes

Moved _____ Mandy Chung _____; Seconded _____ Julie Chang _____
That PhUS council approves the minutes for _____ March. 5, 2014 _____ as written and amends the agenda for _____ March 12, 2014 _____ as proposed

Amendment to the Agenda

2.0 Discussions:

2.1 PhUS Sports Night

- ❖ Student Rec Center (SRC) - March 14, 2014 (6-9pm)
 - they are looking for two more volunteer referees
 - only have 13 teams, so are still open if people want to submit teams
 - want PhUS members to participate on teams to show support or help out as referees
 - after party at The Pit pub has been booked

2.2 Rho Chi

- ❖ In the past they have received funding from the Dean's office
 - this year they were not going to get funding and were therefore at a deficit
 - now they will be getting some funding from the Dean's office, but they are looking

- for additional financial support from PhUS
- they will be running the mock Oske's again this year for the fourth year students and the money will support this event
- we will vote on this next week

2.3 Skits Night – March 7th, 2014

- ❖ very successful this year as expected
 - they will be selling DVD's again
 - we need to decide how we want to make and distribute them this year
 - last year these sales were part of the Grad committees fundraising campaign, but this venture was not very lucrative
 - students want copies of the DVD so we need to find a way to ensure the students have access to these without putting anyone into a financial deficit

4.0 Round Table:

<p>President, Secretary, Communications Officer, VP Social, VP External, VP Finance, Sponsorship, 1st Year, 3rd Year, 4th Year, Grad Rep, HSSA, Kappa Psi</p>	<p>Nothing to report</p>
<p>Faculty</p>	<p>* Student Pipeline request went out this morning > deadline is March 24, 2014 > the Curriculum Committee is seeking student input on a proposal to increase the passing grade in pharmacy courses (i.e., courses designated PHAR) from 50 to 60%.</p> <p>* PharmD Curriculum > the curriculum for years 2, 3 and 4 have been approved by the faculty and have been sent to the senate sub-committees > the Senate Curriculum Committee will meet on March 31st</p>
<p>VP Internal</p>	<p>* Complaints from staff > there have been some complaints from staff members about some of the things that were written on the wipe board in the BCPHA Student Commons > thought the content was unprofessional (cartoon characters) > we want to get the windows sand blasted to give us some more privacy in the commons > this will ensure that students can be creative and engage with one another without offending anyone or communicating a sense of unprofessionalism > will look into other options that may be more cost effective (window applique, paint etc.) > Laura will speak with Jamal and come up with some quotes and some options and bring these to the council</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > please email Laura if you have any suggestions * Pictures on lockers in commons > yearbook will take care of this
VP Public Relations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * PhUS hoodies > give money to Charles
Communications Officer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * PhUS Bulletin Board in Woodward IRC ~ we have cleaned up the board as it was being underutilized and was covered in announcements from other groups ~ we would like to use this as an opportunity to communicate events etc. to the first year students ~ also a good opportunity to advertise to students interested in Pharmacy ~ open to suggestions about content we could display
Senate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Student Pipeline > please see above comment under 'Faculty'
Sports Rep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Sports Night > please see above discussion
2nd Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Year end event > March 21st Kerrisdale Arena > \$5 for skate rental, food and prizes > after party at the Coppertank on Broadway
Yearbook	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Rx Compliments > similar to UBC Compliments page on Facebook > students can leave post-it-notes on the bulletin board in the student commons with anonymous 'compliments' about their friends and classmates > this is meant to be an team/morale boosting endeavor > please ensure that all comments are positive (complimentary)
CAPSI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Pharmacy Information Evening (PIE) > part of Pharmacy Awareness Month (PAM) > Thursday March 13th 6-8pm in PHARM 1101 (main lecture hall) > will have various guest speakers: Dr. Barbara Gobis - Director of the Pharmacists Clinic, Jennifer Chatterton - Director of Student Services, Peter Loewen - Director of the PharmD Program, Yoshi Ito - PhUS President * CAPSI Symposium - How to Market Yourself > March 18th, 5-630pm > speaker is a recent UBC graduate from Shoppers Drug Mart * CSHP Symposium - Hospital Side of pharmacy > March 26th, 5-630 pm * Canadian Liver Foundation Event > SUB - Friday March 21st 11- 5pm > invited pharmacy to present a poster on the effects of caffeine on liver health > we would like to include some other medications that impact the liver (acetaminophen etc.) * Health Fair

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > was very well received > sponsors were happy and they had a very good student turnout
LKS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Manufacturers Night > was held Tuesday March 11th (atrium) > very successful > sponsors were happy and would like to come back next year > it was well attended by students
Rho Chi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Pie Rho Chi > will be on March 14th from 12-1 (PHARM 1101) > nominations are still available > will still be collecting donations this week in the atrium during lunch and in the individual classrooms
PSSJ	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Critical Appraisal Workshop for 3rd and 4th year > was a huge success > received a lot of excellent and positive feedback > look forward to the feedback generated by the 1st and 2nd year critical appraisal workshop held today
CHIUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Sabrina Rayworth > came and explained what CHIUS was for those of us that did not know and shared some of their projects and initiatives with us and ways we can get involved > student run organization that aims to provide student run health services to the residents living marginalized communities > inter-professional group of students from all healthcare faculties > their goal is to work together to fill the gap in the community between services supplied and services needed > three years ago this organization was very robust and they had a lot of support and many volunteers > they encountered some challenges with insurance and were forced to go on hiatus > insurance concerns have been rectified and they have begun to rebuild this year > some of the organizations they work with include: Positive Living and Vancouver Native Health > are still looking to recruit students through the IPE program > students will receive passport points for volunteering at these events
CSHP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Symposium > please see above CAPSI notes

Meeting adjourned at: 1240 pm

Moved _____ Jared Kelly _____ Seconded _____ Mitch Prasad _____

That PhUS council adjourns the meeting.

Approved: All | Objections: None | Abstained: None