

# THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Pharmacy Undergraduate Society

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# PhUS Council Minutes Sep 10, 2016 Cabin 14 - Whistler

**Attendance:** Kevin Sin, Hafeez Dossa, Sahil Ahuja, Loreena Pang, Jerry Mejia, Elaine Chang, Simon Zhou, Thomas Tsuei, Geoff Martinson, Taylor Jamieson, Margaret Lu, Jacqueline Sze, Brad de Hart. Simon Qi

Guests: Absences: Regrets:

Meeting called to order at: 10:35 PM

**Approval of Minutes** 

Moved:; Seconded:

That PhUS council approves the minutes for Mar 30/16 as written and adopts the agenda for Sep 10/16 as written.

## **Standing Business:**

#### **Discussions:**

- 1. GPA Jacqueline
  - Expenses: ~\$6000-7000
  - Used around \$3000 of PhUS budget
  - Other considerations: keep it closer to campus, raise funds, spent too much time to icebreakers on campus, too much dead-time, activity leaders might not need to come as early, insurance – get access to orgsync
- 2. SDM BBQ Recap Loreena, Simon
  - Overall: went really well
  - Future Improvements: more grills because line up this year is a bit long, start the grills earlier (~1h)
  - Budget to be reported → estimated net loss: \$0
- 3. Student led orientation Kevin
  - Co-hosted with CAPSI → asked by Marion Pearson
  - Overall: went well
  - Faculty may cut the time down in the future
  - Winners from skits: Simon Zhou (1<sup>st</sup> session), Karan Khanna (2<sup>nd</sup> session), Joey Bhullar + Florence (3<sup>rd</sup> session)
  - Future Improvements: shorter introductions for council members, keep ppt shorter
- 4. Website Sahil

- promote ubc.phus.org
- needs to update the website (Margaret)
- Keep ads out of website
- Put sponsor logos on the website
- 5. Funding Applications
  - Refer to documents titled "Travel Conference Fund (TCF)" and "Clubs Fund (CF)"
  - Professional Development Fund is now removed → now called Professional Initiative Fund
    - Create events (ie. Talks, resume building) that will benefit the general public
  - Travel and Conference Fund (renamed from Travel Fund): used for any type of travel and must be used for travel due to conferences
    - Selection process will be done by committee
    - Screen first then do it in a lottery system
  - Clubs Fund: new initiatives that benefit all pharmacy students, unexpected club funding shortfalls, anything that is vital to the survival of the club
  - Review funding applications and voting will occur at the next meeting (9/21)
- 6. Constitution and Bylaws
  - Refer to document titled "Pharmacy Undergraduate Society Constitution and Bylaw"
  - Vice President, Public Relation
    - To be dissolved because the portfolio can be put under VP internal (ie. Clubs night under VP Internal's portfolio) and VP external (ie. PAM under VP External's portfolio)
  - Year reps and GC
    - Add fee collection into their role
  - Funding application committee members: include VP internal, Grad reps, Year rep, GC, and Liaison officers
  - Every committee member to review the constitution and vote by next meeting (9/21)
- 7. Academic Committee and E2P Committee
  - Purpose: talk about issues that arise in different classes
    - Student progress committee
    - Professional Year 1 (PY1), Professional Year 2 (PY2): learning outcome checklists
  - Entry-to-PharmD (E2P) committee 2016-2017: evaluate program in general and not specifically academic portions
    - Representatives: Taylor Jamieson (to be confirmed) + Jerry Mejia (to be confirmed)
    - Meeting starts Sept 14<sup>th</sup>
    - Meeting every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday in a month 1-3pm
  - Academic committee 2016-2017: evaluate academic aspects of students and see where students need help in → mostly course contents
    - Representatives: Alex Assumption (to be confirmed) + Simon Zhou (to be confirmed)
    - Meeting starts Sept 22<sup>nd</sup>
    - Meeting every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday 9-11am
  - Taylor can contact Jeanette
- 8. Second Week of School (Fee Collections) Geoff

- 12:00-1:30pm Sept 12-16
- Fill out shift
- Bring banner out
- Tasks
  - Student List
  - Textbook Sales
  - Yearbook Photos (12-1)
  - Locker Assignments
  - Name Tag Collections
  - Student Directory
- Student list (first and last name) will be provided to Kevin from faculty on Monday (9/12)
- 9. Speaker Series Jerry
  - · Waiting for responses but have speakers in mind
- 10. BCPhA Sponsorship
  - Speaker series, Networking night, grad events
  - BCPhA Commons should not be called the PhUS lounge on any official postings
- 11. Gala Simon Qi and Loreena Pang
  - Location: Sheraton
  - Date: October 28
  - Theme: Enchanted/Fairy tale
  - Entertainment: casino games, airbrush tattoo, photo booth
  - Sponsorship: potential exclusive sponsor
    - Always use Pfizer Consumer Health when referring to Pfizer (there are different branches)

## 12. Email Usage

- Options 1: use it through PhUS server → everything will be open to the communications officer
- Options 2: recovery to president's email → president will be able to look through emails whenever
- 13. Sports Events
  - Dodgeball night November
  - Ski trip February
- 14. Year Rep Elections
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> week of September for first, second, third and fourth year at 1201
    - o 1st year
      - Election officers: Brad and Hafeez
    - o 2<sup>nd</sup> year: Thursday 11-12 with Dr. Lynn
    - o 3<sup>rd</sup> year
    - 4<sup>th</sup> year
  - Election officers: cannot do it if you're interested in running for a position for your year
    - Sign up with Kevin if interested

# 15. AGM

- Open house before PhUS meeting and before elections (12-1)?
- Awards and trophies presented at their respective events
- 16. Referendum Topics: Name change
  - VP PR removed
  - VP Sponsorship previously Sponsorship Coordinator

- 17. Peer Mentorship Program (PMP)18. Grad Budget
- - Think of ideas for grad to generate revenue and let Melissa know

# Round Table:

November 25 <sup>th</sup> : Alumni talk from 12-1pm
Tutoring meeting with Colleen
Interclub at the end of September
<ul> <li>Review the role of VP academic and put it on agenda item for discussion at the next meeting (9/21)</li> </ul>
Lipdub next weekend (9/17)
<ul> <li>Clubs night on 9/14 Tuesday 5:30-7:30 (PhUS members to come at 5pm)</li> </ul>
Will put in funding applications on website soon

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CHIUS	
PSSJ	
Yearbook	<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 photos.rxyearbook@gmail.com and we'll organize photographers for your occasion.
HSSA	
CSHP	
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Meeting adjourned at: 2:00PM
Moved: Simon Z.; Seconded: Margaret
Be it resolved that PhUS council adjourns the meeting.
Approved: All| Objections: | Abstained: