



PhUS Council Minutes
Date September 18, 2026
Time 12:00 PM

President	Carl Silverio	P	1st Year Rep	-	
VP Internal	Jacob Magbag	R	1st Year Rep	-	
VP External	Amy Lee	P	1st Year Rep	-	
AVP Internal	Taoyi Zhang	P	2nd Year Rep	-	
VP Academic	Pasley Merritt	P	2nd Year Rep	-	
AVP Academic	Alyssa Burrows	P	2nd Year Rep	-	
VP Finance	Keegan Koning	P	3rd Year Rep	-	
VP Social	Kayla Pham	R	3rd Year Rep	-	
AVP Social	Gurbaz Grewal	R	3rd Year Rep	-	
VP Communications	Miffia Huang	P	2028 Grad Reps (3rd Year)	Amanda Gao	P
Secretary	Xya Parashar	P		Hailie White	-
Sports Representative	Camille Valdes	P	4th Year Rep	Alvin Adam	-
Sponsorship Coordinator	Irene Cheng	R	4th Year Rep	Lindsay Barkworth	-
Mentorship Coordinator	Jayden Pun	P	2027 Grad Reps (4th Year)	Ava Meririll	-
				Payton Leonard	-
DEI Chair	Alexis Jang	P	Senator	Chaeyoung Lim	R
Faculty Representative	Aaron Beedle	-	Faculty Representative	Jennifer Chatterton	-
Faculty Representative	Kathy Seto	P	Faculty Representative	Bhavya Jain	-
Faculty Representative	Marion Pearson	-	Faculty Representative	Gloria Cheng	-

P (present) | A (absent) | R (regrets) | L (late) | - (not required to attend)

Guests: N/A

Meeting Presentation: N/A

Meeting called to order at 12:05 PM

Approval of Minutes

Moved: Amy Lee; **Seconded:** Pasley Merritt





Discussions:

1. VP Internal
 - a. Thank you everyone for coming to clubs night!
 - b. Clubs Fund Application for Rx Book Club was approved for \$250
2. VP Academic
 - a. Met with Leonie to discuss how to improve **SEI response rates**
 - i. Tentative event **Nov 27th**: how to provide constructive feedback and which area of form to input feedback
 - b. **Voting Drive Event?** - Municipal Elections are coming up Oct. 17 - healthcare workers/students are impacted by votes (potential club collab)
 - i. Currently accepting feedback on this.
 - c. **Textbook broke raffle dates**: Oct 5-9th (aligned to AMS dates)
 - d. Hiring for pipeline until Sat Sept 19
 - e. **Pipeline Orientation** on Mon Sept 28 7-8pm
 - i. All PhUS sub committee member attendance required (TOR rule)
 - f. Tentative pipeline dates: Oct ? / **Nov 4th**
3. MHTF
 - a. Hiring PY1 Student Reps Deadline Sept 18th 11:59 pm
 - b. Next hybrid group meeting:
 - i. Friday Sept 25th 12-1pm
 - c. New Initiative*** Monthly Walk in the Woods (Meet in lobby)
 - i. First event: Monday September 28th with Erica 5:45pm -7pm (Pacific Spirit)
4. VP Communications
 - a. Headshots - DM Miffia if you need one for the PhUS website + Instagram
 - b. **GROUP PICTURE – Thursday Sept 24 @ 12PM**
 - i. Dress code: IA appropriate clothing



Round Table:

Faculty	NTR
President	- Interdisciplinary Chair is a new proposed hired position in council and will be discussed further next week. - A vote will be held to determine whether to use remaining PhUS Internal funds to purchase merch for PhUS council members. - Will not be continuing with the Lunch and Learn with the college from USA
Secretary	NTR
VP External/DEI Chair	- Hiring for the PAM committee ends next Friday, Sept. 25th - The instagram account for DEI has been made - The hiring for DEI committee closes at the end of the month
VP/AVP Internal	NTR
VP/AVP Academic	- Please provide feedback regarding the Voting Drive to Pasley
VP/AVP Social	NTR
VP Finance	NTR
VP Communications	- Please reach out to Miffia if you require a headshot
Sponsorship Coordinator	NTR
Sports Rep	- Looking to incorporate PT students for interfaculty basketball - Able to sign up for a basketball intramurals team
Mentorship Coordinator	- The mentor-mentee pairings will be finalized by the end of the week and will connect by next Friday
Senator	NTR
Grad Reps 2027	NTR
Grad Reps 2028	- November 6th at the Pint has been booked for the Commitment to Care After Party - Sweater sales will begin next week
1 st Year Reps	NTR
2 nd Year Reps	NTR
3 rd Year Reps	NTR
4 th Year Reps	NTR

NTR = Nothing to Report

Meeting Adjourned: 12:23 PM

Moved: Amy Lee; **Seconded:** Alexis Jang

Be it resolved that the PhUS council adjourns the meeting.