

SPH Student Senate Meeting Minutes

Date: February 4th, 2020

Time: 6:30-8:00 pm

Location: Mayo A-110

Attendance count: [Diksha Srishyla](#), [Aanu Ayeni](#), [Alina Okomoto](#), [Devon Sauerer](#), [Ian Passe](#), [Keelia Silvis](#), [Matt Rundle](#), [Yiyao Jin](#), [Nicole Havel](#), [Jacqueline Cassman](#), [Puleng Moshele](#), [Zach Maino](#), [TH Tran](#)

No.	Item	Speaker	Time	Meeting Notes
1	Pulse Check	Teale	5 min	
2	Leadership exercise	Career services	10 min	-
3	Account update grant voting	Puleng	15 min	-
4	Committee updates: -EPC/Executive -Alumni Society -Career Services -CHIP -COGS -University Senate -PSG	Zach Jacqueline/Chris TH Devon Jin Sandra Matt	15 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Insurance issue for online students – not going to renegotiate policy anytime soon but may get a different policy for online students - Hiring assistant dean for student engagement – interviews and presentations (would be new advisor) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Hired sometime in March (fingers crossed) - Vic is now the advisor for the student senate as of today - Alumni Society <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Gophers gathering starts this weekend! § Need to start sending out e-mails – Jacqueline § If student needs transportation, we are considering opening up

				<p>lift/uber receipts for reimbursement – should have a cap of \$50.00. motion to approve max \$50.00 transport for this year’s gopher gathering. Will be shared on e-mail. Forum will be created to e-mail out for people to fill out on a need basis.</p> <p>§ Promote car pooling</p> <p>- CHIP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Volunteer opportunities: open arms (prepare meals), give kids a smile (Public health will be tabling) <p>- COGS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Meeting Feb 25th <p>- PSG</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Distance learning health insurance – PSG will not stand with us because it only affects us <p>§ Would need to renegotiate the entire healthcare plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Twins game this year – not until April <p>- University senate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Apply! Great to be university system wide
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5	Sub-Committee Updates - Beatification - Buddy System - Pass-Through	Ian Diksha Zach	10 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sphere beautification – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o survey will be dispersed to student body à come together to address what should be recommended, o money is not coming from student senate money - Pass through funding – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Have a pool of money acceptable to any of the groups and then restrict who can use money and a max money
6	Events Update/Planning - LGBTQIA+ - MILI SDoH - Pamoja? - Gophers Gathering - CHIP Week - Public Health Week - SPH Elections	Ian TH Sandra Chris Zach Teale Zach	15 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Events Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Feb. happy hour – planning process tbd o March – dance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Hulu instructor in school of public health – Ian reach out to Sandra o LGBTQIA+ Conference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Missing LGBTQIA+ content is not being utilized in the school § \$4200 from PSG § \$1500 from school of public health § Student senate volunteers

				<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ MILI SDOH<ul style="list-style-type: none">§ Part 1 and part 2 – held in east bank in April 27(??)§ Engaged in a panel○ Pamoja –<ul style="list-style-type: none">§ not a great date April 23rd because Alumni Society event is happening on that date§ date still in flux/when room is available§○ CHIP Week – March 23-27<ul style="list-style-type: none">§ Monday – relaxation event§ Tuesday – healthcare panel§ Wednesday – game night§ Thursday – fair with different student groups§ Friday – social event at surley○ National Public Health Week – April 6-10○ SPH Election<ul style="list-style-type: none">§ Only needs the president needs to be in senate this year§ Email sent out to
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7	<p>Open Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New Ideas - Volunteer Opportunities - Office Hours - Social Media 	Everyone	18 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Promote preferred pronouns and create resources in surveys that address pronouns (he/her/them/blank) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Start with Christian o Concern that whoever who is promoting the event is responsible but can become an information campaign - Office hours – good idea! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Add more structure/promote when we will be there - Social media <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Need branding standards o Have fun and utilize - Minnesota Public health association – may 4 - Eagan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Alumni may do cocktail hour/food type thing – no location as of now – may have opportunity to open up to students - Career connect this Thursday if want a professional photo - Immunization process needs to be done for all students please fill it out. – if have complaints go to Ian – only one person is working on this and does not have time. Next year if immunizations are not done then there will be a hold on registration/graduation

8	Sub-committee Meetings - Chairs will coordinate	Zach	1 min	
9	Other			<p><u>Grant App Discussions:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Change the survey for Grant Applications to have yes/no receive credits - Student senate can change the cap of money allocated to students if the senate wants to in the future (ex. \$500). However, the rule for this year is \$200 is the cap.
10	Next Senate Meeting - March 3, 6:30 PM	Zach	1 min	