



Chicago Medical Student Council General Body Meeting April 28th, 2008

I. CALL TO ORDER 5:32pm

II. Motion to pass minutes: Motion Passes

III. EXECUTIVE REPORTS:

- A. Secretary: Jonathan Kaplan (jkapla2@uic.edu)
 - I. Health Fair- Successful with 125 in attendance
Rapid HIV testing was a successfully introduced
Thank you to all the volunteers
- B. President: Chris Toupin (ctoupi1@uic.edu)
 - I. Hand over to new board
- C. Vice President: Ashlee Goldsmith (agolds2@uic.edu)
 - I. DWD updates from April: OSA session for M1 summer opportunities, inclusion of student groups that are already doing these sessions
 - II. Home webpage: off college of medicine site, intended to be central location for variety of links and resources
 - III. Clorox wipes in Edelstone now there
 - IV. Edelstone – Refrigerator cleaning on a regular basis is being discussed, will potentially be the responsibility of the M1/M2 class boards
 - V. New White Coat Badge- M2 will be offering a new design
- D. Treasurer: Daniel A. Novella V. (novella@uic.edu)
 - I. 309 and 311 Rooms now open, see Mary or Luke if need to get into the rooms
 - II. Audit for the Business office- Educational funding issues, changes in funding for the health fairs and free clinics. Issue is that if it is an educational forum, OSA should be paying and funds should not be coming out of campus funds. Can still obtain funding for “student life and betterment on campus” for items such as food and events on campus. The Deans will be meeting regarding this issue as the details are being worked out.
Possible p-card system to help with purchasing so that students do not have to front the money
 - III. Turn in your receipts for reimbursement!
 - IV. Will have mandatory Treasures meeting as a result of all the new changes with funding for all student orgs in August.
- E. UMSC Rep: Carrie Nieman (cniema2@uic.edu)
 - I. Leadership -33 people received leadership certification, which was a dramatic increase from year (12 people)
 - II. DWD – format may be changing, please give feedback
 - III. Committees – Re-elections will be in September, although they will transition to Spring elections
 - IV. UMSC met in Peoria –
 1. Illinois Bill of Health- Lobby for more money for medical education funding
 2. OSR – Org of Student Representatives – Check out resources on AAMC website
 3. University of Illinois Library webpage Surgical Procedures viewable
 4. SAC – leave of absence policy
 5. Match – UIC matched at the national average
 6. New incoming class: 600 offers by the end of the season, 500 so far, and a 20% increase to number of minorities this year
 7. Visiting Student Application Process – Program to stream line application process for away rotations

KEY DATES

May 9th GRADUATION!!! @ 1pm
May 16th @ 4pm Deadline for HPSC travel grants
June 7th Due date for all receipts

8. New Fees - \$636 extra fee for improving wireless and library and tech facilities to be added to the tuition of incoming student
9. Pharmacy School – wants to open another site, 50 incoming students will be attending the new site
10. Evanston-Northwestern Hospital – Affiliation possibility with UIC, breaking ties with Northwestern rumored

F. Alumni Rep: Vidhi Srivastava (vsrivstv@uic.edu)

- I. Current established role with the alumni council
- II. Grad Boat instead of Grad Ball this year, funded by the alumni. May 8th 7-10pm on the Odyssey Boat off Navy Pier
- III. May 9th meeting, pass on Alumni rep info from each class to ingrate them with the council

IV. CMSC OFFICERS' REPORTS:

A. Webmaster: Dan Novella (novella@uic.edu)

Health Fair Pictures are now posted

B. Advisor: Dr. Yee-Kin Ho (ykho@uic.edu)

Is looking into funding for those with financial hardship

V. REPORTS:

A. Class Officer Reports:

I. M4

1. 11 days until Graduation!
2. Grad Week: Second City is still open for all of those that would like to go
Wed- Med Rock 2008 – Jack's Tap, several bands will be playing, is free and there are drink specials
Thursday – Boat Cruise
Friday – Graduation at 1pm at the UIC Pavilion

II. M3

1. ECP and P – class is being re-vamped – videos have been made regarding professional ethical issues by the current M4s
2. Fill in elections upcoming during ECP and P
3. Shelf Exams going on right now

III. M2

1. Two class until finished with class
2. Final M1 election to fill final positions
3. Track Assignments – To be done Friday, some hospitals have changed the way they do track assignments, and this may change the way assignments are done
4. Studying for Boards

IV. M1

1. Taking Finals right now
2. Working with OSA regarding items for next year

B. Committee Reports:

I. M1/M2

1. Had a brainstorming sessions regarding curriculum changes and possibility for seeing answers to tests
2. Clinical Month in first year is a possibility to be integrated into the curriculum

II. M3/M4

1. Annual report given, need better standardization between sites and evaluations, so this is being worked on.
2. Pediatrics – UIH – possibility for getting students into the nursery, number of attending is changing which may affect students in the rotation.

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- 3. Anst – 2 week elective for all day rotation vs the current schedule of four weeks of half days. This will make scheduling easier for the rest of the year
- 4. Review of Hospital Practicum
- III. Curriculum
 - 1. Did not meet
- IV. SAC
 - 1. Met
- V. ECM Clinical Skills Advisory Committee
 - 1. Did not meet
- VI. HPSC
 - 1. Last day for spending is May 1st
 - 2. Illinois Bill of Health
- C. Ad Hoc Committee Reports
 - I. ECM Revamp
 - 1. Trying to implement changes for incoming M1s
 - II. Curriculum Revamp
 - 1. Did not meet
 - III. ECP&P
 - 1. See above
 - IV. Evaluation Committee
 - 1. No update
 - V. LPC Committee
 - 1. No update
 - VI. Facilities
 - 1. Left Handed Desks – Took four years, but they will be installed in the fall. Limited model choices, but they will be placed in the front row
 - 2. Study Space
 - 3. Dean Dontes – working on the classrooms and study spaces. Will be redoing the entire building, but will be painting/re-carpeting areas for the short term
 - 4. Oasis – money is still being raised
 - 5. Annex- will be reassessing this space as a result of funding and long term plans in general.
 - 6. Storage Space – Back Locker room available, may convert part to study space, should help with storage space for the campus organizations

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

- A. Facilities – See above
 - I.

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

None

VIII. STUDENT ORGANIZATION UPDATES

- A. Eligible Organizations:
 - I. AMA
 - 1. No Report
 - II. AMSA
 - 1. New board has been elected
 - III. *AMWA*
 - 1. No Report
 - IV. *APAMSA*
 - 1. No Report

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- V. *ASAP*
 - 1. No Report
- VI. *Club Med*
 - 1. No Report
- VII. *CMDA*
 - 1. No Report
- VIII. *EEM*
 - 1. No Report
- IX. *EMIG*
 - 1. No Report
- X. *IFMSA*
 - 1. No Report
- XI. *IPSIG*
 - 1. No Report
- XII. *JHPS*
 - 1. No Report
- XIII. *LaRaMa*
 - 1. Health fairs will be occurring through the summer, stay tuned for details
- XIV. *LGBTPM*
 - 1. No Report
- XV. *Medical Students for Choice*
 - 1. No Report
- XVI. *NMIG*
 - 1. No Report
- XVII. *NLVS*
 - 1. No Report
- XVIII. *Psyched*
 - 1. No Report
- XIX. *SAMSA*
 - 1. New board elected
- XX. *SNMA*
 - 1. New board elected
- XXI. *SPS*
 - 1. New board elected
- XXII. *SRFC*
 - 1. No Report

IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

There will be a meeting in May, but not in June!