



## Chicago Medical Student Council General Body Meeting November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008

### I. CALL TO ORDER 5:25

### II. EXECUTIVE REPORTS:

#### A. Secretary: Mary Mattern ([mmatte3@uic.edu](mailto:mmatte3@uic.edu))

##### I. AV Update

1. Survey has gone out regarding the Proposal for a permanent system, it will Be vital to have student support to try to get administrative approval

#### B. President: Jonathan Kaplan ([jkapla2@uic.edu](mailto:jkapla2@uic.edu))

##### I. Facilities Updates, see Old Business

1. Annex – is open!
2. OSA – expanded offices into the Founders room, go into OSA first  
Please to see Donna

##### II. CMSC Office – have items at the office to be cleared out still:

1. AMSA, AMWA, AMA, M2, M4 class boards

#### C. Vice President: Carrie Nieman ([cniema2@uic.edu](mailto:cniema2@uic.edu))

##### I. DWD Recap

1. Dean Dantez – 6% rescission in funding from the state, discussion regarding how funding is prioritized. UIC COM seems to be under funded in comparison to other Illinois medical schools, AMSA is interested in putting together a lobby day to go down to Springfield – contact Emily Haak [ehaak@uic.edu](mailto:ehaak@uic.edu) for details.
2. Sean – Dean Mayer will help with proposal; need to put together a formal proposal. Need to see if Dept of Surgery will help with managing the Sub I, if not to be able to get core credit elsewhere and not have to do the Medicine Sub I. Should look at Medicine structure as guide. SPS/ObGyn Interest Group support with proposal?
3. Step 1 Report – Dean Halsey Mean 221 (Natl. Avg 222) 97% pass rate. Less people have delayed, general improvement overall.
4. Dean Sandlow - Campus wide Pharm-Free policy.
5. Yalda – International Rotation electives, need more help from OSA

#### D. Treasurer: Luke Kinsinger ([lkinsingr@uic.edu](mailto:lkinsingr@uic.edu))

1. Funding Day – upcoming in the spring semester
2. Health Fairs – have had two successful health fairs, please contact Luke regarding health fair supplies for future fairs
3. Constitution Amendment - See New Business

#### E. UMSC Rep: Quintin Cappelle ([qcappelle2@uic.edu](mailto:qcappelle2@uic.edu))

##### I. UMSC Meeting

1. Benware – Academic affairs component is needed for you to graduate
2. Gold Humanism Award
3. OSR Rep – M2s and M3s are eligible
4. Next meeting in March

##### II. LCME Accreditation

1. Survey coming out in January, not mandatory, but need 50% participation for valid results for Accreditation

#### F. Alumni Rep: Ashlee Goldsmith ([agolds2@uic.edu](mailto:agolds2@uic.edu))

1. Dec 5<sup>th</sup> Alumni Council meeting
2. \$25,000 gift – project planning, council is aware of the AV need however

#### G. Advisor: Dr. Yee-Kin Ho ([ykho@uic.edu](mailto:ykho@uic.edu))

##### I. Emergency Loan Fund

1. \$250 or below, will be approved right away

##### II. Nursing Room

1. Room 258 will be renovated for this purpose
2. Hospital Nursery also available for those in rotations

#### H. OSA: Dean Lantz ([deanlantz@uic.edu](mailto:deanlantz@uic.edu))

### KEY DATES

DWD – Dec 1 Room 106, Dinner @ 5:15pm

**\*\*No December CMSC Meeting**

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- I. Lounge space on first floor between the connections of the buildings – will be putting furniture/wireless access there soon
- II. LCME Survey – need good response rate!
- III. Updating Bulletin boards – please look here for who's who, clubs, orgs, please see Dean Lantz if you would like to add items

### III. CMSC OFFICERS' REPORTS:

- A. Webmaster/Web Team: Dan Novella ([novella@uic.edu](mailto:novella@uic.edu))
  - I. Minutes are posted, dates are being updated, more relevant links
  - II. Go to the website to fill out anonymous feedback for us

### IV. REPORTS:

- A. Class Officer Reports:
  - I. M4
    1. Interviews are going on!
    2. Speaker for Graduation being worked on
    3. Setting up Match Day, location has been narrowed now
  - II. M3
    1. Survey feedback regarding OSA is being worked on
    2. M4 Survey coming to see what they liked, wished they had known
    3. Google website – still being worked on, would be site to buy/sell books etc
  - III. M2
    1. Cleaning up the Refrigerator – Class Boards are interested in taking on this responsibility
    2. T-shirts in the works
    3. LCME – feedback committee being developed, see Jeremy with questions for this
  - IV. M1
    1. Date Auction – Approximately \$4,000 raised
    2. First Anatomy exam was today!
- B. Committee Reports:
  - I. M1/M2
    1. Human Development was approved, addressed concerns regarding the text book, please read it since questions do show up on the test
    2. Template for other classes: Pharm and CPP to be worked on first for this
    3. Anatomy – to meet after break regarding the course
  - II. M3/M4
    1. No Report
  - III. Curriculum
    1. ECM – more focus with core science and clinical skills
    2. Genetics – to integrate more clinical correlations
    3. Discussion of Template for other classes
    4. Course Directors are to let students know if a lecture is not going to be recorded to students know they should attend
    5. Course for CAM – learn in more detail what goes into Chiropractors etc do
  - IV. SAC
    1. No Report
  - V. ECM Clinical Skills Advisory Committee
    1. M4 reps meeting regarding ECM – concern regarding April Practicum, making changes to maximize learning. No decisions were made
    2. Feedback being collected from M2s, will be presented soon
  - VI. HPSC
    1. UPASS – four week gap in the summer has been taken care of, there is still a 5 day gap however
    2. Project Grants – there were only two this year, there is still money so apply in the spring! Food, speaker, travel, can all be covered as long as it is for UIC students
- C. Ad Hoc Committee Reports
  - I. ECM Revamp
    1. Physical Exam learning changes in small group, moving some interview skills to first year
    2. Core Competencies being reviewed to improve the flow between first and second year

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- 3. ECM3-4 peer review also being considered
- 4. ECP&P – working to see what we are still lacking on rotation
- II. Curriculum Revamp
  - 1. No Report
- III. ECP&P
  - 1. No Report
- IV. LPC Committee
  - 1. No Report
- V. Facilities
  - 1. No Report

**V. OLD BUSINESS:**

- A. Facilities: Annex, OSA use of Founders Room
  - I. See above
- B. Addition of new OSA/Fin Aid staff
  - I. Process of hiring a new advisor/fin aid will be interviewing in December/January
- C. OSA Website Update
  - I. Working on improving the structure, have allocated someone from IT to improve
  - II. Please give Corey feedback about tools/ideas (Anonymous suggestions can be placed on the CMSC site)

**VI. NEW BUSINESS:**

- A. Suggestions for annual alumni \$25,000 fund
  - I. List of items will be sent out to students to be priorities: eg. Histology slides online, additional funding for student orgs esp. for community events, tables in Elelstone, lamps don't work. Office of Advancement also goes out to solicit donations, your ideas will still be used in that way.
- B. Edelstone Policy
  - I. Lee Katman asked that people are respectful of others, clean up after yourself. People have been moving power strips, chairs, etc. Staplers/hole punchers are breaking all the time, and will not likely be replaced.
- C. Funding Constitution Changes
  - I. **No Quarum, issue tabled for next meeting**

**VII. STUDENT ORGANIZATION UPDATES**

- A. Eligible organizations:
- B. *AIM*
  - I. Water Initiative – 60% proceeds for charity tonight 9pm at Victor Hotel
- C. *AMA*
  - I. No Report
- D. *AMSA*
  - I. Monday World Aids Day – Student Panel, videos, look for
- E. *AMWA*
  - I. Holiday supply drive for Debra's place box in OSA, looks for emails
- F. *APAMSA*
  - I. Hepatitis B education
  - II. Setting up a Pre-Med chapter
- G. *CAMIG*
  - I. No Report
- H. *CMSA*
  - I. No Report
- I. *CMDA*
  - I. No Report
- J. *Club Med*
  - I. No Report
- K. *EEM,*
  - I. No Report
- L. *EMIG,*
  - I. No Report

- M. *HemOnc IG*,
  - I. No Report
- N. *JHPS*,
  - I. No Report
- O. *LaRaMA*
  - I. No Report
- P. *MS4C*
  - I. No Report
- Q. *NLVS*
  - I. No Report
- R. *PIG*
  - I. No Report
- S. *Psyched*,
  - I. No Report
- T. *Q&A*
  - I. No Report
- U. *SAMSA*
  - I. Health Fair was successful and will be having another soon
- V. *SGHI*
  - I. No Report
- W. *SNMA*
  - I. No Report
- X. *SPS*
  - I. No Report
- Y. *SRFC*
  - I. No Report

**VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Adjourned 6:45pm**