

## CMM NSC GSA Meeting Online Feb 25<sup>th</sup>

### Monday, Feb 25th ONLINE

1. **Royal Streaming**
    - a. Looks like it's dead in the water, issue brought to FMGSC meeting and with Ryan Russel, would require a tech from medtech or central each time = \$\$\$, would likely decrease turnout to seminars which are already poorly attended...
  2. **Accreditation is coming up... Grad student survey for feedback**

Students to be sent survey soon in order to give faculty feedback before accreditation. If everyone could review and provide feedback on questions to modify or ask to be sent back to faculty and sent to students officially. Questions are linked in google doc - please edit in unique colour to facilitate discussion
  3. **GSAED**

President emailed regarding updated student mailing list. Waiting to hear back
  4. **FMEC and ASSIST** - please read attached email at bottom from Alain, if anyone is interested let me know and I will reach out. FMEC description is attached to email.
  5. **CCRM** - CCRM goes live is an interactive live presentation hosted by CCRM - would benefit students - President reached out regarding info on CCRM events and education opportunities - to put together for next biweekly.
2. **Vice**
    - 2.1. Alain Stintzy review committee - who was selected?  
**John was selected. The meeting for the review committee will be on March 19th from 12-1pm.**
    - 2.2 FMGSC meeting– it was suggested to increase turnout and for promoting survey completion – have survey provide a barcode or voucher for free burger at next event... fantastic suggestion – VP can look into this?
  3. **VP Social/Athletic**
    - 3.2. Lab Olympics - How did it go? How much do we owe?  
Olympics – VP Social will answer.  
Valentine's day candy grams was a win! We had 43 people sign up for them.  
**Have the money with for the next meeting**
    - 3.3 What's planned next?  
Trivia night next week! BMI is hosting but CMM is invited.  
Will be holding board games night Mid-March! Maybe a Pub night end of March at Dooley's?  
What does the council think?
  4. **VP Academic**
    - 4.1. **BYOD Workshop - how did it go? How to improve for future?**
      - The workshop went well Dr. Ramsay gave some interesting advice, and made a point of explaining why certain aspects of statistics exist
      - Out of 25 registered to attend (and 8 registered to present a data slide), only 6 showed up (2 people with data slides). Some of the people who were no-show's are on the council (and other councils). Please email the council and/or me if you register for an event and cannot attend. There was a lot of extra pizza.
    - 4.2. **What's planned next?**
      - The photoshop workshop, followed by the poster presentation workshop.
  5. **VP Student Support / Wellness**

5.1. Next wellness meeting is on Thursday, March 29 from 4 to 5 p.m. in room RGN 2029. ---VP Finance or VP Academic - will you be available?

**6. VP Finance**

7. BSS Rep - how goes the planning

**8.1. Updates?**

**9. GSAED Director**

**10. Webmaster**

**11. VP Communications**

**12. VP Administration**

- **Social media is lacking in pictures from the events we host. Could anyone/everyone from the council that attends our events remember to just take a few pictures and send to me?**

**13. Reps (OHRI, CHEO, Royal, Heart, CMM, NSC, Masters, New Student, MD/PhD)**

**NEXT MEETING: Monday, March 5<sup>th</sup> (RGN 3126)**

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Dear Candice, Danny and Peter,

Would you be able to help me with this and identify/nominate one graduate student who would be willing to sit on this new FMEC committee? The terms of reference of this committee are attached. It will be a good place to advocate for the needs of graduate students at the Faculty level and to hear about the other educational portfolio (MD and PGME).

Also, I would like to inform you that we are exploring the possibility to offer the ASIST program to a small group of interested students (probably ~10 students at first). It is a 2 days interactive workshop in suicide first aid. The workshop teaches participants to recognize when someone has thoughts about suicide and to help create a safety plan. The objective would be to constitute a “core” of students knowledgeable about suicide prevention. These trained students would then be able to help other students (we would have to discuss how we would do this). I think it could be a great opportunity to address some of the wellness concerns. To note, we are also planning to offer this workshop to supervisors. Do you think students would be interested to participate?

Thanks for your feedback,

Alain.

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