

Minutes from 9/13/02 Meeting in Anatomy Conference Room

1. Fall 2002-Spring 2003 GSC Operating Budget
 - a. Daniel provided a write up of the expenses for the semester. One item was added to the list: \$300 for Nursing Student Orientation was paid out of the account in August. Also, the September lunch was \$132.14 instead of the \$150 allowed in the budget.
 - b. Street Fair Booth amount was changed to \$100 to include donation of a basket.
 - c. Christina K. will talk with Dr. Sarras about funding IGPBS Orientation out of IGPBS funds instead of out of GSC funds in 2003.
2. Allied Health Funds Allocation
 - a. Karen Stanze gave a summary of the history behind Allied Health Student Senate's request for back-pay from GSC funds. In 1998, Allied Health Grad students came to a GSC meeting and voted to pull their funds from GSC and give them to the AH Student Senate. One or two payments were made, and the next 2 years, no funds were given to the AH Student Senate. This year, they are requesting roughly \$3,800 in back pay from GSC. Dr. Rawitch has given them ~\$1,900 out of another account, and the remaining funds are to come out of our funds.
 - b. At next month's meeting, we will discuss how the funds are to be allocated in the future. 20th Day enrollment figures will be available at that point. Some suggestions for fixing the problem are that the AH Student Senate petition the GSC for these funds each year, that only a certain percentage of the Allied Health funds is returned to their Senate because the AH students are eligible to participate in GSC sponsored events such as SRF, that we try to encourage more involvement in GSC by Allied Health Students (and Nursing) by directly contacting the students or representatives of the students, and that flyers are posted in departments and/or around the campus to encourage AH and SON grad student involvement in GSC.
3. Student Research Forum Chairs
 - a. Christina will check with Shalmica and Claire about getting started on fund-raising for this year's SRF.
 - b. Ramsey, Erica, and Mike will call an SRF planning meeting in the near future so that people who are interested can have an opportunity to chair the entire event or be involved with individual committees.
 - c. The speaker committee needs to get started ASAP.
4. Fall Picnic/Party
 - a. Possible change of venue this year: Rohan to check availability of Westwood Park (47th & State Line in KC, MO). Tentative date for party is 9/27/02.
 - b. There was a suggestion to perhaps have a Halloween party if the fall party does not come together.
5. Election of Senators to Student Governing Council
 - a. Jennifer Ho-Chen (IGPBS), Ines Janowicz (IGPBS), and Ramsey McIntire (Anatomy) will be the representatives to SGC. Christina Newport is the alternate.
6. New Business
 - a. GSC Website: www.kumc.edu/student/GSC: Erica has set up the GSC website. Minutes and attendance will be posted after each meeting.
 - b. Parking:
 - i. Students can put their names on the waiting list for Red Parking stickers and move their cars closer after 5 pm, but it is unlikely that they would be considered for employee parking privileges that would enable them to park closer in the morning.
 - ii. The Nurse Anesthesiology students wanted to be able to park in the garage after 2 pm. The shuttle service should be available for them when their shifts are

- over. One student in this program (not in attendance but represented by David Erickson) was given a hard time by a security person when requesting a ride at night, and Karen Rodriguez suggested contacting Rick Johnson to ensure that this does not happen again.
- c. Meet the Mentor Program (Saturday, November 9th 10-12): Interested individuals should send their name, department, and email address to Joe Bast, Christina Kaiser, or Erica Johnsrud for more information.
6. Next Meeting
 - a. The next meeting will be Friday, October 11, 2002, at noon in MRRC conference room.
 7. The Nursing Theses Presentations are on Saturday, October 26 from 9-4, and Sunday, October 27 from 9-12.