**Student Government Meeting Agenda**

Friday, September 16, 2016

2:30-3:30 p.m.

101 Rosenau

**AGENDA**

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| **Agenda Item** | **Discussion** | **Follow-Up** |
| 1. Introductions and Expectations
 | *Deana—from Advancement passed out cards to sign to thank Donors. Student Government members took Thank you pictures outside of Rosenau.*  |  |
| 1. Student Government Spring Events
 | * **Fall Blood Drive**

-*Check to see if any other blood drives are around the same time as ours (Pharmacy School?)**-Need volunteers to man stations (snacks, etc):* *-Sign up for half hour slots* *-Possible days: Mondays & Fridays**-Kristin will send out dates for to vote on** **School-wide student headshots**

***-****MCH (Maternal and Child Health Department) was interested in getting headshots & partnered with HPM Department****-****Date:**Tuesday, October 25 (1-8)****-****Program will be**circulated through HPM first then Student Government Reps will disseminate information within respective departments.****-****Price****:*** *$20 for 3 or 4 untouched photos & 1 professional photo** **Gillings Games**

*-Hooker Fields are still under construction**-E-haus Fields or Navy Field? Contact Campus Rec (Ranjitha) and find out Friday afternoon availabilities for mid-October to early November.* *-Time: 2-5 or 3-5; Department Reps check what time works best with your departments.**Structure:**1. Competition between departments:** *Specific activities?*
* *Rotating tournament style & championship brackets*

*2. Sign up with a group of 5/6 people?**-Contact program directors & Maybe partner with other student groups?* *-Prize for winning department: Pizza party?* *-Fundraiser for TABLE**-Raffle: Gift Cards + FitBit?**Logistics**-Katherine (Treasurer) will submit a proposal for money to fund this.* *Games:**-Need waivers**-BattleBall (Ranjitha—how much are they?)**-Kickball** **Collaboration with Minority Student Caucus**

-(*April): MSC & SG previously met & discussed creating a student-wide discussion centered around diversity & inclusion. The event will be open to students only and will discuss race, diversity, & things not included in coursework.**Goal:**-We want to create action steps addressing how students feel about the climate of the school and what faculty and staff need to do.**Date (Tentative):* *October (Depending on the availability of departments; Want all departments to be present)**To Do:**-Department REPS: Reach out to student service coordinators to get an idea of what dates work best with the department.* *-Brainstorm confidential ways for students to provide feedback**-Open to anyone at the school**-Reach out to underrepresented communities?**Structure:**-Town Hall forum style & working in small groups.**-Starting off in small groups and then moving into a larger group for discussion.* * **Student Government Bulletin Board: 2nd Floor Rosenau**

*Individual spotlights:**-Picture + Your department position; If interested, send an email to Kristin or Ranjitha*-Start publishing other campus events?  |  |
| 1. Potential Student Government Events
 | * **Screening of “Newtown” documentary**

*-(Allison—Guest):The film focuses on the aftermath of the shooting in Newtown in 2012. From the movie, viewers will hear from parents who lost kids, firefighters, and priests in the community.* *Goal:**-To address gun violence as a public health issue, bring awareness, and spark a discussion.* *Logistics:**-Screening is $200 (within our budget)**-Kristin will submit a proposal and hopefully we can cover funding**Date:**-Anytime after November 3**Structure:**-How do we want to frame this?** *Gun Violence as a public health problem; Incorporate mental health & discuss how it truly affects communities.*
* *“Gun violence through a public health lens”*

*-Panel afterwards: do we want to fly people here (directors?)?** *Incorporate a spectrum of perspectives*
* *Speaker on government funding*
* *Contact Professors that do research on gun violence:*

*Mike in Epi?* *MCH department?* *Steve Marshal, Yvonne in Epi (injury research)*-Model event after previous HPV documentary showing*Collaboration(s) With Other Groups:* *-Gain additional funds or advertisement**Possible Groups Include:* *-Students Against Gun Violence at Campus Y—(Katherine will contact)**-NC Chapter of Gun Violence—(Varsha will contact)?**-AMWHO? (Sanjay will contact)* * **School-wide Food Drive**

*-Collaboration with HPM student council**-Competition b/w departments**-Jazra will ask someone in HPM department* * **Hunger Lunch:**

*-No Response**-Are they trying to continue partnership?**-Partnership with Nourish (beans, nice, cornbread) from TROSA. --Proceeds go to student groups that Nourish funds to do international work.* *-Last year it was in the atrium once a month & all grad school students and faculty would come.* |  |
| 1. Networking
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| 1. Wrap-up
 | * **Next meeting date**

*-Once a month**-First week of every month**-Fridays at 2:30-3:30 PM* * **AMWHO (**Sanjay)**:**

*-Started in Gillings. Next annual conference is in Spring 2018.**-Panelists and small conferences (evenings)**-Conference is structured like MODEL UN; Include Public health professionals**-Looking for partnerships with other organizations**-Focusing on gaining a campus presence**-Sanjay to update us on when the first event will be.* * **Jazra: Communications**

*-Editing the website**-Facebook page completion tentative date is next Friday**-Student Government Reps: contact her about website about changes/comments.** ***Varsha: Classroom to Communities Organization***

*-Recruiting volunteers**-Contact her to find more information*  |  |