

Student Education Group Minutes

3/2/2021

Agenda

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
5:20	Open for socializing!
5:30 - 5:40	Guests from Wellness: Dean's Advisory Committee for difficult events Wellness reps
5:40 - 6:00	Committee & Dean updates - Dr. Zehle, Committee reps
6:00 - 6:20	Campus swap proposal update - Sam & Heather
6:20 - 6:40	Course updates - all members
6:40 - 6:50	Fun Facts from M4s
6:50 - 7:15	Select project discussion - Meg
7:15 - 7:25	Retreat planning - Sidney
7:25 - 7:30	Election planning - Meg

Teams

Team 1: Sienna Searles, Maggie Carey, Will Brown, Heather Giguere

Foundations: FoCS, PCR

Liaison Roles: Library, Technology

Clinical Rotations: Psychiatry, Family Medicine

Team 2: Audrea Bose, Megan Boyer, Delaney Sztraicher, Will Yakubik

Foundations: A&D, NMGI, DIV

Liaison Roles: Elections, Communication

Clinical Rotations: Surgery, Emergency Medicine

Team 3: Flora Liu, Kelly Chan, Raj Aurora, Sam Afshari

Foundations: Medical Neuroscience, Connections, PHP

Liaison Roles: Teaching Academy, Academic Support, Commons

Clinical Rotations: Internal Medicine, Neurology/Outpatient

Team 4: Sidney Hilker, Rachel Harrison, Anna Chamby, Dan Fried

Foundations: CRR, HDRH, Convergence

Liaison Roles: Technology, Clinical Skills

Clinical Rotations: OB/GYN, Pediatrics

COMMITTEE REPORTS

MCC COMMITTEE (Kalle Fjeld, Luke Higgins, Dinkar Ahuja)

FOUNDATIONS COMMITTEE (Rachel Harrison and Lizzi Hahn)

CLERKSHIP COMMITTEE (Sienna Searles and Trina Thornburgh)

AAMC REP: (Brian Gross, Gia Eapen)

Attendance:

Last Name	First Name	Title	Present/Absent
Afshari	Sam		X
Aurora	Raj		X
Bose	Audrea		X
Boyer	Megan		X
Brown	Will		X
Chamby	Anna		X
Chan	Kelly		Absent
Carey	Maggie		X
Fried	Dan		X
Giguere	Heather		X
Harrison	Rachel	Foundations Committee Member	X
Hilker	Sidney	Chairperson	X
		Staff Advisor	
Liu	Flora		X
Searles	Sienna	Clerkship Committee Member	X
Sztraicher	Delaney		X
Yakubik	Will		X
Zehle	Christa		X
Guests			
Higgins	Luke	MCC Representative (co2022)	X
Fjeld	Kalle	MCC Representative	Absent
Hahn	Lizzi	Foundations Committee Representative (co2022)	Absent
Thornburgh	Trina	Clerkship Committee Representative (co2021)	Absent
Larkin	Olivia	M4 Larner Student	X
Altman	Jeremy	M1 Larner Student	X
Brand	Stephen	M1 Larner Student	X
Kaadi	Elie	M1 Larner Student	X

Minutes

- **Sidney Hilker – Course Updates**
 - Recordings of class sessions have been removed for access to students unless an excused absence. M1 SEG reps will be presenting ideas to the foundations committee on March 10th.
- **Updates with Dean Zehle**
 - Dean Zehle is in active communication with department of health to optimize students time with COVID-19 testing protocols at UVM campus. The goal is to find a way to protect our community while being conscious of medical student's time now that most Larner Students are vaccinated.
 - STEP 1 students who want to take the exam after clerkship or during clerkship now have the option to do so. STEP 1 needs to be done before advanced integration clinical work.
 - Accreditation. Final preparations underway for our upcoming site visit in mid-April.
 - Curriculum retreat for curriculum as a whole is being planned for June 2021. Curriculum level reviews will occur on a four-year cycle, beginning with a review of the whole curriculum this year, followed by a review of each level (one per year) in the three years in between.
 - GQ survey response rate for UVM was in the top three school for responses!
- **Campus Swap - Jeremy Altman, Stephen Brand, Elie Kaadi, Heather Giguere, Sam Afshari**
 - Students have a week post-interview to decide their campus (VT or CT) yet this decision has a large impact on a student's medical school experience. Student feel like they are assigned a campus with no real understanding of what they agreed to. Students need more transparency to make this decision during interviews.
 - The inclusivity for the campus swap criteria prevents a lot of students using this option so implementing changes to a form that will allow students to be able to change their campus.
 - Lease issues are difficult financially for CT students because they are not in Vermont second year for a full year. Students support systems may be in Vermont and for many reasons going to Connecticut campus may have a negative impact on student medical health.
 - Proposed systems would have students apply for campus between January and February of the M1 year. A second application pool to swap would occur in the beginning of the fall of students M2 year. Students would only be allowed to swap campuses once. These dates are primarily mapped around students understanding of campus decisions and leasing dates in Burlington.
 - Discussion of what criteria to decide which student gets into each pool is being discussed, but overall emergent conditions for priority will still be in place.
 - SEG will reach out to admissions moving forward to begin this discussion. SEG needs to gage the need for this option across the current M1 class. Specific student examples will be presented to promote the need for this change. SEG will also try to find why the current system in place has this current structure.

- **Megan Boyer – Project Discussions**
 - Team 4 met with Dr. Moore and Dr. Lounsbury on attendance in HGRH on discussing ways to improve attendance. Discussions are still ongoing to figure out a way to increase attendance in the wake of STEP 1 preparatory time.
 - Match Day town hall was held by the Deans for the first time ever.
- **Sidney Hilker – SEG Retreat Planning**
 - Plans for the SEG retreat were discussed and schedule was laid out for March 21st.
 - Elections for SEG spots for Vice Chair and Foundations will be decided that day.
- **Megan Boyer – Election Planning**
 - Team 2 is managing the five elections at large to the class (AI, MCC, Foundations, Clerkship, and Evaluations). The goal is to have these elections finished by the end of April.

Action Items:

Topic	Action/Initiative Needed	Sub-Committee Owner(s) for Action/Initiative