2) Election Timeline: ‘14-15 elections
   • SG representatives nomination period (entire student body): Tuesday 5/13 - Friday 5/16
     ○ Class of 2015, 2016, 2017
     ○ 3 class reps, 2 curriculum reps, 2 fin aid reps
     ○ New SNAP and diversity reps (4 year positions) elected in fall 2014
   • SG reps voting period (entire student body): Saturday 5/17 - Tuesday 5/20
   • Exec board nomination period (current SG reps): Wednesday 5/21 - Friday 5/23
   • Exec board voting period (current SG reps): Saturday 5/24 - Tuesday 5/27

3) Expansion of Executive Board Voting
   • Proposal made at April meeting to open voting for executive board positions to the entire student body. Currently, nomination statements are shared with student body, but only student government members can vote. Consensus at April meeting was that most representatives would prefer opening elections.
   • Pros
     ○ Argument made that expanding vote will increase interest in positions and election and help more students get involved in student government
     ○ Specifically, expand voting for President, as this person represents the entire school, so should be voted on by entire school.
     ○ Improves transparency of SG, and specifically the executive board
   • Cons
     ○ Concern that most students have not attended SG meetings and don’t know how much participation/involvement students have
     ○ Would this just turn into a name recognition contest?
     ○ SG members are most informed in the voting process
   • During discussion, consensus seemed to shift away from opening up voting. Most representatives agreed that preventing a name recognition competition would be difficult, particularly in years with multiple candidates for each position. In addition, it was felt that voting participation among entire student body would be very low.
   • There were several suggestions to improve transparency of elections while still having only elected reps voting
     ○ Class reps should solicit feedback from classmates before voting in exec board election
     ○ Exec board nomination statements will be sent out to entire student body
     ○ Other ideas?
   • Vote to change voting eligibility for executive board nominations deferred
Will promote increased transparency in exec board nominations this spring and will reassess whether effective in September meeting

4) Social Chair Eligibility
- Proposal by Wenlu Gu to expand eligibility for social chair position to include students without a formal position on student government
- Current by-laws stipulate that all exec board members must have at least one year of SG experience and hold a current position. Proposed change would allow students with no experience to hold position or co-position if there is a lack of interest among current SG members
- By-laws revision proposal by Aaron Grober as follows:
  - A. The above criteria apply to students seeking the social chair position.
  - B. Any second-year (or more senior) student may run on a platform with a student who does meet the above criteria for this position, which will create a co-chairship for that year.
  - C. In the event that no student who meets the above qualifications wishes to run for the position either solely or on a platform with another student, any second-year (or more senior) student may apply for this position which they will hold solely.
- Vote: Unanimously approved
- Eligibility for all other executive board positions will remain unchanged

5) Ann Davis Update
- Graduate student lounge in remsen
  - Reviewed letter to graduate student community promoting ongoing communication regarding shared space- No changes made
- Request to revisit curriculum representative positions
  - Given ongoing MEC course reviews with addition of new course reviews as a part of curriculum redesign, responsibilities of curriculum reps have continued to increase
  - Need to make sure these reps are not overworked by this role
  - Discussion on how to better distribute the workload
    - adding a third rep per class, decrease number of meetings required to attend
  - Decision made to ask curriculum reps, Sarah Johanson (chair of MEC) to assess what would be most helpful (additional reps? redistribution of responsibilities?) and re-assess in fall. Difficult to make any changes to number of reps in last meeting of year just before new elections
- Transition update
  - Redistribution of responsibilities following Dr. Davis' departure 7/1/14
  - Dino will take over most administrative issues in student affairs
  - Dr. Roshini Pinto-Powell and Dr. Matt Duncan (along with Dr. Joe O'Donnell) will take over advising role
    - Will split office hours in student affairs so someone is always available with open door for students
○ Time dedicated to the new advising structure in 1st/2nd year orientation in August
○ Student affairs will hold session this spring to update rising 2nd/3rd years

6) Diversity Reps Update
   ● Liam Guerin and Gwen Hunt shared results of most recent survey of first year students on diversity issues
   ● See attached powerpoint
   ● Will present this information again at a fall SG meeting

7) Additional by-law revisions - deferred to fall

8) Community Service Funding - deferred to June ‘14 meeting
   ● Will be re-addressed when approving the 14-15 budget

9) Thank you
   ● Final meeting of ‘13-14 executive board
   ● Thank you to everyone who participated in SG this year

10) Next meeting
    ● Tuesday, 6/3, 5:30-7:00pm Aud G at DHMC