Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth  
Student Government Meeting Minutes  
January 12, 2016  
18:00 Auditorium G

Attendees  

Staff/Faculty  
Tina Wilcox  
Roshini Pinto-Powell  
Dean Compton

Agenda
1. Process for choosing Class Day speakers, Class of 2017 – Tina and Dean Compton  
   a. Prior process:  
      i. Student Affairs met with 3rd year class during first round of ICE (enough lead time to book most speakers)  
      ii. Gathered names from class, sent names to Dean’s Office which booked speakers  
      iii. Pros/Cons: Meeting in person allowed guidance regarding more or less realistic speakers – but took time out of ICE schedule  
   b. More recently, Student Affairs has been gathering suggestions online via Doodle Poll  
      i. No guarantee that the speaker will be chosen from names generated by class → has been causing problems/disappointment  
      ii. Thinking about going back to in-person conversation during ICE  
   c. Suggestion: send Doodle Poll to class a week or two prior to ICE to gather speaker names  
      i. Better timing (earlier = better for speaker availability) and idea generation  
      ii. Then discuss suggestions in person during ICE → shorter session than prior process  
   d. Action:  
      i. Khushboo will draft email message to current 3rd year class
2. Standing Tables for Remsen  
   a. Suggested by student, better for posture and back pain!  
   b. Action/Update:  
      i. Tina is currently working with the Facilities Dept to handle fire code, room capacities, and other requirements  
      ii. Tina will work with the college to find out if we are required to purchase through certain vendors
3. Student Government Website  
   a. Problem:  
      i. Khushboo and others in Student Government receive many emails that request information that is available online, likely because the Student Government website is not widely used/know about  
   b. Suggestions:  
      i. Set up a group on Canvas → Student Government Tab  
      ii. Sign official Student Government emails with the website hyperlink to increase visibility
4. Social Chairs – Event Announcements  
   a. Problem:
i. Social Chairs are having difficulty sending event announcements to TDI student body and to Geisel class listservs

b. Action:
   i. TDI: Asha and Alex (social chairs) will send messages to Tina, who now has the TDI listserv email address
   ii. Geisel classes: Tina will give Asha and Alex access to Geisel class listservs

5. Social Chairs -- Event Updates
   a. Jan 29th – Heart Rounds with Dartmouth hockey game to follow
   b. Specimen Cup Date TBD
   c. April 23rd – Formal

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https://geiselmed.dartmouth.edu/students/organizations/student_gov/