

**Attendance—Fall Quarter, 2010**

X = not in attendance

<b>Program</b>	<b>September 23, 2010</b>	<b>October 21, 2010</b>	<b>January 6, 2011</b>
Flex		X	X
Phys. Scientist Training		X	X
Genetic Counseling	X		
Physical Therapy			
BME			
Cell/Cancer Bio	X		
Environmental Health	X		
Immunobiology			X
MDB			
Pharmacology			
Molc.Gen			
Neuroscience			
Path/Molc Med			
SBP			
Public Health			First Meeting

**Meeting Minutes---1/6/2011****NEXT MEETING IS FEB. 3, 5:15 PM MSB 2301****President (Robyn Amos-Kroohs, [amoskrrm@mail.uc.edu](mailto:amoskrrm@mail.uc.edu))**

- Still working on getting the fundraiser together, so far Spicy Pickle and Starbucks committed to discount card---will keep trying new businesses or will try something else.

**VP (Jon Dudley, [dudleyjm@mail.uc.edu](mailto:dudleyjm@mail.uc.edu))**

- New group represented on HSGA, Public Health.
- Search for the new COM dean is going well, getting final list together and then interviews are in Feb.

**Treasurer (Kim Sun Wook, [kim2sk@mail.uc.edu](mailto:kim2sk@mail.uc.edu))**

- Spent \$84 last quarter, \$1201.27 left and ~\$900 in GSGA budget.

**Social Chair (Cam Harris, [harricm@mail.uc.edu](mailto:harricm@mail.uc.edu))**

- GSGA, Welcome back event planned for late Jan., check for an email.
- English GSGA group planning a night out at Perfect North, skiing. If interested, email Cam.

- Planning a Cyclone game for Winter and Roller Derby again for Spring.

### **Community Service Chair (Haley Titus, [haley\\_titus@yahoo.com](mailto:haley_titus@yahoo.com))**

- The Fall/Winter clothing drive went really well, 3 huge loads were taken to St. Vincent de Paul.
- Planning to host the dinner at Ronald McDonald house dinner on January 23<sup>rd</sup> (Sunday) with undergrads from Golden Key
  - Email Haley if interested, possible shifts are 4-6 or 5:30-7 in the kitchen and serving, about 20 people needed, 10 per shift
- Plan on having a Relay for Life team this year (4/20-4/30) and possibly a group for the MS walk at the beginning of May. Email Haley if interested.

### **Miscellaneous**

#### **GSGA Rep (Yingying Wang)**

- Details of meeting available online at GSGA website as a pdf.
- Jan. 14 is the deadline for group awards. (\$11,000 available)

#### **Committee on Graduate Education Rep (Tara Kyser)**

- Nominations received for GSRF Speaker, voting will begin soon watch for an email
  - Due to budget cuts, may need to invite someone local.
- Applications for the Graduate Student Mentoring Program to mentor undergraduate research experiences are due Jan. 28.
  - Send a summary of the proposed research for mentee and be past your qualification exam.

#### **Health Sciences Library Committee Rep (Robyn Amos-Kroohs on behalf Kim Sun Wook)**

- At the end of November, the system for ordering articles online will be changed to something easier.
- Semester conversion on schedule.
- Winkler Center on R level on development, may lose some study space there.
- Working in a library app for phones.
- Adding American Medical Association and Journal of Medical Association to accessible journals.
- Most of the multimedia in the bookstore is for Macs not PCs.

### **Alternative Career Seminar Committee (Robyn Amos-Kroohs)**

- For winter will have a speaker, Ron Janeseck, from P&G in March.
- In the Spring will have a longer seminar with 4 different speakers
  - Will hear from a science writer, a policy maker, a patent lawyer and a UC alumnus who is now involved with finance.
    - Any suggestions for backups please email Robyn.

### **New Business**

- Diana Koch suggested we start a chapter at UC of the Association for Women in Science
  - Their goal is to advance opportunities for women in math and sciences and joining provides access to MentorNet and a chance at awards and scholarships.
  - Updates on policy reform and networking opportunities + literature on career development
  - Probably involve some community service/volunteering at local schools.
  - Annual membership fee of \$25.00, need at least ten active members.
- Please email Diana if you are interested ([kochde83@gmail.com](mailto:kochde83@gmail.com))
  
- The pharmacology department would like to invite Alan Alda as a speaker, possibly for the Fall GSRF next year.
  - His interest is in making science accessible to the public and the ways that can be accomplished
  - Currently visiting professor at SUNY
  - Would like student support for this, such as forming a welcoming committee and any extra funding available.
  - This was put to a vote, everyone was in favor.