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GENERAL MEETING - 09/24/13 - 6:40 PM
WILLIAM LEVINE HALL - ROOM 115

Faculty Reports

- Dean Barone
- Dean Woodward
- Dean Cintron

Guest Speakers

- Architect Presentation on New Pharmacy Building Addition
 - Dean Barone Introduction
 - Thank you to faculty for input!
 - Architects - Ellenzweig / Clarke Caton Hintz
 - Worked on other Rx schools in Baltimore and Kentucky
 - First phase of design process is finished
 - Fall 2016 - Building will be tentatively finished
 - A long way to go before finished design
 - Student Commons
 - "open space" - not much built in
 - Reception for a speaker
 - Sit down on tables/chairs/comfortable furniture
 - Please suggest learning commons ideas to the architects!
 - Flat screens, skylights, 2 stories high
 - Dedicated for student space
 - Coffeeshop
 - Dining Services will more than likely be the operator
 - Sky lights
 - Windows face north - never have glare, heat loads, or shading problems.
 - Printing station
 - No computer lab planned as of now
 - Wireless printing
 - Main entrance of new building is aligned with pathway
 - 2 New lecture halls - long tables with space
 - "Sound Lock" vestibule planned for lecture halls
 - Big enough to hold an entire class
 - BMS has named one of the rooms - "For Pharmacy use only"
 - Community practice training suite
 - Moving functions from spaces upstairs to this place
 - Model pharmacy
 - 20 student patient assessment rooms
 - Glass on community practice area
 - Showcases students in action in community practice environment
 - Virtual pharmacist - telemedicine equipment
 - Showcase for what school is about
 - Student Organization Office
 - Student study rooms
 - 3-4 students
 - Dovetail connection between student commons
 - 2nd floor small group rooms overlook Student Commons
 - Trying to make the boundary between old and new buildings disappear
 - Seamless transition
 - Hospital training center
 - Simulation suite
 - Perhaps interdisciplinary education with Rutgers Medical School?/Nursing school?
 - Some hospitals are willing to fund this so they can train their personnel when students are not using the space

- Medical mannequins
 - Mock laminar flow hoods
 - Debriefing rooms
- Penthouse
 - 3rd floor
 - NOT a spa
 - Space for all the mechanical equipment - fans, air handlers
- 3rd floor
 - If more funding, possibility of having research suites
 - 4 faculty offices
 - “Open lab” concept
- 4th floor
 - Currently not in the scope, but possibility of new faculty offices
- Basement
 - New mechanical basement
- Site improvements on area around building - outdoor plazas, better landscaping
- Syracuse University Life Sciences Building
 - Model for the project’s exterior
 - Uses terracotta - contemporary, fresh, modern, futuristic
- 3 new 60-person classrooms
- More detailed design to come in October
 - More detailed plans to come, e.g. furniture, lounges
- During construction, access to the current Rx building will be from the perimeter

New Business

Officer Reports

- Mingyang Lin, University Senator
 - First Senate meeting 9/27
 - E-mail pgc.coordinating@gmail.com if interested in joining the PGC Coordinating Committee
- Francis Eusebio, Recording Secretary
 - Attendance Competition
 - Organization Attendance Competition
 - The individuals that attend 4 out of the first 6 PGC meetings this semester will count towards an organization’s attendance
 - PGC representatives/members of Class Council do NOT count towards an organization’s attendance
 - Only ONE organization per individual will be accepted
 - Individual attendance competition
 - the individual(s) that attend(s) the most meetings during the semester will receive a gift card
 - PGC Reps - Must swipe out after every meeting
- Neil Patel, Corresponding Secretary
 - Remember to send all announcements by Wednesday night at 10 PM to ernestmariopgc@gmail.com and seneil@eden.rutgers.edu
- Paola Acevedo, Treasurer
 - Please complete the 2012-2013 Mentoring Program Assessment Survey for a chance to win a \$10 Starbucks Gift Card! The deadline is Tuesday 9/24 by 11:59pm
 - Treasurers, return your signed treasury card to Dean Nancy as soon as possible, if you haven't done so already
 - If you have any questions regarding the PGC or SABO treasury policies please contact me at PaolaAcv2@gmail.com
- Alex Wei, Vice President External
 - Contact ernestmariopgc@gmail.com for potential collaboration opportunities with any professional schools.
- Angela Qian, Vice President Internal
 - Email emsopmp@gmail.com if you are interested in helping out with future Mentoring Program events
 - This is different from the mentoring picnic so e-mail if you have any questions!
- Malay Naik, President
 - Congratulations to Dean Barone on his new appointment as Dean of EMSOP!
 - P3/P4 Student Tickets for Football Games - Call 866-445-GORU (4678) or visit the RAC Ticket Office 9am-5pm
 - Tell them you are a Pharmacy student and ask for your ticket status to be changed to undergraduate
 - Then you will be able to claim student tickets like normal
 - Please visit the PGC website for many valuable resources - pgc.rutgers.edu
 - E-mail ernestmariopgc@gmail.com or mnaik.91@gmail.com if you ever have any questions!

Guest Organizations/Representatives

Organization Reports-

- ACCP---** American College of Clinical Pharmacy ruaccp@gmail.com
- 10/15 - Advocacy Month Drug Pricing event @6:30 in BCC w/ AZO & NCPA
 - 11/12 or 11/13 - CV Critique/Mock Interview Workshop w/AZO & NJSHP.
 - *Please note date change from 11/6/2013*
 - Be on the lookout for our upcoming clinical lecture series

AMCP–Academy of Managed Care Pharmacyrutersamcp@gmail.comrutersamcp.weebly.com

- 1) Collaborative Patient Care Training Sessions with APhA, NCPA, SNPhA: Monday September 23 - 6:30 PM for Lung Disease Thursday September 26 - 6 PM for Diabetes
- 2) P&T Competition General Interest Meeting: Monday October 14 - 7 PM
- 3) RWJH P&T site visit with NIHSP: Friday October 18 - 11 AM
- 4) Health Fair for Korean Americans: Saturday September 28 - 10:30 AM

APhA–ASP–American Pharmacists Association - Academy of Students of PharmacyRutgersAPhAASP@gmail.comrutgersapha.com**-HEALTH FAIRS**

- Thurs 10/17 | **APhA Health Fair @ Walmart Route 1** | 2-5pm
 Sat 10/26 | **ADA Stepout Walk w/Operation Diabetes @ Bridgewater** | 2-4pm
 Thurs 11/14 | **APhA Health Fair @ Piscataway Senior Center** | 2-5pm

GENERAL MEETINGS

- Wed 9/25 | **Policy Committee Meeting** | 6:40-8 pm PH-007
 Wed 10/2 | **Eboard Meet 'n Greet** | 7-9pm BCC Cove
 Wed 10/9 | **Policy Committee: Policy & Letter Writing** | 6:40-8 pm PH-007
 Thurs 10/17 | **Policy Committee: Political Trends & Pharmacy Law** | 6:40-8 pm PH-115
 Thurs 10/23 | **Policy Committee: How to Talk to Legislatures** | 6:40-8 pm PH-007
 Mon 10/21 | **Generation Rx Peer Education Training** | 7-9 pm
 Tues 11/12 | **Prescription Drug Abuse Round Table** | 6:40-8 pm BCC
 Wed 4/2 | **Midyear Review Session** | BCC MPR

CONFERENCES

- Fri 10/4 - Sat 10/5 | **NJPhA Convention** | Taj Mahal, Atlantic City, NJ
 The annual NJPhA Convention is a great opportunity for networking and learning more about current issues relevant for pharmacists in NJ. Other benefits include student workshops and professional development roundtables. Students are also encouraged to participate in the NAPSA Pain Counseling Competition or the NJPhA Pharmacy Counseling Competition.
 Fri 11/1- Sun 11/3 | **Mid-Year Regional Meeting** | Washington DC

MEMBERSHIP

Membership forms can be found online at www.rutgersapha.com. Chapter dues are \$10, state and national dues can be paid online. Membership forms + money are due on October 15th.

DIA - Drug Information Associationrutersdia@gmail.com**Countering Counterfeit Medications in Africa**

- Thursday, October 3rd @ 6:30 PM in BCC Center Hall
 ---Discussion featuring keynote speakers with experience in combating counterfeit medications from the perspective of public health groups and private industry. For more information or to RSVP: <http://www.tinyurl.com/counteringcounterfeit>

Midyear Fright Night

- Wednesday, October 16th @ 7:00 PM in Pharmacy Lounge
 ---This event will cover useful tips on what to do and not to do in interview settings. Guest speakers will share personal horror stories from their past interview experiences and will help shape your interpersonal relationship skills. This event will be held in collaboration with NJSHP and ISPOR.

Webinar on Drug Induced Liver Injury

- Tuesday, November 5th @ 7 PM - Information on Viewing Will be Sent at a Later Date

IPhO – Industry Pharmacists OrganizationRutgersIPhO@gmail.com

- Site visit to Janssen 9/27
- Value of Industry Pharmacists Networking Event - 10/1 - Sold out!
- Meeting tonight at the end of PGC meeting in PH-007

ISPOR–International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes ResearchRutgersISPOR@gmail.com

- Site visit to Janssen with IPhO 9/27
- Committee members and chairs have been selected!

NCPA–National Community Pharmacists Associationruncpa@gmail.comruncpa.weebly.com

- NCPA's 1st General Interest Meeting: September 25th, 2013 at 7pm in BCC 116AB
- Applications for Patient Care Chairs Due **September 27th**.
 - All years recommended to apply!
- For more information email: runcpa@gmail.com

NJSHP–New Jersey Society of Health–System Pharmacistsnjshprutgers@gmail.comnjshprutgers.weebly.com**ASHP Clinical Skills Competition**

- Monday, 9/30 @ 5 pm in PH-413
- Put your clinical skills to the test! Teams of 2 are given a patient case where they must use resources to formulate a treatment plan. The winning team will receive a free trip and registration to Midyear! Teams must register via njshpRutgers@gmail.com by **Thurs, 9/26**.

Networking Breakfast at the Residency & Fellowship Showcase

- Wednesday, 10/3 @ 9:30am in the BCC

Network with NJSHP president, John Otchy, and other leaders in pharmacy before attending the Residency & Fellowship Showcase. Learn how to develop into leaders over a free breakfast!

PPAG - Pediatric Pharmacy Advocacy Group

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- The Pediatric Pharmacy Advocacy Group is an organization dedicated to improving medication therapy in children through education and outreach. The student chapter is new here at EMSOP. PPAG will be holding its first general interest meeting right after the PGC meeting on Tuesday, September 24th at 8pm in PH-111. Come see what PPAG is about, upcoming events, and how to get involved. Leadership opportunities are available. If you have any questions, please email rutgersppag@gmail.com.
- GIM right after today's PGC meeting at 8P in PH-111

SNPhA-Student National Pharmaceutical Association

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- We have just finished selecting our co-chairs for our individual initiatives. Thank you to everyone who applied, it was great seeing a variety of people wanting to get involved. Co-chairs will be informed of their selection, if not so already.
- We are still accepting dues for membership until October 1st. If you would like to sign up to become a member, it is \$10 for local membership and \$35 for National membership, \$45 for both. Please contact rusnpha@gmail.com for membership forms. Please drop both the money and membership forms in the SNPhA mailbox in the Pharmacy building lobby.

Greek Life Reports

AZΩ - Alpha Zeta Omega

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- This past weekend, AZO and the alumni chapter participated in the Pancreatic Cancer Research Walk in Bridgewater. The chapter was the 3rd highest fundraising team, raising over \$2,500. Our team also had the most walkers. Thanks to everyone who helped to support us.

- This weekend we will be participating in the Heel to Heal Walk. We will be supporting our new Embrace Kid's child, Miya.

-AZO will be hosting a Drug Pricing Event on 10/15 for Advocacy Month with ACCP and NCPA

-CV/Mock Interview Workshop is scheduled for 11/6 with ACCP

-AZO's national charity is Can Tabs for Ronald McDonald House. Please support our cause by collecting your tabs!

ΛΚΣ -Lambda Kappa Sigma

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- Lambda Kappa Sigma will be participating in the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure against Breast Cancer on Sunday 10/6. Please email rutgerslks@gmail.com if you would like to donate for the cause or join our team!

ΦΔΧ - Phi Delta Chi

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- Participating in the Scarlet Day of Service on September 28th

- Participating in the Heel to Heal walk for the Embrace Kids foundation on September 29th

Honor Society Reports

ΦΛΣ - Phi Lambda Sigma

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- Phi Lambda Sigma will be emailing out next week for the Rxecognize Me awards. Please look out for the email to submit your nominations in time.

- Pharmacy Advocacy Month starts Oct 1st. We will begin advertising this week. Class council will be handing out flyers in classes and playing the advocacy month video. Certification will require attendance to 3 events this year. No event is mandatory. Documentation will be done via a google form and all organizations hosting events will submit attendance sheets to PLS for us to cross reference for verification.

- The Advocacy Month Kick Off Dinner will be on Oct 10, 2013 with keynote speaker Dr. Justin Balint PharmD BMS Policy and Advocacy Fellow.

PX - Rho Chi

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1) Heel to Heal Walk for the Embrace Kids Foundation. Sunday 9/29/13 at 9am - 1pm in Johnson Park. Students must register.

2) Rho Chi's Healthcare Literacy Advocacy Month Event. Tentatively 10/23/13 from 2-6pm at Saiff Drugs in Highland Park. More information to come on this event.

3) Rho Chi has a bake sale every other Friday in the pharmacy lobby from 9:45 am to 1:30 pm.

3) Pharmacology Recitation 6:30-8:15 BCC116c on 9/25.

4) Patho recitation 10/3 6:30 to 8:30pm in PH-111.

5) Cardio recitation TBD.

6) Medchem "Acronym Method of Memorization" special recitation TBD after the first exam.

XAE - Chi Alpha Epsilon

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- XAE will be collaborating with Rho Chi in our first RU4Kids event which is Heel to Heal walk this Sunday 9/29. We are also in the process in collaborating with SnPha on future diabetes patient outreach events.

Committee and University Representative Reports

RUSA Reps

- Concerning issues with the new dining hall hours- The dining hall has a budget of 72 million a year and must make its own money to break even. To cut costs, hours have been cut to close at 8pm. However, there are other options. The main options are to cut quality of food/ brand names, cutting hours, or special events like Neptune night. Joe Charette, the Director of Rutgers Dining Services wants student feedback on the best course of action.

- Anne Newman, the Director of Student Conduct will be speaking at the next RUSA meeting, September 26th, 7:30 at the SAC

- Just a reminder, RUSA elections are on September 30th.
 - New construction for Academic and Classroom buildings at Rutgers
 - o For more information visit rutgersfuturebydevco.org
 - o Upcoming Town Hall meetings to get informed and voice opinion
- RUSA General Body Meeting (9/19)-
- Presentation by RU VOTING
 - o Two elections coming up and it is important to be registered
 - o For more information visit <http://yppp.rutgers.edu/ru-voting/>
 - RUSA passed Bill Approving RUSA Allocations Special Events Funding
 - o RUSA Allocations will fund 7 Special Events in 2013-2014 year
 - o Groups to receive funding include: AIR, WISO, TASA, and Arab CC
 - RUSA unanimously passed resolution supporting NJ United Marriage Campaign
 - o RUSA officially endorses the efforts of NJ United Marriage Campaign in their support of the Marriage Equality Bill

Public Relations (PR) Committee

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- We are advertising for the fight against counterfeit medications event by DIA
- Reminder for all orgs to send advertising requests 2 weeks in advance to emsop.pr@gmail.com

EMSOP Chronicles

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- This Friday, September 27, is the deadline for the first issue. Submissions on pharmacy current events; school & organizational news; opinion pieces; interviews; reflections on rotations, internships, or pharmacy practice experience; etc. being collected
- Layout meeting Thursday, October 3
- Projected publication date is the next PGC meeting, October 8
- Opportunities to get involved as writer, editor, or with layout
- Direct questions and send submissions to emsopchronicles@gmail.com

PharmaScript

- If you are interested in helping out with Pharmascript, email emsop2015@gmail.com.

Alumni Association Committee

- The Alumni Association Student Committee has finalized its list of co-chairs and committee members. These co-chairs and members will receive emails about their positions in the near future. Look out for updates soon!

Multicultural Affairs Committee

Class Reports

P4 Pharm D Class of 2014

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- Week 4 of Cycle 4
- Selling yearbooks until the end of the semester

P3 Pharm D Class of 2015

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- Submissions for the sweatshirt designs ended. Votes will be this week via sakai
- We are working on asking professors to upload PDFs as one per page.
- Vote about Almost Done will be out this week.

P2 Pharm D Class of 2016

2016.emsop@gmail.com

1. We are working on the Advocacy Month poster with LKS and NCPA on Preferred Providers.
2. Thinking of de-stress event for all the hardworking P2's!
3. Rho Chi created their own Sakai page, so P2s can add themselves as a member on that tab to get resources for courses/information on tutoring sessions.

P1 Pharm D Class of 2017

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- "Please take a few minutes to complete the survey about the Advising Meet and Greet Event so that the Advising Committee can gain valuable feedback on the event. It should only take about 3-5 minutes. (Link to survey: https://rutgers.qualtrics.com/WRQualtricsSurveyEngine/?Q_SS=4PhKbaKfRmSGLrT_8pnOMMcTqGzdvh3&_e=1)
- By completing the survey, you can enter for a chance to win 1 of 4 \$25 Visa Gift Cards. Drawings for 2 cards will be held on Friday, September 27th and Friday, October 4th. Entries made prior to Friday, September 27th will be eligible for both drawing dates."

PP2 Pharm D Class of 2018

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- "How to Survive Your PP1/PP2 Year" October 15 at PH-111 from 7:30 to 9 PM
- Bake sale and coffee fundraiser will be every other Monday in the ARC from 10 AM to 3 PM (starting this week). Stop by before your classes to get your caffeine boost!
- Want to get involved in class council? We want you here, too! General interest committee meeting sometime during the week of 10/21.

Next meeting will be October 8, 2013 - PH-115