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### **Committee Work:**

Health Advisory board meeting 2018-10-18 was apparently rescheduled.

## **Faculty Updates:**

No progress on the McGill-MSS MOA front for now.

I am working with the MSS Government Affairs and Advocacy Committee regarding the issue of unpaid internships, especially mandatory stages in the context of a growing movement in some professional faculties of Quebec.

# **Personal Project Updates:**

A newsletter item regarding copyright violations was sent out to medical students which seemed to imply that all reproduction of copyrighted works was illegal, ignoring fair dealing dispositions that are relevant to students. The statement was retracted after I complained, and an updated statement will be issued later.

McGill's copyright policies have long been baffling to me and this may be a good subject for a question.

## **Miscellaneous Updates:**

Today is my birthday, and sadly I will be spending my evening in the psychiatric emergency room.