MEDICAL STUDENTS' SOCIETY of McGill University L'ASSOCIATION des ÉTUDIANT(E)S en MÉDECINE de l'Université McGill

Bimonthly Updates (July-August)

This document was created with the purpose of updating members of the Medical Students'

Society of the efforts that their elected President, VPs and Officers have undertaken

throughout the past months.

- 1. Executive President (Montreal) Alexander Valerio
- 2. Executive President (Outaouais) Mahmoud Moustafa
- 3. Executive VP & Corporate Affairs Thalia Nguyen
- 4. Executive Vice-President and Finances (Outaouais) Nabeel Ahmed
- 5. Vice-President Finance Victor Kang
- 6. Vice-President Socials Elyse Bowitsch and Santina Conte
- 7. Vice-President Internal -Maxime Berthout
- 8. Vice-President Wellness -Anda Gaita
- 9. Vice-President, Wellness and Student Spaces (Outaouais) Aarti Srivastava
- 10. Vice President Education -Kevin Zhao
- 11. Vice-President External (Québec) George Girardis
- 12. Vice-President External (Canada) Tania Morin
- 13. Vice President External (Outaouais) Navid Zuberi
- 14. Vice-President Global Health Senior Ericka Iny
- 15. Vice-President Global Health Junior Marie-Laurence Brunet
- 16. Secretary General Anna Reiter
- 17. Past President Dennis Rompotinos
- 18. Information and Technology Officer Ian Langleben
- 19. Student Space Officer Alex Nguyen
- 20. SSMU Representative (Montreal Campus) Benson Wan
- 21. University Representative (Outaouais) Alexander Beaulieu- Shearer



22.GAAC Officer - Maya Alik

23. Medicine Senator - Samer Salameh

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1. Executive President (Montreal) - Alexander Valerio

- Presented orientation slides for Med-1 orientation. Presented a welcome speech to incoming Med-Ps, Med-1 Mtl and Med-1 Outaouais
- Organized Frosh alongside VP Socials and Outaouais President and social reps
- Signed off on Desjardins bank accounts for MSS clubs
- Attended CFMS special election
- Set up new emails for Outaouais GC positions and send updated directory to Faculty
- Sent preliminary emails for the Fall 2021 elections drafted by the MSS Vice-President
- Met with some execs as a beginning of mandate meeting

2. Executive President (Outaouais) - Mahmoud Moustafa

- Discussed with Faculty which student leaders sit on the different faculty committees
- Created McGill Emails for the Outaouais execs
- Discussed the creation of clubs and interest groups in Outaouais and how the Murmur will be distributed to Outaouais students
- Met with the Outaouais execs to discuss their goals for the year
- Initiated contact with FMEQ execs
- Organized Frosh

3. Executive VP & Corporate Affairs - Thalia Nguyen

- Negotiated sponsorships for the MSS, which includes the renewal of existing relationships and the recruitment of new sponsors.
- Organized conferences from our sponsors for students
- Organization a medical equipment presentation from 2 companies
- Collaborated with the VP Socials for Frosh

4. Executive Vice-President and Finances (Outaouais) - Nabeel Ahmed

- Preliminary discussions with potential sponsors for lunch conferences
- Steps taken to create bank account for MSS Outaouais

5. Vice-President Finance - Victor Kang

- Finalized budget for 2021
- New budget made for 2022

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- Reimbursement completed for previous year
- Conference Funding for 2021 completed
- Des Jardins clubs accounts fully active
- Gatineau budget made
- Meetings with Gatineau to organize budget/funding

6. Vice-President Socials - Elyse Bowitsch and Santina Conte

- Planned, finalized, and executed Frosh for the class of 2025 (one night virtual, 3 days in person)
- Worked with Thalia Nguyen (executive VP & corporate affairs) to coordinate sponsors for Frosh
- Collected feedback for Frosh from froshies and frosh leaders
- Started to plan Fall retreat

7. Vice-President Internal -Maxime Berthout

- Created incoming class Facebook group
- Coordinated Fall returning and new club applications (including funding)
- Coordinated Club Week applications
- Helped IT Officer with new MSS Website: Club Pages, Standing Committee Pages, Murmur & Calendar Pages
- Coordinated Club Meet & Greet

8. Vice-President Wellness -Anda Gaita

- Reviewed the wellness curriculum with Pascale from the WELL Office
- Gave the Block A wellness lecture on resilience with Pascale
- Ensured the continuation and promotion of the MSW Peer Support Network
- Planned fall recruitment for the MSW
- Updated the guide to wellness resources and the distress section of the MSS website
- Represented the student body at the Student Leadership meetings as well as at the level of the WELL Office

9. Vice-President, Wellness and Student Spaces (Outaouais) - Aarti Srivastava

- Met the WELL office team in Outaouais
- Delivered Block A Wellness lecture with Pascale
- Discussed Outaouais's Wellness objectives with WELL Office members
- Spoke to admin/faculty regarding student spaces

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10. Vice President Education -Kevin Zhao

- Represented MSS student body at Faculty Committed Meetings (Student Leadership, Program Committee)
- Fall recruitment for EdCom positions
- Integrate new EdCom members into Faculty Subcommittee meetings
- Maintain EdCom Slack channel

11. Vice-President External (Québec) - George Gerardis

- Helped organize the CFMS/FMEQ/IFMSA/GAAC/GH Intro presentation for Med-1 (Class of 2025) with various prizes
- Presented some FMEQ opportunities to students
- Familiarized myself with the FMEeQ's structure

12. Vice-President External (Canada) - Tania Morin

- Planned the CFMS/FMEQ/IFMSA/GAAC/GH Intro presentation for Med-1 (Class of 2025) with various prizes
- Assisted to first RRT meeting with other CFMS Reps
- Received CFMS Clipboards for Class of 2025

13. Vice President External (Outaouais) - Navid Zuberi

- Represented CO at the FMEQ meetings
- Presented FMEQ opportunities to students
- Familiarized myself with the FMEQs structure

14. Vice-President Global Health Senior - Ericka Iny

-Attended meetings with the CFMS on the subject of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusivity within the organization

-Met with the CFMS Director of Global Health

-Presented the Global Health Committee as well as the Sustainability Committee at the

CFMS/FMEQ/IFMSA/GAAC/GH event for the Med-1 students

-On-boarded the VP Global Health Junior - Marie-Laurence Brunet



15. Vice-President Global Health Junior - Marie-Laurence Brunet

Position not elected at this point.

16. Secretary General - Anna Reiter

- Met with MSS President to make a plan for the upcoming year
- Scheduled EC, GC and GA meetings for the year
- Wrote and updated KPIs

17. Past President - Dennis Rompotinos

- Transition with the MSS President
- Representing students on Program & Accreditation Committees

18. Information and Technology Officer - Ian Langleben

-Redesigned the MSS website at <u>mcgillmed.com</u> and began the ongoing process of transferring information to to the new website

19. Student Space Officer - Alex Nguyen

- Visited and cleaned the Annex and the 5th floor student space in McIntyre Medical Building

20. SSMU Representative (Montreal Campus) - Benson Wan

- Start of year for legislative council (no meetings yet)
- Revised motion for Campus Outaouais representation at legislative council

21. University Representative (Outaouais) - Alexander Beaulieu- Shearer

- No meetings yet with either Senate or Legislative council (SSMU)
- Discussed health and dental plan and how it would apply to Gatineau with the SSMU representative

22. GAAC Officer - Maya Alik

-Attended CFMS GAAC orientation presented by CFMS Director of Government Affairs

-Graded CFMS applications

-Started LATS involvement

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23. Medicine Senator - Samer Salameh

Tasks/Projects in-progress

- Medical Notes Project:
 - o 290 responses to the survey across 13 undergraduate faculties/programs.
 - o Survey summary report will be released by SSMU in Fall 2021.
 - o Consultations with McGill Administration throughout Summer 2021.
- Revision/Renewal of MOA: On hold (to be resumed for 2021-2022 year).
- COVID-19 Student Academic Advocacy:
 - o Ensuring ongoing accountability for Fall 2021 planning.
 - o Consultations with other faculties to note constituent concerns regarding in-person learning and activities.
- Outaouais campus advocacy:
 - o SSMU and University representation secured.
 - o Constitution and IR changes approved.
 - o Next step: Follow-up on aforementioned changes during 2021-2022 year.