

Agenda: Student Affairs Committee

Date: January 25, 2021

Time: 5:30pm

Location: Zoom video



Present:

Absent:

Call to Order/Minutes	
Unfinished Business	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Concerns over access to the dental student lounge and 3rd floor of the library, both of which are currently closed. Note that medical students have had access to a lounge in the communicore and also access to many student rooms and spaces in the Harrell building. NOTES: No control over space in communicore as a college. Action Item: Check with Dr. Probert because SAI may have contributed to renovations in the Health Science Center2. Action Item: Dr. Delgado will ask Dr. Pereira if community service still 10 hours but he thinks yes3. Most up to date information on patient boards NOTES: Meeting got moved to January but Dean is working hard towards making mannequin boards but will not know until the last minute

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<p>Class of 2021 Concerns – Megan Guerra</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The class wants to know when we can start using Ultra-Sonics again in clinic?2. External rotation housing concerns. When seniors go to rotation in Jacksonville Fl (as well as Winter Garden), most end up paying to stay in a hotel or Air BnB because the housing conditions that the school provides are unclean and unsafe. Additionally, they are not getting reimbursed for this cost.
<p>Class of 2022 Concerns – Catherine (Jenny) King</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Our class is concerned over the lack of Ted Funds. We were told we are not getting our junior Ted Funds this year.2. Our class asks if it is possible to keep in-person lectures to a minimum. There are few in-person classes currently and they ask if it could stay that way.3. Caries Removal: "I think caries removal isn't covered in preclinical courses as much as it should be. We have so many teeth from Endo or SOS that have caries. I feel that a couple exercises of access preparation and caries removal could easily be done on those without the school needed to buy supplies for it. Also, a quick refresher on caries removal would be nice before clinic so that all of the students and faculty are on the same page of what to remove and what to keep during operative procedures. I have assisted so many people that weren't sure how much tissue to remove and what leathery dentin looks like (myself included)."4. Any update on when the Cavitron will be back?

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Class of 2023 Concerns – Drew Anderson	No concerns
Class of 2024 Concerns – Andrea Nazari	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="583 459 1965 605">1. Sim Lab after hours practice time - “Sim Lab practice access. Much concern amongst our class and even from faculty.” “Can you emphasize how worried we are about getting enough practice time? It seems like there is still so much up in the air to be figured out and I'm worried if we will have the adequate time needed to build the foundation of our hand skills for our dental careers.”<li data-bbox="583 719 1965 930">2. Junior/Senior Lab logistics - “Worried about not having enough practice space prior to psychomotors. I think it’s going to cause a competitive dynamic among the class if there are only a certain number of practice spaces (if there are not enough spaces for an entire color group to practice at once) available in Jr/Sr lab leading up to a psychomotor. I think wearing appropriate masks should be able to compensate for not needing to alternate stations (within color group) and allowing one color group to use the entire room per practice session.”<li data-bbox="583 1044 1965 1109">3. COVID Vaccine - “Is there a plan for our class to become vaccinated and when can we expect to be vaccinated?”
Future Meetings	
Adjournment	