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SSC Meeting  
January 19th, 2021– 6:30PM  
Location: Zoom University

1) **Call to Order**
   a) Meeting called to order at 6:34 pm

2) **Land Recognition**

3) **Roll Call**

4) **Adoption of the Agenda**
   a) Mahakul/Biswurm

5) **Ratification of Minutes (Appendix I)**
   a) Mahakul/Barkhouse

6) **Western Song**

7) **Presentations to Council**

8) **Executive Reports**
   a) **VP Communications**
      i) Please take committee photos on zoom
         (1) There are backgrounds of PAB on drive if you need!
      ii) Sweaters are indefinitely on hold
      iii) SSC does not endorse any candidates
   b) **VP Academic**
      i) March break open house
         (1) Deans are starting to think about what we want to do for March break open house
         (a) Likely similar to fall preview day
      ii) Will be reaching out to dep reps for ITR programming assistance
      iii) Module pathway selector project
         (1) Streamlining of the university calendar
      iv) Dep club showcase
         (1) Dep reps will talk about their department
         (2) Still more to come
   v) **R&P surveys**
   vi) **Grad pics**
      (1) Province lockdown postponed grad pics
   vii) **Financial literacy event**
      (1) Will go over work study, saving and budgeting advice
   viii) Schulich awards committee
      (1) Somebody will decide which professors in upper year med sci will get awards
   ix) Schulich strategic planning committee
      (1) Will help Schulich administration plan for online courses and different aspects of the online environment that people may be facing in the coming year
         (a) Prefers 3rd year students
c) **VP Programming**
   i) Resume workshop on January 25th 5:30 pm
      (1) Prep your path with career services

d) **VP Wellness**
   i) Western Perspective Project
      (1) Finalized the 3 themes they want for this year
         (a) First year journey
         (b) BIPOC experience
         (c) The Senior Experience
      (2) Reach out to Maya Sheth if you want to be apart of it!
   ii) Mental health webinar
       (1) Gives participants tangible mental wellness advice
       (2) Multiple guest speakers
   iii) Series of infographics will be posted
   iv) International student support
       (1) Language buddy program
          (a) Reaching out to cultural clubs and asking if they have anybody who would
              like to sign up
       (2) International students FAQ

e) **VP Finance**
   i) Last years SSDAC will come out January 24th
   ii) SSDAC applications close on January 29th

f) **President**
   i) SSDAC updates
      (1) January 29th is the deadline
   ii) Presidential debate on January 26th
   iii) External advocacy committee met yesterday and passed Student Financial Aid policy
   iv) State of the USC event is tomorrow
   v) Department club roundtable on January 23rd

9) **Council Business**
10) **Governance Announcements**
    a) Whoever has not signed up for office hours, please sign up as soon as possible

11) **Member’s Announcements**
12) **Department Representative Reports**
    a) **First year rep**
       i) First year students did not think the labs this year were beneficial
       ii) Met with Dean Davison
          (1) It was hard to present opportunities that do not exist
          (2) Do not have funding for experiential learning
       iii) Applied math department dissolved

13) **Senate Reports**
    a) Applied Maths department has been dissolved
       i) SSC Constitution should be dissolved as well
14) **USC Report**
   a) State of the USC is January 20th

15) **Commissioner Reports**
   a) **Charity**
      i) Clothing drive was quite successful
      ii) Tiktok charity is coming out
   b) **Advocacy**
      i) Reach out to Meghan Scott if you have been unable to register into required courses
   c) **Events**
      i) If you are a dep rep and you have signed up for a February event, please fill out an events proposal before submitting the comms request

16) **For Discussion**

17) **New Business**

18) **Adjournment**
   a) Meeting adjourned at 7:33 pm
      i) Marginean/Mahakul