

AUMSA Education committee Meeting 1

29th Feb 7.30pm



Minutes

Present	Absent
Daniel Lavin - VPE Lachlan Markovina - President Callum Chalmers - VPA Sarah Casey - 6th Year Class Rep Avinash Sathiyaseelan - Auckland City Site Rep Joseph Frith - Waikato Site Rep Caitlin Jardim - 4th Year Class Rep Samantha Menezes - 5th Year Class Rep Rachel Baker - BOP Site Rep Susan Laing - International Rep Emily Jenner - Waitematā Site Rep Noah Appleby - Māngai Māori Hassan Shaaban - Edu Rep Crystal Tan - Edu Rep Bobby Tao - 3rd Year Class Rep Steven Harrison - 3rd Year Class Rep	Holly Maxwell - Lakes Site Rep Dhananjay Rathore - Middlemore Site Rep Ciaran Cox - Taranaki Site Rep Nikita Turoa - 4th Year Class Rep Kiara Theron - 5th Year Class Rep Harrison Bell - 6th Year Class Rep Lily Tualau - Pasifika Rep Caitlyn Brown - Rainbow Rep Genevieve Groult - Students with Dependents Rep

Topic & relevant information
Karakia
Welcome + Meeting overview Definition of the education committee and role <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group of students who represent divisions of UoA Med School • Role: Listen to students within your division and attend the SSCC meetings

Site Reps

Auckland site rep

- Year 4 introduction, Progress test tutorials and MOSCE

Bay of Plenty site rep

- Meet and Greet for Year 6's and Year 5's, in process of organising one for Year 4's, organise end of year MOSCE for Year 4s

Lakes site rep

- Absent

Pūkawakawa site rep

- Managing lodge, organising quiz night next week

South Auckland site rep

- Dhananjay - absent

Taranaki site rep

- Ciaran - absent

Waikato site rep

- Zoom orientation, Waikato site social around the lake, looking into Progress test tutorial, Blood drive, Pub quiz later in the year, feedback re Waikato medical school

Waitemata site rep

- Year 4 introduction, planning social events, MOSCE for 4th years, chatting to year group reps and O+G interest group for other OSCEs and information evenings

Rural Medical Immersion Clinical site rep

- Elected next year

Class reps

Class of 2028 reps

- Yet to be elected

Class of 2027 reps

- Finished off Freshers last week, looking into locations for Half Grad, working with Student support for a couple of events - pizza event tomorrow

Class of 2026 reps

- Everything going smooth, nothing to report, have started planning boat party

Class of 2025 reps

- Coordinating with site reps about site events

Class of 2024 reps

- Organising Grad Ball, different and better

Equity reps

Māngai Māori Rep

- Establishing TOKA, second hui tomorrow, working closely with Lily to attend MAPAS cohort meetings

Pasifika Rep

- Absent

International Rep

- Adding international students to Facebook group, first social event in

April, two main concerns - jobs after graduation - all students got a job last year, TI grant for international students - drafting letter to advocate to the University for funding for electives, looking for support from AUMSA, NZMSA

Rainbow Rep

- Absent

Students with Dependents Rep

- Absent

Rural Rep

- Yet to be elected

AUMSA reps

Edu reps

- Pre-clinical educational events, PBLs, social events, quiz night questions at 0 week, Med 101 for 2nd years, AD3YSG for 3rd years next week, MOSCEs at the end of the year, study smarter event, clinical site talk

AUMSA VPA

- Supportive role if anyone needs it, can send out information via website and newsletter if needed

President

- Help to escalate to faculty

Voting on future meeting structure

- Should the education committee meet as a whole once a month or in discrete groups. E.g Class reps meet with class reps, equity reps with equity reps etc.
 - Smaller meetings might improve attendance
 - Should we meet in 3 separate groups?
 - Will contact absent people before confirming final outcome
- Should the committee produce a single word document to the student faculty meeting with all concerns of students
 - Easier for the University to understand
 - Ensures all issues are raised and get covered
 - Document can be used as reference for future meetings
 - Concerns about this vs an agenda - what is it adding?
 - More detailed, all reps will be on same page, adds more weight to the arguments and allows us to prepare better
 - Concerns about extra work
 - **Minutes from our meeting can be used to prepare the agenda for the SSCC meetings**
 - Have the dates been released? No, faculty has ghosted us on providing these dates
- Education survey
 - Interesting in doing a survey specifically related to education for numbers and statistics in relation to changes within the faculty
 - Lack of transparency from faculty around specific assessments - Anaesthetics OSCE and Ophthalmology OSCE - puts too much responsibility on students and specifically site reps - please include in the survey
 - Two surveys - one clinical and one pre-clinical
 - Self directed learning days - lack of understanding from clinical

sites, needs to be more formalised

- Waikato Medical School Feedback
 - Joseph seeking feedback, he will collate and share
- One on ones
 - Daniel will contact to organise

Karakia + Farewell