

Nursing Student Council
October 28, 2022, 12:00 PM

Zoom Meeting

Meeting Attendees:

Dr. Lori Escallier

Dr. Barbara Kitchener

Dr. Jean McHugh

Adam Burgman

Dr. Joanne Ritter-Teitel

Latrice Solomon

Carline Thomany

Amayra Choudhury

James Freire

Tatiana Keeby

Freda Nokaly

Meredith Barba

Diane Torsell

Dr. Nataliya Shaforost

Karen Thomas-Lovell

Nyleptha De Souza

Yvette Rogers

Shazia Peters-Steele

Jeanne Shotzbarger


With a quorum present, Dr. Escallier called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM.

The following was discussed:

1. Meeting began with introductions, from faculty, former Council, and incoming Council.
2. Latrice Solomon is confirmed as the main coordinator for December 20th ceremonies.
3. Shazia Peters-Steele confirms that pins, and lamps were purchased and arrived for **Convocation**.
4. **White Coat Ceremony** for incoming RN-BS and ABSN students will be on December 20th from 10 AM-12PM. **Convocation** for graduating ABSN and DNP students will be December 20th from 3-5 PM.
5. Adam Burgman confirmed set up for **December 20th** ceremonies will be on **December 19th**.
6. Deadline for photos/videos for slideshow requested from all programs deadline is **November 20th**.
7. Dr. Lori Escallier confirms **White Coat** and **Convocation** invitations will be emailed only.
 - a. All students will be allotted 3 tickets each for their respective ceremony.
 - b. Will be an Eventbrite for RSVP and dietary restrictions.
 - c. Invitations will be sent out within the next week.
8. Ticket coordination and invites will be handled by Shazia Peters-Steele, Amarya Choudhury, and Adam Burgman.
9. Dr. Nataliya Shaforost confirms incoming DNP students will not be participating in **White Coat Ceremony**.

10. A potential itinerary for **White Coat Ceremony** speakers was discussed.
 - a. Dr. Lori Escallier will give the opening remarks, Dr. Jean McHugh will have a speech, Amarya Choudhury will be the student speaker, Dr. Jean McHugh dons white coats, Dr. Marie-Claire Roberts calling names, and Dr. Joanne RitterTeitel giving closing remarks.
11. **Food for December ceremonies:** Carline Thomany confirms Cafe 101 will be providing food for both **White Coat Ceremony** and **Convocation**
 - a. Amarya Choudhury stated that the total budget for the day is \$17,000. **White Coat ceremony** was allotted \$4,000 and **Convocation** was allotted \$9,000.
12. Ideas were discussed for potential gifts for graduating students.
 - a. Each student will receive a rose. Provided by Cafe 101
 - b. Leaf engraving for the Living Tree (\$250) donation per leaf.
13. The next student council meeting will be on **December 2nd** at **9 AM**.

Meeting was drawn to a close at 1:20 PM

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Secretary of the College of Nursing Student Council



**STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING
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Time Meeting was Held: _____

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