

UK AAPS student chapter Meeting Minutes (November 9, 2011)

Members incoming:

- Chair : Kyle D. Fugit
- Vice Chair: Nilay Rajesh Thakkar
- Secretary: Oreoluwa O. Adedoyin
- Treasurer: Andrei Ponta
- Historian : Lei Fang
- Drug Development Representative: Xiaoda Yuan
- Drug Discovery Representative: Joseph A Lutz
- Graduate Program Committer Representative (GPCR) : Daniel Liput

Members outgoing:

- Secretary: Modi, Sweta J
- Treasurer: Eleftheria Tsakalozou
- Event coordinator: Somkuwar, Sucharita Sen

Attendees: Kyle, Nilay, Ore, Andrei, Joseph, Dan, Sweta, Eleftheria, Sucharita.

Absentees: Xiaoda, Lei

Business of Outgoing Officers:

- Talked about receiving chapter of the year award from AAPS at the last AAPS annual meeting (2011)
- First place award and \$500 cash prize
- Introduction of incoming members and outgoing members

Proposed Events for Upcoming Year:

- **Industry Visit**
 - Two small biopharm company options nearby. Either Patheon (Cincinnati, OH) or Catalent (Winchester, KY)
 - Voted to go with the Patheon option. *Kyle in charge of initiating contact and organizing the trip*
- **AAPS travel Award**
 - \$400 cash award targeted at 1st and 2nd year students who intend to present at major pharmaceutical Sciences conferences. However, open to senior students if none of the junior students don't qualify

- Second option: \$200 award to 2 qualified students (1st and 2nd year) mainly for school supplies e.g. textbooks. This option came about since we know that \$400 is not really sufficient to sponsor an attendee to a conference
- Selection criteria need to be clearly stated: Must be AAPS member, preferably a 1st or 2nd year student, outstanding student, recommendation from applicants PI.
- Send e-mail for nominations early in the semester – probably around March 2012. Announce 2ce a year.
- Awards to be presented in alternate semesters
- **Second AAPS Faculty advisor**
 - Since Dr Anderson has completed his 3-year tenure, need for a new Faculty advisor to serve with Dr Li needed – preferably from the Drug Discovery Dept
 - Dr Zhan was suggested
 - Kyle or Catina can send out e-mail to Faculty asking about our need for faculty advisors
- **Holiday Party**
 - Suggested activities – bowling or pool
 - Voted for bowling, probably during Finals week. Tentative date: Dec 16, 2011 (7pm?)
 - *Joseph to take the lead.* Purchase Lanes, Soda, and Pizza
- **Engineering Day**
 - Date not set yet – Saturday morning in February
 - Need tablet press, Spinal cord + Brain Model
 - Need someone to check on the brain in Dr Pauly's lab
- **Alumni Day**
 - To celebrate recent Alumni from our program < 10 years graduated.
 - They can present during a Friday seminar. Give fresh perspective of the field
 - Suggested names:
 - David Small (Lilly) – probably too senior
 - Amy Bence
 - Caroline Strasinger (FDA)
 - Work with Catina
- **PPDM Education Initiative Award**
 - Target undergrads in AICHE, Psychology, Pharmaceutical Engineering Group, UK COP Summer Undergrads
 - Application due – Dec 5. *Kyle to take the lead*