

Life West Student Council Minutes
December 2nd, 2020 – Virtual - Noon

Meeting called to Order at: 12:04pm

Absent:

Late:

Corrections or Additions to the Minutes as Published

Adopt the 11/25/20 Minutes - Motion to adopt: George A.

2nd: Alec K.

Vote: Passed

Adopt the Agenda – Motion to adopt: Simi C.

2nd: Alec K.

Vote: ⇒ Motion **passed** to accept the agenda

Guest Speakers:

- Dr. Joseph Ibe- Alumni Director
 - Upcoming Virtual Job Fair! Jan 18-22 11:30-1pm
 - When you graduate there are a few options when starting your career: open up your own practice, associate with a practicing doc, partner with another doc.
 - This fair will be a great opportunity to network and to meet docs from all around the world.
 - They will be there looking for future grads to fill positions- BUT this is not a job interview.
 - More information to come

Advisor's Report- Dani Lorta dlorta@lifewest.edu

- Rep Election Reminder

President - Ashley Gonzales studentcouncil@lifewest.edu

- JED study closes at the end of the week!
 - We have exceeded the min threshold of 50% Prizes will be available
- Thank you!
 - SC MVP's: Simi Chawla, Corinne Quinn, Nikelle Guzman Thank you for your hard work, you are appreciated!
 - Congratulations to graduating senior reps, senior council members, and last q reps

Vice President - Sagi Hebron studentcouncil@lifewest.edu

- Toy Drive Deadline: Wednesday Dec 9th!
 - Announcing Raffle Winners same day!
 - Raised \$1073 from Venmo alone!
 - Raised \$1000 from StuCo
 - Toys in Bins are being counted today
 - Looking for 3 volunteers to help come buy toys! (Local small business toy shop recommendations welcome)

Treasurer - Aanand Sharma studentcouncil@lifewest.edu

- Payroll to be submitted today
- This is the last week to be reimbursed for anything

Secretary - Sophia Grandstaff studentcouncil@lifewest.edu

- Nothing New To Report
- Email studentcouncil@lifewest.edu to submit new student concerns, ideas, etc. by **Monday night** each week

Athletics - Nolan Halverson nhalverson@college.lifewest.edu

- Nothing New To Report

Activities- Diana Tapnio dtapnio@college.lifewest.edu

- Sign up for all events [HERE](#)
- Follow the Chiro Cup action [HERE](#)
- If you have any ideas or activities you would like to see next quarter, email me. The goal is to have EVERYONE participate in at least 1 student event, preferably more!

Lifelines - Lifelines Blog link -- lifewest.edu/lifelines-magazine/ **Austin Bergquist** lwlifelines@gmail.com

- Article submissions for our next issue are starting to roll in.
- Two interviews are now complete for our new segment that details how upper quarter interns analyze their patients for subluxations. Sagi Hebron & Jerry Lam
- The piece in opposition to chiropractors being able to prescribe pain medications will come out in the next issue. The counter argument in support of chiropractors becoming educated to prescribe pain medication will come out as a letter to the editor in the Spring 2021 Issue.

- Starting in our Spring 2021 issue, there will be a regular column dedicated to chiropractic philosophy. Each quarter, Jon Eckfeld will conduct a review of a book on chiropractic philosophy.
- Current Lifelines Pay Structure:
 - Staff writers are asked to produce 2 articles per quarter and are paid \$150 per quarter. The first is editorial content (\$60) and the second is a scientific research article (\$90).
 - One-off contributors receive \$45 for editorial content and \$60 for scientific research articles.
- Proposed Pay Structure:
 - Staff writers are asked to produce 1 to 2 articles per quarter and are paid \$100 per article.
 - One-off contributors receive \$75 for either editorial content or a scientific research article.
- Rationale:
 - Current pay structure may lack sufficient incentive for a greater number of students to participate in article submissions.
 - Current requirement for staff writers to produce 2 articles per quarter is a barrier to more students participating as regular staff writers.
 - It is this editor's opinion that editorial content is as valuable as scientific research articles and should be compensated for equivalently.
 - For their commitment to regular submissions, staff writers continue to receive greater compensation per submission than one-off contributors.
- Risks:
 - All submitted content will be of editorial format.
- Link to most recent Lifelines online content is: [HERE](#)

Health Center Rep - Jonathan Hooker - jhooker@college.lifewest.edu

- Appointments on MindBody being deleted or moved-PLEASE do not move or delete another person's appointment!
 - This is not only rude but it is unprofessional.

Committee Updates

- Diversity and Inclusion- Met last week and formed a strategic plan for upcoming quarter- more information to come.

New Business- (business we need to discuss & vote on)-

•

Old Business-

•

New Concerns-

•

Old Concerns-

•

Announcements-

- Graduation video coming out December 11th!
- New [Inclusive Patient Exam and Adjusting Policy](#) - for Student Council review and comment. Please reach out to David Straub dstraub@lifewest.edu directly with questions and/or comments.

Adjournment: Motion: George A.

Second: AANAND SHARMA

Vote: Passed

Meeting concluded: 12:57pm