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**GENERAL MEETING – 11/16//2021 – 6:40 PM (ZOOM)**

## Guest Speakers:

**Pawel Dzielski**, Credit Ratings Analyst at S&P

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About Pawel:

- Rutgers Alumni c/o 2021, Graduate of the Business School

Resume Building:

- Organized, consistent, logical
  - Make it easy to read, follow a logical flow so recruiters can easily learn more about you as they work their way down.
  - Reverse chronological order
- **Major Sections**
  - Name, Contact Info.
    - Address → Put city and state, do not necessarily need to put full address if not comfortable
    - Can also put closest city/geographical area to you
  - Academic Info.
  - Professional Experiences/Projects
    - Can put work experience and projects under one category.
  - Hobbies, interests, skills, etc.
    - Show that you're personable, how you can connect beyond the workplace.

Networking:

- What is a network?
  - Everyone you meet through all of your experiences are part of your network.
  - You never know where an opportunity can arise from! It's an ongoing part of life alongside having a strong work ethic.
- What makes a network valuable?
  - Internships, jobs, etc. can come from networking
- How to build your network:
  - Rutgers
    - Professors → Been through the industry, know companies. Get to know them!
    - Professional Events → Career Fairs
    - Organizations → Clubs
    - School! → Your peers and classmates
  - LinkedIn
    - Showcase your skills, what you've done.
    - Use quotes & the word "and" to get the best LinkedIn search
      - EX: "LinkedIn" and "Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy" and "Rutgers" and "Bristol Myers Squibb" in Google to maximize network connections.
  - Friends

- Family

#### *Interviewing:*

- Interviews tend to be comprised of 2 major parts:
  - Behavioral → Tell me about yourself (keep it under a minute), hit major points on your resume.
    - Try to be as succinct as possible!
    - This focuses on learning your thought processes and how you think.
  - Technical → More catered towards the job and hard skills necessary.
- Practice makes perfect!
  - Practice, don't rehearse, people want to work with people. If you run a script too many times in your head, you may come off sounding like a robot.
  - People want to work with PEOPLE! Make it flow like a conversation.
- Know the COMPANY and the POSITION you are interviewing for.
  - Often overlooked; keep an eye out about the description of the job itself
  - Makes a strong impact when talking to the recruiter
    - Question: "When X happens, how do you go about handling Y?"
- Tying in our conversations on resumes and networking.
  - Walk me through your resume
  - What have you heard about our team
    - Look at job description, look up people in the company on LinkedIn
- Don't forget about brain teasers!
  - Super far-fetched and ridiculous, but show off your skills.
  - What are they getting at with this question?
    - EX: "What do you want to talk about?"

#### *Takeaways from Pawel:*

- Ask the right questions-- make sure they spark interest!
- Let your hard work and personality shine

#### *Networking in the Pharmacy School:*

- DIA → Speed Networking in the Spring
- IPhO → Networking/Resume Building Workshops

#### **PGC Officer Reports**

- Brian Ding, *President*
  - Org Events
    - Should not overlap at all
    - Aim to be on different days. If on same day, there must be a 30 min window between start and end times
    - No events in pharmacy building fall semester (apparel pick-up is fine)
  - In-Person Org Event Requirements
    - End-time before 4pm:
      - Event can be anywhere on campus
      - Must follow EACS procedure: <https://ipo.rutgers.edu/events>
      - Must gain approval from department in charge of area
    - After 4pm:
      - Events must be at student centers only
      - Must follow EACS procedure: <https://ipo.rutgers.edu/events>
      - Must follow student center protocols
  - Betty Cash Retirement
    - Orgs should work with their org advisors to make room reservations at EMSOP
    - Class councils will work with Dean Nancy as their advisor should rooms need to be reserved
    - Rationale:
      - Role: Business specialist
      - Original role not to schedule rooms
      - This change will actually be going back to "normal"
      - Great way for your advisors to know what you're up to, bond by working together and improve relationships
  - Ideas to increase event attendance
    - Use TVs in pharmacy building to advertise our events
      - Weekly glance
      - Events for the day
- Boseong Kang, *Vice President Internal*
  - No new announcements.

- Rebecca Lee, *Vice President External*
  - There is going to be another follow-up bus and transportation meeting on 11/30; I won't be able to attend so our University Senator Omer is going to be attending in my place. If anyone has any new questions or concerns to be brought up regarding the changes that have been made this semester, let him know.
- Sungjae Lee, *Treasurer*
  - The reimbursement forms for conferences and events have been posted on the PGC website (<https://sites.rutgers.edu/pgc/resources/>)
    - After completing the Google Form, please email [ernestmariopgc@gmail.com](mailto:ernestmariopgc@gmail.com) AND [sjl208@scarletmail.rutgers.edu](mailto:sjl208@scarletmail.rutgers.edu) the supplemental documents (receipts)
  - Midyear reimbursement form will be posted on the PGC website during winter break
- Kasja Dymek, *Corresponding Secretary*
  - Continue to use the Calendar Event Form to submit your event at least 2 weeks prior to be considered for reimbursement. If you need to make changes to your event feel free to email me ([knd73@scarletmail.rutgers.edu](mailto:knd73@scarletmail.rutgers.edu)) or the [ernestmariopgc@gmail.com](mailto:ernestmariopgc@gmail.com).
  - Events now must NOT overlap in time and the start/end time between events must be at least 30 minutes.
  - Please submit the event request form for apparel or fundraising pick ups in the pharmacy building as there will be a separate calendar!
- Sinduja Sivakumar, *Recording Secretary*
  - Hello! Happy November everybody-- make sure to fill out both attendance forms, you must fill out both to get full attendance credit!
    - PLS, LKS, PDC -- under org name, please write the abbreviation in the attendance form.
    - Rho Chi -- leave as Rho Chi
  - Reminder that everyone must send 2 E-Board members and their PGC rep to each meeting.
    - Exceptions: PLS and XAE and LKS
    - 1 E-Board member + PGC representative
    - Class council members can represent one other org.
- Omer Abdel-Wahab, *University Senator*
  - November 19th - Senate meeting. It is open for anyone to attend and begins at 1 PM.
  - I will be attending the Bus / Transportation meeting on 11/30. If anyone has specific concerns or issues that they would like to be addressed at the meeting feel free to reach out.
    - [oma46@scarletmail.rutgers.edu](mailto:oma46@scarletmail.rutgers.edu) - Please email if you have any comments/concerns you would like brought up at the meeting.
- Christopher Wang, *RUSA Rep*
  - Rutgers Food Pantry
  - RUSA Town Halls

### **PGC Rep Reports**

- **ACCP, American College of Clinical Pharmacy**; *PGC Rep: Sung Hae Son*
  - No new announcements.
- **AMCP, Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy**; *PGC Rep: Sreeya Mogali*
  - AMCP is hosting Pharmacists in Market Access for a Q&A session and networking opportunity tomorrow November 17, 7-8pm on Zoom.
- **APhA-ASP, American Pharmacist's Association - Academy of Student Pharmacists**; *PGC Rep: Akhila Kolla*
  - APhA is hosting a Bake Sale on 11/18 2-6 PM at Livingston Student Center. The bake sale is aimed at raising funds for transgender community- to empower Queer and Trans youth. The funds will be donated to the GSA network.
- **XAE, Chi Alpha Epsilon**; *PGC Rep: Kenny Nguyen*
  - No new announcements.
- **CPNP, College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists**; *PGC Rep: Jessica Yoon*
  - CPNP is hosting an exploration of the impact of food on chronic disease tomorrow, Wednesday 11/17 at 6pm via zoom. Stop by to learn how to make positive changes to your diet and improve overall health.
- **DIA, Drug Information Association**; *PGC Rep: Lynne Jiang*
  - Be on the lookout for our upcoming winter fundraiser along with our Patagonia fundraiser in collaboration with ISPOR. Get gifts for friends, family and yourself for this upcoming holiday season!
  - Instagram [@Rutgers\\_DIA](https://www.instagram.com/Rutgers_DIA) ; Facebook [@RutgersDIA](https://www.facebook.com/RutgersDIA)
- **IPhO, Industry Pharmacists Organization**; *PGC Rep: Roshan Rao*
  - iPhO is hosting an internship panel that will be held on Tuesday November 30th at 8PM.
  - Join us to hear about unique internship opportunities from your peers! Learn tips to securing an internship and shape your candidacy for the following year
  - On-demand resume reviews on our instagram [@ru\\_ipho](https://www.instagram.com/ru_ipho)
- **ISPOR, International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research**; *PGC Rep: Vineeth Vasudevan*

- Be on the lookout for our upcoming Market Access event with AMCP and our Patagonia fundraiser with DIA! Dates are to be determined
- **LKS, Lambda Kappa Sigma, PGC Rep: Sarah Yu**
  - Lambda Kappa Sigma presents our virtual Coffeehouse: LIVE! on November 22nd at 8:30 PM via Zoom! Don't miss a night full of talent and melodious tunes to kick off this holiday season! Vote on your favorite performances by donating \$1 for every vote. All proceeds will go to Project HOPE to help raise money for the global fight against COVID-19.
- **NCPA, National Community Pharmacists Association, PGC Rep: Anisha Bhattacharya**
  - NCPA, LKS and APhA-ASP present "Promoting Healthy Lungs: A Lung Cancer Awareness Event" tomorrow Wednesday the 17th at 7:30pm on zoom. Join us in recognizing November as lung cancer awareness month and come learn more about lung cancer from faculty and healthcare professionals.
  - Follow us on Instagram @rutgersncpa to stay updated!
- **NJSHP, New Jersey Society of Health-System Pharmacists, PGC Rep: Leianni Wong**
  - NJSHP's AllColors Apparel sale is now open! Show off your pharmacy pride with a long sleeve or a short sleeve shirt with the design of the winner of our design challenge! Orders will be taken until November 24th, and the link can be found on our link.tree on our Instagram and Facebook.
  - Instagram: @njshprutgers
  - Facebook: @RUNJSHP
- **PDC, Phi Delta Chi, PGC Rep: Prithula Dey**
  - No announcements.
- **PLS, Phi Lambda Sigma, PGC Rep: Aimee Cheng**
  - Phi Lambda Sigma is the pharmacy leadership society at EMSOP
  - PLS is hosting our EBoard Meet & Greet TOMORROW at Busch Student Center Room 116 @4PM; pizza will be provided!
- **PPA, Pediatric Pharmacy Association, PGC Rep: Tanmaya Phanda**
  - PPA will be holding a raffle this Friday November 19 for a Okie Pokii Gift card to raise awareness for World Day for Prevention of Child Abuse. All proceedings will go to the Wyonna's house, an organization in Essex county that helps children who have been abused. Also look out for an infographic on our social media pages to learn more about the raffle, World Day for Prevention of Child Abuse, and Wyonna house.
- **Rho Chi, PGC Rep: Renjun Ding**
  - The Rho Chi Honor Society is participating in Rutgers Dance Marathon once again!
  - Dance Marathon is a university-wide student-run philanthropic event that raises donations for the Embrace Kids Foundation.
  - If you are interested in joining Rho Chi's team for RUDM, there is a link on our instagram page!
  - RUDM Rho Chi Team Interest Form  
[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe0DewEVv3ncYiKUohxkJsZKiB-FgLI01ZfkcxN4mOK4DXfww/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe0DewEVv3ncYiKUohxkJsZKiB-FgLI01ZfkcxN4mOK4DXfww/viewform?usp=sf_link)
- **SNPhA, Student National Pharmaceutical Association, PGC Rep: Kushali Patel**
  - This Thursday, November 18th SNPhA'S Mental Health Committee and CPNP will be hosting a Psychiatric Pharmacy Webinar where faculty members like Dr. Maroney, Dr. Liu and Dr. Greer will be discussing their roles as psychiatric pharmacists, why they were interested in psychiatry and conduct a Q&A at the end! The event will be from 6:30-7:30 PM via Zoom.
- **EMSOP Chronicles, PGC Rep: Riya Mankad**
  - No announcements
- **Class of 2023**
  - Thank you to those who supported our apparel sale! Look out for another one next semester
  - IG DM us @ruemsop2023
- **Class of 2024**
  - No new announcements.
- **Class of 2025**
  - If you need your white coat, let Ashley know!
- **Class of 2026**
  - No new announcements!