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**GENERAL MEETING – 09/25/2018 – 6:40 PM**

**WILLIAM LEVINE HALL - ROOM PH-115**

***Officer Reports***

* Jason Dorr, University Senator
  + Nothing new to report
* Kelly Ohlinger, Recording Secretary
  + Reminder to sign in and out of every meeting in order to be counted for attendance
  + If you have any conflicts, such as class or work, please contact me at [kellyannohlinger@yahoo.com](mailto:kellyannohlinger@yahoo.com) before the last fall meeting
* Minny Jeong, Corresponding Secretary
  + Reminder to submit organization weekly announcements to [minjeo12@gmail.com](mailto:minjeo12@gmail.com) by Monday 10PM
    - Will be posted on the Rx Presidents/PGC Rep group chat
* Danial Chowdhury, Treasurer
* Nothing new to report
* Tom Jiang, Vice President External
  + Thank you to everyone who helped out at the involvement fair!
  + How to Transfer into Pharmacy
    - Planning for October 9th from 3:30PM-4:45PM in PH-247
    - Panel of students and EMSOP administration to provide an information Q&A regarding how and why to pursue a PharmD
    - Ideas for how to spread the word?
  + What else do students want to see in terms of collaborating with other schools?
* Elizabeth Booth, Vice President Internal
  + PLS Pharmacy Advocacy Month coming up in October
  + New feedback form on website: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-YJBxal7-_6VU2o359nZp7kdL_0g_fApOLUAnktbRopWyaw/viewform>
* Nehar Damle, President
  + Congratulations to our P1s on receiving your white coat!!!
  + PGC website - pgc.rutgers.edu
    - Contact information for PGC eboard members, Class Council Presidents, and organizations
    - Exam Calendar for P1-P3 students and Event calendar for EMSOP Orgs
    - Useful documents on reimbursements
    - Link to NABP, Access Pharmacy, and NJ BOP websites
    - Feedback form on PGC website
      * Anonymous and will bring up ideas / concerns during Discussion section
  + EMSOP Health Fair - Oct 4th 2-4PM
    - Blood pressure, cholesterol and blood glucose levels, calculate your body mass index
  + Any questions, please reach out to me at [nehardamle@gmail.com](mailto:neharamle@gmail.com)

***Student Presentation***

* Emily Casey and Slavka Simic - The Role of Pharmacists in Reducing Healthcare Disparities within Minority Groups

***Discussions***

* Feedback from Mentorship Picnic and Involvement Fair
  + Host another event to bring together mentor/mentees again
  + Blanket making
  + Would give mentors another chance to talk to their mentees again
  + Possibly provide resources to freshman whose mentors APed out of Chem and Bio
* Consolidate Spring Involvement Fair into EMSOP carnival
  + Each organization is incharge of one “stand” with associated activities
  + Activities include checking BP, pharmacy related games and prizes
  + Similar to what EMSOP does at Rutgers Day
  + For a particular cause --> can open this up to all of Rutgers
* Position of a PP1 representative
  + Help PP1s integrate into the pharmacy school better
  + Sakai page for just for pharmacy
  + Sakai page just for PP1s
    - Have PP2 class council take it over
    - Add that as a PP2 class council position --> still elected
    - Pre-Professional liason
* Swipe access to building on weekends isn't working
* Lotion in the bathrooms
* Printers are on the way
* If there are any event you want PGC to hold outside of meetings, please don’t hesitate to reach out.