

**Student Affairs Committee Meeting  
September 17, 2009**

**12:00pm**

Monroe: B231

Baton Rouge and Shreveport: Conference Rooms

In attendance: Dr. Mary Lewis, Dr. Amanda Ranzino, Dr. Shawn Manor, Dr. Laurel Andrews, Mrs. Mary Caldwell, Dr. Mike Degennaro, Dr. Tibb Jacobs, Dr. Ron Hill, Dr. Lesa Lawrence, Dr. Harvey Rappaport

Excused absence: Ms. Margie Cannon

1. Student Senate/Student Council changes- Mary Caldwell
  - Pharmacy Senate converting back to Pharmacy Council. The council will serve as a liaison between faculty and students, as well as organize events and fundraisers. The goal of the change is to be more “student and faculty friendly” and less of a governing body. The Pharmacy Council consists of representatives from each pharmacy class as well as the presidents of student organizations.
2. Student Affairs Committee and Student Council link
  - An inquiry was made questioning why this committee does not contain student members. This question was forwarded to Dr. Lesa Lawrence.
  - The committee would like to request an update to the current bylaws to include permission to have student representatives.
  - Mary Caldwell agreed to forward Pharmacy Council meeting minutes to the Student Affairs Committee Chair, who will then forward them to the committee members in effort to increase faculty awareness of student issues and activities.
3. Student suggestion process using Google Docs
  - The student suggestion process will be referred to as a student *feedback* link in order to foster positive as well as negative feedback.
  - The link to enter feedback will be posted on the OSPA website and will be advertised to students in an issue of “OSPA Weekly.”
  - Laurel Andrews will be revising the wording/directions on the active link.
  - The Student Affairs Committee requests that the Pharmacy Council form a subcommittee to weed through all feedback and forward pertinent information to the entire Pharmacy Council. After deliberation of the Council, feedback will be forwarded to the Student Affairs Committee to be addressed.
4. CQI Connection featuring “Students of Today”
  - Laurel Andrews and Amanda Ranzino will collaborate for this issue of CQI Connection.