

## **Student Activities Committee**

**February 19, 2016, 9:00 am – 10:00 am**

**Pine Room, Student Center**

Members present: Cathy Carpenter (Faculty), Kelly Cross (Student Affairs), Ameet Doshi (Faculty), Michael Evans (Faculty, Secretary), Christophe Ippolito (Faculty), Nagela Nukuna (UGR), Lewis Wheaton (Faculty, Chair)

Members absent: Justin Eisenberg (UGR), Eric Feron (Faculty Executive Board Liaison), Karan Jani (GR), John Stein (VPSA)

### *Meeting Minutes*

1. Introductions of attending members and group representatives
2. Explanation of committee's role and purpose
3. Combatives Club
  - a. Provides MMA-style and fake weapons training for members as well as social events for bonding
  - b. Constitution review
    - i. Need to evaluate consistency of fake weapons statement with GT risk management policy
    - ii. Concerns raised about use of fake weapons (especially fake rifles) in training
    - iii. Recommendation to include scoring rubric or example application for officers, or at least include in the club record
    - iv. Approved pending changes
4. Obstacle Course Racing Club
  - a. A mixture of cross country and American Ninja Warrior-type obstacle course racing; coordinating travel to races; promotion of functional fitness throughout life and positive stress management
  - b. Constitution review
    - i. Interest in intercollegiate competitions? There is only one national intercollegiate competition
    - ii. Races are expensive, so no dues will be charged initially
    - iii. Event committee will exist for the entirety of the club
    - iv. Approved
5. Volunteers Around the World (VAW)

- a. Promoting healthcare equity; helping students find opportunities to promote good healthcare around the world
  - b. Constitution review
    - i. Periods at the end of items in Article II
    - ii. Change “election” to “selection” in Officer Elections section
    - iii. Approved pending changes
6. Scheller Marketing Association
- a. No club members present; have been in the charter process for a prolonged period of time
  - b. Internal constitution review
    - i. No recommended changes to constitution
7. Internal constitution reviews
- a. Scheller Marketing Association
  - b. Intelligent Transportation Systems Group
  - c. The Water Club
    - i. Suggestion of different name
  - d. Japanese Student Association
  - e. Undergraduate Operations Management Society
  - f. Approved pending changes
8. Update from Kelly Cross
- a. Improved efficiency of chartering process
  - b. Number of organization is approaching a level that student numbers may not be able to sustain
  - c. New online portal for student organizations and events
9. Planning of next meeting
- a. March 4, 2016; 9 – 10 am