Scholarship, Awards Committee and Special Events Committee

Meeting Minutes

Date: March 22, 2016

Members present: Erin Cavusgil, Chris Heidenreich, Megan Keiser, Suzanne Knezek, Michelle Rosynsky, Charlotte Tang

The first interview for Commencement Speaker began at 2:00 PM

**Agenda**

1. Co-chairs Tang and Heidenreich notified the committee that they both failed to notify the student representatives about the meeting.

2. The committee was previously sent the list and times of potential speakers by Jill Hubbard. The committee heard each of the candidates except Amged Eidelsafy. Eidelsafy sent an email just before the meeting notifying the committee that he would not make his pre-arranged time, and requesting that the committee wait until after 5 PM. It was determined that not enough of the members were able to stay to allow for a fair and equal panel for the student (the chain of email is below).

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Tuesday, March 22nd in the SOM Dean’s Conference Room (Suite 220) Riverfront. Take a seat on one of the couches or chairs. They will come and get you.

3. Two students were selected as speakers: Saydee Robinson (SEHS), alternate Melissa Miller (SEHS); and, Holly Kilburn (SOM), alternate Milton Straham III (SOM). Heidenreich will work with and coordinate with the Theatre Dept coaching for Robinson and Kilburn. Cavusgil will help prepare Straham and Knezek will help prepare Miller.
4. The committee was also asked to provide the name of a Maize and Blue graduate who might be willing to carry the UM-Flint banner at the Ann Arbor service. The committee suggested Thomas Steele (the chain of email is below).

5. The committee will meet on April 5, 2016, to discuss faculty awards and scholarship information. The date was changed at the request of Susan Fabbro.

6. The meeting was adjourned at 5 PM.

Submitted by Chris Heidenreich

From: char.tang@gmail.com [mailto:char.tang@gmail.com] On Behalf Of Charlotte Tang
Sent: Tuesday, March 22, 2016 4:14 PM
To: Hubbard, Jill
Cc: Heidenreich, Christopher
Subject: Re: FW: Don't kill me

I'm afraid not as some of our committee members won't be available. In fact, we need to have all the interviews done by 5pm.
Charlotte

On Tue, Mar 22, 2016 at 4:05 PM, Hubbard, Jill <jillhubb@umflint.edu> wrote:

Hi Chris and Charlotte,

Please read e-mail chain below. Is there any way we can push Amged's interview back to 5:10 p.m.? Please advise.

Thank you

Jill A. Hubbard
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University of Michigan-Flint
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221 University Pavilion
Flint, Michigan 48502
810-762-3372

-----Original Message-----
From: EIDELSAFY, AMGED
Sent: Tuesday, March 22, 2016 4:03 PM
To: Hubbard, Jill
Subject: Re: Don't kill me

Hi Jill,

Unfortunately it's lab and we are already behind because of snow days, so there are no make up days.

Best Regards,
Amged Eidelsafy

> On Mar 22, 2016, at 2:09 PM, Hubbard, Jill <jillhubb@umflint.edu> wrote:
Hi Amged,
Unfortunately no, this is the only day they're interviewing. I'm so sorry. Can you explain to your professor that you need to leave early for this - they should give you a reprieve. Again, sorry.

> Jill A. Hubbard
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: EIDELSAFY, AMGED
> Sent: Tuesday, March 22, 2016 1:23 PM
> To: Hubbard, Jill
> Subject: Don't kill me
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> Hi Jill,
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> So my lab runs until 5pm and we usually get out pretty early. Of course I have the worst luck and we are using the full lab time today and possibly running over. Is there anyway to reschedule the interview?
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> Best Regards,
> Amged Eidelsafy

Email chain regarding Thomas Steele

From: char.tang@gmail.com [mailto:char.tang@gmail.com] On Behalf Of Charlotte Tang
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2016 9:09 AM
To: Hubbard, Jill
Cc: Heidenreich, Christopher
Subject: Re: FW: Don't kill me

Hi Jill

Our SASE committee recommends Thomas Steele (CAS) to be a flag bearer in the Ann Arbor Commencement ceremony.

Thanks, Charlotte

On Tue, Mar 22, 2016 at 4:59 PM, Hubbard, Jill <jillhubb@umflint.edu> wrote:

Thank you for the information. The Provost asked if you could please choose a student (who has not been selected as speaker) from Maize & Blue to be a flag bearer in the Ann Arbor Commencement ceremony?

Thank you again,