



**Inter-Professional  
Council  
Senate Meeting  
Ohio Union Senate Chambers**

**December 1st, 2019**

## **IPC Executive Committee, Justices, Senators**

**President:** Jordan Vajda  
**Vice President:** Matt Hamrick  
**Secretary:** Will Vu  
**Chief of Staff:** TJ Beavers

### **I. Speakers:**

- Kelly Lutmer, Outreach Chair: [report on 1st semi-annual IPC Mental Health/Wellness Roundtable](#)
  - 30 minute presentation by Laura Lewis, Assistant Director of the Suicide Prevention Program
  - 20 total students (1 med, 6 vet med, 6 opt, 5 law, 1 pharm, and 1 dent)
  - Scheduled Spring meeting date and speaker TBD
  - There will be an IPC Mental Health/Wellness Roundtable meeting once a semester
  - Will be changing methods for recruitment in order to have better representation of each school

### **II. Secretary:** **Will Vu**

- Roll call
  - Quorum reached

### **III. Public Relations Chair Update:** **Kaeli Parcel**

- Please send any photos of events from your colleges to [parcel.4@osu.edu](mailto:parcel.4@osu.edu) or 614-940-2963 and I will share them on our pages!
- If you have events that need advertised, send me an email and I'd be happy to share!

### **IV. Outreach Chair Update:** **Kelly Lutmer**

- Spring semester donut day
  - Will be held on the last week of January (before IPS)
- Outreach events

### **V. IPS Chair Update:** **Macon Overcast and Shivani Patel**

- We have planned a rough draft for IPS 2020's disaster response simulation. We will need 12 volunteers total (including committee members) on February 15th, the day of the event. Let Macon or Shivani know if you are interested.
- Each team participating in the simulation will utilize u.osu.edu, the university's free blogging platform to document their progress digitally through the event.
- Please begin to disseminate information about the event via word of mouth. A few things to remember:
  - 1) the majority of the morning will be a climate change related disaster response scenario,

- 2) our keynote speaker is an emergency physician currently holding a health science policy fellowship in Colorado,
- 3) lunch will be casual, with professionals from local orgs for students to network with.
- We are waiting until a little closer to the event to open registration to promote follow-up. Please be ready to share Facebook posts/flyers to your respective constituents.
- When would be a good time for Shivani and I to visit the different classes next semester? Is this too lofty of an undertaking?
  - Generally speaking, lunch hours seem to be a good time (with food provided using outreach funds)
    - Ex: (12:10-1:10pm for law or 11:30am-12:30pm for dentistry)

**VI. Service Chair Update: Fareedah Haroun**

- IPC Soccer Tournament (Jan. 26th or Feb. 2nd at 12pm)
  - Will need at least one team from each school to sign up! Please start to gauge interest now at your schools and a flyer will be sent out once the date is solidified.
- New partnership with Ronald McDonald House has been formed! We will be setting up an alternative to community day with them in the spring. Be on the lookout
- We are looking into doing one more sporting event in the late spring. Do you prefer another Volleyball (at Woodlands) or Dodgeball?
  - Decision: dodgeball

**VII. Government Affairs Chair Update: Maggie Huck**

- Summary of board meeting for Student Legal Services

**VIII. Affordability Chair Update: Seth Barany**

- All dean meetings besides law have happened, and have gone well. We're gonna shift into the implementation stage now. What that looks like sorta varies across the schools, so rather than go into detail here, I'll lay it out for everyone at the first meeting back after break.

**IX. Parking Chair Update: Jacob Zuberi**

- Meeting with TJ and CampusParc about a parking test run they want to roll out for the Spring semester
  - Concerns with lack of parking spots in C lots for parking pass holders
  - Vacancies found in Union and Gateway garages
  - Union garage parking spots are not available, but CampusParc offered 200 parking spots in Gateway garages and will offer those spots at reduced rates (\$500 total but you can exchange your C lot pass and pay the difference → +\$100)

**X. Social Chair Update: Bri Schell**

- Ugly Christmas Sweater Party (This Friday, 12-6) at Bri's place (7 PM)
- Back-to-school All Student social
- Remember to put your schools' formals and any other social events on the [social calendar](#)

**XI. Family and Housing Update: Zachary Dougherty**

- Introduction
- Buckeye Village
  - Buckeye Village will be closed
  - Will move current residents to University Village (their rent will be subsidized there for 2 years)
  - Affects many graduate students, especially graduate students with families

- A task force met and will find a provost to talk about providing more housing options especially for families
- Currently doing studies to find out how many families are being affected by this

**XII. Chief Justice Update: Mary Feliu**

- Scored applications are due tomorrow from the Justices
- Applications will be finalized this week

**XIII. Chief of Staff Update: TJ Beavers**

- New Diversity and Inclusion chair: Hala Abdel-Jaber (Law)
- Collaboration meeting over Diversity and Inclusion
  - Intergovernmental collaboration meeting: met to define how to define diversity and inclusion and how to better integrate it into the university.
- Buckeye experience
  - CGS initiative to rectify the program that used to exist. Program's goal is to enable disabled students to have access to university experiences
- Tuition reductions
  - Vet Med and Optometry colleges propose that 2nd-4th year students who are not classified as Ohio residents will only pay a \$5 surcharge as opposed to the non-resident surcharge for first-year students. Vet Med offered the proposal to help facilitate transfers for upper-level students. Optometry offered the proposal to reduce confusions about sticker price (allows the College to produce a simplified fee table). Both proposals were projected to be at least budget-neutral if not positive.
  - Discussions with OSU Government Affairs did not raise any pressing concerns with proposals.
  - Further fiscal meetings will be held to discuss this

**XIV. Vice President Update: Matt Hamrick**

- Budget
- [Update on resolution process](#)
- Inter-professional summit on health inequity funding request
- VOTE: resolution funding requests
  - Health Equity Summit
    - Proposal to allocate \$3000
    - Rubric score of 11/11
    - Motion passes to allocate \$2500: 26-1-1

**XV. President Update: Jordan Vajda**

- IPC position statement on racist fliers found on campus released Fri/Nov 29 via Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook
- recent meetings
  - with President Drake (11/25): discussed Mental Health/Wellness Roundtable; 2020 IPS; residency/tuition policies; in attendance: Kelly Lutmer (opt); Shivani Patel (pharm); TJ Beavers (law)
  - with Dean Hume, Vice Provost for Student Academic Success (11/25): received report on delay 'till 2023 of updated, integrated cloud-based program for university services (e.g. HR, finances, Buckeye Link, advising)

- Feb 2 Senate Meeting: guest speaker is Dr. Micky Sharma, Director of Counseling & Consultation Services, who will review mental health services at the university and get our feedback on our hopes & ideas for services/programming
  - to prepare for Dr. Sharma's visit, we will spend time at the Jan 12 Senate Meeting discussing professional student experiences and hopes for mental health/wellness programs at OSU
- Article recommendation: ['I Have a Ph.D. in Not Having Money'](#)

**XVI. New Business?**

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