

# Opening Statements

- Form was successfully entered and commented on
- Exec merch: potential hoping to fund it with events
- Once everyone has filled out form it will be ordered
- Thought box - new place for suggestions: trying to listen more - where is this placed (physical or virtual)
- Free breakfast
- Calendar: adding button to calendar - to add events
  - Bi: weekly

# General

## Portfolio Roundtable

### Student Support

#### **Frosh/Soph Dinner**

- 15 signs ups
- Reached out to soph team - got the word out as much as possible
- Not just for frosh and soph - for everyone

#### **Big/Little Program**

- Prizes were just added

#### **Fims Formal Update**

- Been worked on over the break
  - Hoping for 60 people
  - Thinking of suggesting that every fims member brings a friend from a different faculty
  - Thinking early march
- Q: How much does a ticket cost? A: have to talk to Eric

#### **Planning for Next Few Months**

- Working on events for the next few months

- Idea: red table event - allowing students to come together and share experiences from the first semester
  - Questions to prompt discussion: if you could change one of your experiences so far what would it be?
  - Any thoughts for your third or fourth semester
  - Just a small room in this building - with some snacks

### **Valentines day - sophia and olivia**

- Candy Grams
- Event at Delilah's (themed club-night?)
- Results published on 17th
- Designs released soon after
- Lots of votes for crew-necks and tote bags

## Comms

### **Merch Competition**

- Last day to vote
- Reach out with ideas for products

### **Theme**

- Discussion on new theme for IG
  - Colour palette and fonts TBA

### **Giveaway**

- Coming up - more details soon

### **Tik Tok**

- Theme and plan to post at least one bi-weekly Tik Tok

### **Elections**

- For president and councilor coming up - start thinking about that

### **Communications from Other Portfolios**

- Give atleast two weeks notice for any marketing needed
- Reality show on communication

### **Suggestion: office renovation**

## Academics

### **New Theme: Around the World**

#### **MPI Mixer:**

- Working with MPI professors to plan a day to get MPI students out to communicate
- Opportunity for first years to talk to current students to speak awareness about it and get the word out

- Really important program - even if your not in MPI
- If you are in second year you can still ITR it

### **Toronto Firms Trip**

- Pitched during last council meeting
- Friday march 1st 7:00am to 9:00pm
- Renting a bus to take students to toronto and get exposure to firms there
- Applications going out soon - expected 35 positions
- If anyone has any connections let us know!
  - Someone who works at Maple Leaf Entertainment

### **Makerspace**

- Space with a lot of supplies where anyone can come in to make things from scratch
- Space meant for students to meet people, be experimental and be creative
- 13,500 was approved but with many conditions - but the administration still needs to process it and actually provide access to funds
- Hoping to actually launch around march 1st

### **Mediations**

- Used to be a student run journal for undergrads
- Fims Website says they publish each year - it actually hasn't been published in half a decade
- Professors on Board to edit

#### **Plan:**

- Submit for funding
  - Collect applications (Feb 16th)
  - Reach out to students
  - Submit/publish
- Reach out if you are interested in helping edit

## **Finance**

Currently: 19,059.75 - amount of money in FIMSSC bank account

- 4,000 budget for this year (aware that we will probably go over it)
  - Probably will spend 4,000 on this semester alone (USC is aware)

-Please send detailed breakdown for events planned and executed (the more detailed the better)

### **Funding Details**

#1 Fims Formal Venue - \$1,000

- Bottle service gets cut because it is a Liability issue according to USC

#### #2 Big-Little Program

- Looking to spend 300 on a prize pack for winning group

#### #3- Firms Trip - 3,000.00 budget

- Transportation and food for all participants

#### #4 - Frosh/Soph Dinner

#### #5 \$700 budget for food for meetings

- About 100/meeting

#### #6 - have received 70% of our portion from USC council grant - more updates to come

#### #7 - USF committee is meeting at the end of this month (Ben and Sophia are on)

### **Quick Announcements**

#### #1 - no bottle service for firms formal

- Can do drink tickets but with strict regulations

Suggestion: Charging for tickets in order to pay for bottle service - BEN

#### #2 - Valentines Day Candy Grams

- Fundraiser? - way to get money back into student government

Anything submitted to finance portfolio before winter break has cheques/reimbursements ready for pickup at USC - bring student ID

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## **Other Business**

- We don't have enough nights outs
- Loved Joe Kools
- Not enough people at the meetings
- Loved the home alone movie
- The Networking event was one of the most helpful seminars i've been too
- Can we fix spamming forms for any voting that we do - maybe submit an email?
- More council bonding activities
- Free food

FIMS soph applications are open right now - in the instagram BIO/usc instagram bio

- Info event sometime next week
- Alum can't soph - you have to be a fulltime student

-can we inform Soph to add MPI as an option when discussing ITR - will provide what to say

-Meet & Greet could be a great idea for

-Next meeting: February 1st

## Closing

### Attendance

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