

IGC Minutes for council Jan. 16th 2014

In Attendance:

Tariq Khan, Kimber Bialik, Max Hoffingam, Stefan Fong, Billy Liu, Zak Rosentveig, Catherine Guo, PGSS representative

Time: 6:00 p.m – 8:00 p.m

Tabled: Applications for Interim Status

- MECA
- GMCA
- Volunteers 4 a smile
- McGill Students Chapter for Heart 4 Heart
- F word

Rejected Interim Status Clubs

- Asian Frosh
- Technophillic Magazine

Approved: Applications for Interim Status

- War Child
- Unite for Sight
- McGill Students Re-imagining Liberal Arts
- Institute for Health Care Improvement
- McGill Francophone Students Association
- McGill Students Chinese Music Club
- Parks Canada Campus Club

Tabled: Applications for Interim Status

MECA:

The Club's mandate shall be to:

- help Korean Freshmen with their new campus lives
- encourage and assist students' academic sharing through leadership conferences, career mentorship and etc
- to widely advertise our proud Korean and East-Asian culture in the community
- help with volunteer activities available in Montreal

Reason: The club has been having issues with Korean Students Society (KSS) in terms of appropriate representation. VP Clubs and Services will be communicating with KSS. A decision will be made later.

Graduate Management Consulting Association:

The Club's mandate shall be to:

- Company information sessions held by professional consultancies;
- Practical seminars/workshops to cover application and integration topics such as resume and cover letter design, interview practice and case management;
- Case experience through an annual case competition and joint activities with industry firms for long-term pro-bono case work;
- Networking evenings between interested members and industry professionals;
- Knowledge exchange through the McGill Students GMCA Resource Database containing firm literature, application information, preparation resources and past member experience documentation.

Reason: DECA with McGill works on similar mandate to that presented by your club.

Volunteers 4 a Smile:

The Club's mandate shall be to:

- Give moral support to patients at hospital through organizing various events especially during national holidays i.e. New Year, Halloween, Easter.
- Supporting and helping special needs/disabled kids through the tutoring program.
- Supporting and working closely with local small non-profit organizations who do amazing work but are not known and face shortage of funding.
- Organize mission trips to developing countries to help the international community.
- Promoting volunteering at hospitals and the impact it has on the lives of patients.
- Supporting the homeless community of Montreal by organizing large food/clothing donations events at McGill and then giving them out to homeless people around the city.

Reasons: The club's mandate is similar to that of MCHAM

McGill Students Chapter for Heart 4 Heart:

The Club's mandate shall be to

- Raise awareness about congenital heart disease (CHD) and fund life-saving surgeries for children with CHD in various developing countries
- Educate McGill students regarding CHD and the burden of living with a life-threatening condition in a developing country
- Work with our partner, Gift of Life International, to fund the surgeries and develop core programs to empower medical professionals in select countries. These programs will provide reliable care while simultaneously creating sustainable pediatric cardiac surgery

- Advocate for congenital heart diseases on campus and in the Montreal community
- Network with existing global health advocacy and research communities at McGill and in the Montreal area

Reasons: The club's mandate is similar to that of Save a Child's Heart, which is already a SSMU club.