

# Report to SSMU Legislative Council 29/11/18

### **NUS Projects**

Personal Initiatives: VP External

- Currently planning Speed Nursing (basically speed dating except working nurses pair up with nursing students, held @ Thomson House)
  - Trying to figure out a date with NGSA
- Sent our open letter regarding the name change to Indigenous Affairs Committee
- Set up Equity Training for entire council (yay) and completed training on 2/11/18
  - Shoutout to one councillor whose report gave me the idea
- Currently trying to find a BScN student to fill Wellness Advisory Council Position
  - If no one is interested I will fill it, trying to give other people a chance
- Helped Med advertise they're Explore! event

#### **NUS Council Initiatives**

- EUS x NUS Stoplight Mixer December 2nd
  - https://www.facebook.com/events/176272809985837/
  - Anyone can come so check it out!
- Global Health Conference organized by NUS VP Global Health & NUS Global Health Rep January 17th at 1730 Thomson House
- Naloxone training will be implemented in collaboration with Prof. Rosetta Antonacci in the winter semester
- Recently got a National Bank sponsorship
  - · Will allocate some funds to NUS Wellness Week
- Will be sending out a survey in December about implementing gender neutral bathrooms in ISoN

#### **SSMU Related Projects**

- Attended SSPN Meetings (25/11/18 & 18/11/18)
  - We got training in sustainable event planning training (WOOHOO)
- Began planning of Mental Health Awareness Week with Mental Health Committee
  - Contacted SafeTalk
    - SafeTALK is a half-day alertness training that prepares anyone 15 or older, regardless of prior experience or training, to become a suicide-alert helper
    - If anyone else is interested in this initiative for their constituencies please reach out to me! I personally did it in second year and its soso helpful



### **Upcoming Projects**

- Trying to make Mental Health a priority @ ISoN (Ingram School of Nursing)
  - Recently had some very bad experiences with profs not being knowledgable about mental illness and very uneducated about resources
    - Would like to implement mandatory yearly training for all staff @ ISoN with a huge emphasis on resources (and how they actually run)
      - Not sure this is even feasible, will keep y'all updated
- Would like to collab with other schools in Faculty of Medicine to have some sort of event/discussion/panel ish style event about policy making/government roles in healthcare
  - Inspired by FresQue (Roundtable of health care students aiming to formulate and adopt recommendations in order to positively impact Quebec health policy and the work of the Minister for Health and Social Services)
- Will be attending Faculty of Medicine meeting on December 5
- Looking into getting NUS VP Internal + all committees that fall under portfolio training in sustainable event planning

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