



# McGill Nursing Undergraduate Society

## **NUS Councilor Report – October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

### Current

- NUS councils scheduled to meet on Thursdays monthly for both General and Executive councils.
  - Schedule has been determined up until Dec 1<sup>st</sup>.
  - Slow transition from Zoom meetings to in-person meetings based on council member availabilities.
- Ongoing updates on NUS website to reflect current members of council.
- Ongoing planning to initiate an OSCE initiative to allow students to practice with upperclassmen prior to OSCE.
- Council members in respective committees have initiated communications to join them.
- With recent interest in nursing student body regarding non-profit bake/ food sales to fundraise for community projects, NUS in discussions over designing a formal Food Sale policy using policies of other student organizations as a guideline.
- Looking into ways to help prioritize nursing student placements in ISON study spaces and streamline use to avoid hoarding.
  - There is very limited space and we have received many complaints that study rooms are often taken by non-nursing students.
- OD/AD CNSA looking into hosting CNSA at McGill this year, date TBD.
  - Also, ongoing discussion on whether NUS will continue to participate and pay fees to CNSA after this Fall (next payment due by Dec 1).
- OD/AD CNSA looking into career fair for nursing students, date TBD.

### Past

- September
  - Handing out of NUS agendas and merchandise went well this year.
    - Agendas are currently out of stock so turn out for agendas was very good compared to last 2 years.
  - Fall elections completed, all seats on NUS council filled except Indigenous Student Rep.
  - Successful Nursing FROSH.

### Plans

- VP Academic to look into organizing NCLEX review sessions along with OIIQ review sessions in the Winter term.
- Equity Commissioner and Representative planning to hold an equity panel event with question and answer format.
  - date TBD.
- Athletic/Health Representative looking into running “sport-a-thon” event for nursing students.
- NUS looking to find perfect balance to events as turn out to NUS events during high-time of COVID pandemic was terrible.
- To review by-laws and determine nonextant committees and/or new committees since COVID pandemic.
- NUS to hold nursing activities night for committees specific to nursing students (e.g., social committee, McGill Nurses for Global Health, McGill Nurses for Planetary Health etc.).

Respectfully Submitted,

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