



Set/ Rep Meeting Minutes

The School of Computing and Academic Studies

Thursday, March 1, 2012

Chair: Marwan Marwan, Chair of the Computing and Academic Studies

Set/Tech Reps:

Alex Huijsman	Nabeel Lalji
Shaheer Shabbir	Salman Shaharyar
Ken Ketola	Mathew Linder
Joseph Hou	Joseph Prophet
Alex Mcgilvray	Judy Nguyen
Tony Hoang	Tyler Ingram
A. Geoffrey Lee (Alex)	Luke Queenan
Justin Brockholm	Jacob Kwitkoski
Travis Ryder	Karen Blackwell

Staff: Olesea Zadoinova

7.1 Meeting called to order

The Chair person, Marwan Marwan, calls meeting to order at 5:40 pm

7.2 Old Business

- It was announced that rooms for the Lan Party have been already booked. Set Reps were invited to come on a meeting on Wednesday, March 7, 2012 at 3:00pm in SE12 301 to

finalize details regarding the event. Volunteers are looked-for to help to set up everything for the Lan Party. Volunteers will have a pre-admission.

Questions

✓ What time do you need to set up everything for the Lan Party? At 3:30pm.

- Term 1 students were recommended to contact Security in case 24 hours Labs are closed and they need an access into it.

7.3 New business and Set Rep Forum:

- Set Reps were encouraged to sign the Petition to Cancel School of Computing Mandatory Gym Class. School of Computing students are automatically enrolled in mandatory weekly gym classes as a part of their program requirements. These gym classes are scheduled between academic classes without adequate time to properly shower or cool down after the exercising.
- The BCITSA in partnership with the BCIT Financial Management Association is offering a FREE Tax Return Service with volunteers trained by the CRA. Set Reps were invited to sign up and get their tax return done for them. Any BCIT student is eligible and precisely single person with annual income of \$25,000 or less or married couple without dependants combined income of \$35,000 or less. More details can be found at www.bcitsa.ca.
- Set Reps were reminded regarding existing Complaint Procedure in BCIT. They were encouraged to contact Marwan or Karl Tegenfeldt, the BCITSA Advocacy Coordinator, in case of any questions or issues.
- Set Reps were invited to order School of Computing Sweatshirt from the GEARED Up Store. Please inquire Marwan for more details.
- There are two CST tutors in the Learning Commons right now. Please check <http://www.bcit.ca/learningcommons/peer/index.shtml> for more details.
- A new club has been sanctioned: “Crime Analysis and Investigations Association”. Computing students might be interested in the computer crime analyses. Please contact the Clubs Coordinator for more information.
- Set Reps and other computing students were encouraged to apply for the position of a Residential Advisor and BCITSA Counsellor. Please inquire Marwan for more details.
- Set Reps were asked to support Marwan in the running for the position of the VP Student Affairs this year. It is a better position to advocate on behalf of students.

- Set Reps were invited to apply for the position of the Chair of the School of Computing and Academic Studies. This is a time consuming position; however, it can be very rewarding.

Questions:

- ✓ What is going on with Wi-Fi? That is not BCIT issue; there is a third party involved. BCIT is looking into it.
- ✓ Plugs for computers don't work. Marwan will investigate in case locations are specified.

7.4 Next Meeting

Next Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 5, 2012, from 5:30pm-6:30pm in the Council Chambers.

7.5 Adjournment

The Chairperson, Marwan Marwan, adjourned the meeting at 7:15pm.

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