



**Set/Rep Meeting Minutes of the School of Business
Thursday, January 24, 2013**

Chair: Chair of the School of Business, Ross Wamboldt

Set/Tech Reps

Aimee Ravenstein
Alaisha Malabed
Angelina Theilmann
Brad Savage
Chase Mullins
Christopher Walker
David Gibbons
Dawn Lesyk
Deanna Hill
Dominika Pilat
Drew Rogers
Erika Schiller
Ezra Benevoli
Hari Kansal

Jenn Bowie
Jessica Currie
Jin Sandhu
Julianne Wong
Kaleena Unrua
Kyle Javier
Leonard Park
Mariam Hussaini
Martin Perry
Matt Morrish
Megan Krentz
Michael Hodson
Miguel Canizares
Miranda Wilson

Mo Al-Seblani
Monique Kassa
Neetu Garcha
Nina Davidson
Ross Kinney
Russ Brownlow
Sanjna Hothi
Sarah Paclaon
Thomas Chwilkowski
Tori Browning
Trevor Vollet
Vien Vo
Yasamin Alami

Staff: Olesea Zadoinova

Guest Speakers:

Jonathan Kwan, CVITP
Karlos Fernandes
Olesea Zadoinova

4.1 Meeting called to order

The Chair person, Ross Wamboldt, called meeting to order at 5:45 pm and introduced a guest speaker to the Set Reps.

4.2 Guest Speakers:

- Guest Speaker Jonathan Kwan

Jonathan Kwan invited all BCIT students of the School of Business to volunteer for the Community Income Tax Program or to participate in a free tax return filing, organized by the BCITSA and the FMA club. BCIT students, Residents and Faculty members are welcome to take part in it. It was mentioned that single persons with an annual income of less than 25,000 are eligible to apply. Among potential not eligible candidates were mentioned those who own business, have a deceased return, claiming capital gains and etc. The schedule and location, as well as the eligibility details will be posted online at the BCITSA website.

Questions:

- ✓ Can I sign up and volunteer for you? You can do both.
- Carlos Fernandes

Carlos Fernandes spoke about Leaders of Tomorrow Program. It is a great opportunity for students to get a mentor who is ready to share his/her experience with a student. Find more information from 2:30pm till 3:30pm on January 30, 2013 in SE6, 202. 1st year students or 2nd year students, if they were accepted by the BBA program, are eligible to apply.

- Olesea Zadoinova

The Student Initiative fund is a program which allows BCIT students to apply for financial assistance to take part in extracurricular activities related to their career. Common application includes management and leadership training, professional development, and skill development workshops. This school year's due dates for SIF are January 28, 2013; and April 15, 2013 at 4pm.

4.3 SA Services review

- Cheap fresh soup can be purchased at the Stand Central.
- Express lunch in the Pub
- Childcare Facilities are opened: 5 days a week, \$795 for students and BCIT faculty/staff. It is \$850 for non-BCIT individuals.
- Tutors are available. Make sure you use them.
- Uconnect is hiring tutors. Please contact Uconnect Resource Center if you are interested.
- You can receive a discount card in the Metrotown if you have your BCIT Student Card with you.

4.4 Old Business

Parking issue. Ross is working on it now.

4.5 New Business:

- Upass Referendum is coming in February
- Speak up Speak out Campaign happening on February 18-22, 2013. Set Reps were invited to participate in the Campaign by wearing T-shirts, which are free for students. Sign-Up sheet for the T-shirt is attached to the Agenda.
- SA executives have participated in the Strategic Plan Retreat. Set Reps were invited to share their ideas, they would like to see in the Strategic Plan.

4.6 Open Discussion

- What happened with Strike? Ross will look into it.
- Tim Hortons and Rix- the schedule doesn't work for students who want to stay and study. You can try the Stand Stores instead.
- Can we have more healthy food options on Campus? Send Ross an email.
- Soups in the stand are always cream-based. Can we have anything for people who cannot eat cream-based products? Send Ross an email.
- Can we have more free products on Campus? For example, free muffins or free Bread? Ross will investigate.
- We need a hand-sanitizer in the broadcast building. Ross will investigate.
- Get creative and explain: "Does the tattoo judge?" and win \$420 from the Evolution 107.9 FM. 250 words.
- Can you update Set Rep list? Ross will work on it.
- Link Newspaper –welcomes students who wish to be published. Please find more details at www.linknewspaper.ca
- A lot of students throw their cups to the garbage, not knowing they are recyclable. There is little difference between recycling bins and garbage bins. Ross will investigate. Send him an email.

4.7 Adjournment

The Chairperson, Ross Wamboldt, thanked all the Set Rep for coming on the meeting and adjourned it at 6:45pm.

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 - Introduction of guest speaker

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 - Carlos Fernandes
 - Olesea Zadoinova

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 - Current issues and concerns brought to set reps

- 4.7 Adjournment
 - Thank You!