

**Set Rep Meeting  
School of Energy**

April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – 5:30pm

**Chair:** Dean Tamboline

**Staff:** Darshana Dave, Entrepreneurial Services Coordinator

**Guest Speakers:**

Danielle Landeta-Gauthier

Hannah Bielert

**1. Meeting Called to Order: at 5.30pm**

**2. New Business**

**2.1. Student club, competition, and event fees**

- Dean asked for suggestions from Set Rep on contributing some School of Energy student fee towards Student club, competition participation or event fees
- This is a similar model that UBC has where students contribute to a fund which is used for event participation of selected students
- Set Reps showed concern on raise of money
- One of the Set Rep mentioned that UBC has full time program, while BCIT has diploma program. Diploma people might not be very interested to participate.
- Other Set Rep pointed out that UBC students are centrally located in terms of living near the campus while BCIT students are located far from school
- Major concerns were raised with “Who gets the money?” and “Who decides that?”
- Dean clarifies that it will go to Engineering society which has a committee which decides who would get it.

- Concern was raised that Tuitions are increased but not everyone is benefiting and if students are interested, they will already be part of that club
  - Dean mentioned that there is student initiative fund which is open to all students but this one open to only SOE
  - Most of the Set Reps felt that people who are participating in events should pay for it or figure out “How to get this money be distributed to everyone instead of few?”
  - One of the students mentioned “Clubs should collaborate and connect with each other more”
- One of the students was concerned that “Club event expo was on Monday! Why didn’t they have it on Wednesday 2.30pm to 4pm?” This lead to them not knowing about which clubs are there in BCIT. Dean shared that he will pass on the information to the Club Co-ordinator.
  - Dean finally concluded the discussion with requesting Set Reps to participate in a survey he would be sending them to understand how he can improve the Set Rep meeting further.
  - Dean reminded that there are elections from 25<sup>th</sup> April to 1<sup>st</sup> May and requested them to spread the word and vote for candidate they like

## 2.2. Upcoming events

- Massages in the Great Hall (10mins each)
- School of energy and construction expo in may- Project based expo- 3pm-5pm. May 10<sup>th</sup>
- Leaders of tomorrow: Event on Thursday for info session of Leaders of tomorrow

## 3. **Open Forum Discussion**

No concerns were raised.

## 4. **QPR Training:** Starting at 6:15pm

5. **Next Meeting:** This was the last meeting for the semester. Next meeting would be in next semester with new team.
6. **Meeting Adjournment:** 7:30pm