



Set/Rep Meeting Minutes **School of Construction, Transportation, and the Environment** **May 4, 2017**

Chair: Justin Prasad, Chair of the School of Construction, Transportation, and the Environment

Staff: Hannah Bielert, BCITSA Health & Wellness Program Coordinator

Attendance:

Konstantin Vassev

Jake Schuil

Priscila Dias

Natasha Louie

Kyle Thompson

Yushen (Alex) Tian

Moshtagh Mohammadi

Shahao Shaaya

Hala Hassan

Tanaya Sharma

Petra Hammoser

Alexander Ridout

Erin Kim

1. Meeting called to order:

The Chairperson, Justin called the meeting to order at 5:41 pm

2. Ice breaker game: Kahoot!

3. Guest speaker: Craig Woods – BCITSA Career Specialist

- Craig supports the SOCTE sets and set-reps
- Encourages student to engage with career services early
- Many events and workshops happening – details on Career Track <https://www.bcitsa.ca/careerservices/career-track/>
- Career Services is open to recent grads and alumni so you can come back!
- If you're looking for a summer job, come see Craig as there are a number of employers looking for students and he can do custom matching
- Upcoming event: Just Sayin' – An Entrepreneur Panel Series for Trades
 - Thursday, May 11
 - 1:30-3:30
 - NE 1 - Rm 239/242 @ Burnaby Campus
 - Come hear from experienced trades business owners as they share their tips on essentials of starting a trade business, best practices and key success factors, first customers and negotiation techniques, and pitfalls and traps to avoid

4. Current Projects/Updates

- Student Association – Election Results

Sergey Bukharov – President
Timothy Cheng – V.P Administration & Finance
Timothy David – V.P. External Affairs
Vasilii Baryshnikov – V.P. Student Affairs
Sophia Romero – V.P. Campus Life
Christian Colquhoun – Chair – School of Business
AbbyTabaco – Chair – School of Health Sciences
Dean Tamboline – Chair – School of Energy
Moshtagh Mohammadi – Chair – School of Transportation, Construction, & the Environment
Spencer Pollock – Chair – School of Computing & Academic Studies
Mark Malczewski – Chair – Aerospace Technology Campus (ATC)

- Student Space Committee
 - Student Referendum Centre – Space Committee meeting to refine functional program report and adjust costing analysis to fit within target.
 - Outdoor Space Design Competition – Competition closed, winner Samuel Green (Carpentry Student). Next step to sit with BCIT Facilities and go over logistics about building the project
- BCITSA Health & Wellness – Hannah Bielert
 - International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia - May 17 @ 11-1 (<https://www.facebook.com/events/167007203825865/>)
 - Exam Jam at the Library - May 9-11 @ 12:30-5:30 (<http://libguides.bcit.ca/examjam>)
 - Pop Your Stress – May 10 @ 11:30-1:30 ([Details](#))
- Distinguished Set-Rep Award
 - Recipient: Hala Hassan

5. Open Discussion

Q: What did you think of the meetings, Justin's performance, etc?

- Appreciate networking and connections
- Justin has been a great chair
- Teachers who need to hear feedback don't care about the student evaluations
- Need to improve some outdated technologies
- More opportunities to bring 1st and 2nd years together in programs

6. Meeting Adjournment

The Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 6:54 pm