

# WiCS General Meeting Agenda

September 20th, 2022

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Attendees: Harpreet, Denise, Katie, Kaitlynn, Clare, Rachel, Isabelle, Manya, Doris, Mehreen, Angela

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Meeting started at 6:03 pm

## 1. Updates

- WiCS execs:
  - i. *Secretary - Rachel*
    - Meeting minutes uploaded
    - FAS scholarship info shared on scholarship page on WiCS website
  - ii. *Treasurer - Manya*
    - Reimbursed for pepper workshop
  - iii. *Communications Coordinator - Katie*
    - Newsletter ready for Thursday
    - Will hold a meeting with NNECT
  - iv. *Event Coordinator - Kaitlynn & Clare*
    - Expecting 20-25 attendees for cupcake social
  - v. *Technical Coordinator - Mehreen & Anagha*
    - SAP office tour
      - a. New event date: Oct 4th 10:00am
      - b. Registration deadline extended to Sept 20th 23:59pm
      - c. 55 people signed up
  - vi. *Grad Coordinator - Vishakha*
    - Not present; at GHC
  - vii. *Social Media Coordinators - Angela & Neha*
    - SAP office tour insta story is posted
    - Cupcake social insta promo is posted

## 2. Pepper Workshop Recap

- 10 sign-ups but 3 actual attendees
- Attendees greatly enjoyed the event!
- Would suggest earlier planning (~1 month in advance)
- Would suggest more time for set up (~1 hour)

## 3. Fall 2022 Events

- Cupcake social
  - i. Date: Sept 21st 7 - 9 pm
  - ii. Feel free to come 15 min early to help set up!
  - iii. Clare motioned for \$61 as reimbursement for baking supplies
    - Manya seconds, Kaitlynn thirds
    - Motion passed
- SAP office tour

- i. attendees will gather at SFU + take public transport to the SAP office
- ii. 2-3 WiCS execs will lead the group of attendees

#### **4. Clubs Day Recap**

- Constant visitors to WiCS table
- Gave out stickers; now need to order more

#### **5. CSSS 2022 FROSH Week Recap**

- CS info session
  - i. ~2 women attendees
- Burnaby mountain hike
  - i. People enjoyed water balloons :)
  - ii. 1 female froshee
- Midnight madness
  - i. Not many females
    - Mostly Surrey-based, SoSy students
    - How can we engage with these students?

#### **6. Mentorship Program**

- Created a discord server for mentors/mentees
- Sent out email with the mentorship groups
- Got more grad students signed up

#### **7. Mentor Lunch**

- Upcoming mentor lunch in Burnaby
  - i. Organizer: Manya
  - ii. Will email the professor around the second week of October
    - Share event info + get confirmation
- Another mentor lunch in Surrey
  - i. Sometime in November
  - ii. Email Harpreet to volunteer to organize/host this event
    - Can be non-execs

#### **8. Try/Catch 2022**

- 56 registrations so far
- Still welcome to volunteer to help out at this event!

#### **9. SAP Hackathon**

- Anna & Rachel will attend the hackathon group decision meeting on behalf of WiCS (happening on Sept 21st)

#### **10. CS Faculty Retreat**

- Clare volunteered to attend as a representative of WiCS

**11. Open floor**

- CSSS wants to buy a BBQ, possibly split with us?

*Meeting adjourned at 6:37pm*