Member	Present
Joshua Abaki	X
Megan O'Neill	X
Jenny Musyj	X
Madison Grist	
Alexandra Scott	X
Sophie Marshall	X
Erin Kotz	X
Ben Fischer	X
Elise Kohno	X
Alexei Paish	

- 1. Approval of minutes of previous meeting
 - a. Passed: Elise
- 2. Portfolio updates
 - a. Finance: Finances for Semi-Formal. Social Council currently sitting at -\$3100 after Boat Cruise but they have some other money from unspent Friday social budget and CSO contribution. We have to make \$1286 from semi to break even.
 - b. Academic: Curriculum motions from faculty Council will be discussed next week. Clearing up issues related to cancelled Dec exams. Planning Student/Faculty Mixer.
 - c. Ombuds: Met with Dean Dauvergne, putting together Respectful Dialogue workshop in advance of Guile, which will be mandatory for all Guile participants.
 - d. Senate: No meetings in December. Will be meeting next week.
 - e. Communications: Sending out President's Report today
 - f. Indigenous: ILSP Committee meeting in Feb to revamp website. Dana-Lyn launched Reconciliation Resolutions Campaign and students will be promoting it in the caf. Indigenous Awareness Week happening in February (Jeopardy, Bannock Tacos, Blanket Ceremony).
 - g. Wellness: UBC Wellness session occurred last term and another session is happening on Jan 16th. Wellness Committee has been selected and meeting next week.
- 3. Committee Meetings Dates
 - a. Wellness Tues/Thursday
 - b. Equity Thursdays
 - c. Academic Wednesdays
 - d. Social Thursdays
- 4. Meeting with Nikos Tuesday 17th Jan 2017
 - a. Limits to experiential/clinic credits proposal. Academic Council members will also attend.
- 5. Kettle for lounge

a. Approved motion to buy a new kettle (unless Sophie has an extra)

6. Teaching Excellence

a. Concern about one of the professors brought by 1Ls. How to improve? Faculty sharing teaching ideas, sitting in on other professors' classes could be a starting point. We need to promote greater faculty/instructor engagement in teaching excellence. Josh will bring up with Dean Dauvergne.

7. Guile Survey results

a. Over 80 responses. Josh will compile the comments, send to exec and distribute to the students as a whole.

8. ALSS Mission statement

a. Jenny, Alex and Madison will provide Josh with ideas before the next meeting.

9. Other Business

a. Meeting with the Associate Dean, Wednesday 11th Jan 2017 at 12:30, Room 415