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## Academic Council Meeting Agenda & Minutes

UBC Law Students' Society is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: UBC Law Students' Society's Zoom Meeting Time: Mar 23, 2023 12:30 PM Vancouver

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Meeting ID: 649 4485 2526 Passcode: 782744

<u>Attendees:</u> Jameelah Ali, Vaughn Beaulieu-Mercredi, Aki Kamoshida, Shanice Harris, Gabby Lees, Cléa Catona, Vaibhav Aggarwal, Liam Peet-Pare, Dante Agosti-Moro, Erin Chen, Katharine Lazar

Regrets: Ryan Sissons

<u>Absent Without Regrets:</u> Kai Rogers, Mustapha Zaidi **Agenda:** 

Item	Details	Action, Who and When	Vote
1 Call to Order			
1.1 Approval of Agenda		Moved: Vaughn Seconded: Shanice Time: 13:05	Yes: No:
1.2 Approval of Minutes		Moved: Vaughn Seconded: Gabby	Yes: No:
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2 Open Business			
1L Facul-tea	Receipts for reimbursements; turn-out; feedback Dante - Went well. Monday not best day to pick due to student absence and professor absences.	Lead:: 1L Reps	
3 New Business			
Town Hall	Thoughts on starting up townhall again; pros and cons; are student surveys better? Jameelah - Town hall did not happen last year; looking to restart this year - Previous issues where conflict happened - Survey discussion topics - Will draft up mock survey and present to AC for recommendations Aki - If restarting, recommends ground rules and set topics - Important to find a way to engage with wider student body Gabby - Option to have separate events for 1Ls and upper years is preferred due to scheduling - Topics may also be separately relevant Dante - Having a survey is helpful	Moved: Seconded:	Yes: No:
Competency-ba	Discussions were held in camera	Lead: Aki Kamoshida	

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In camera session			
4 Updates	4 Updates		
FC	Meeting reminder for next FC (Nov 16th)- 1Ls must attend in person for intros - at 12:30 at room 104 - Notify Jameelah if unable to attend		
Committees	<ul> <li>Final ILSA seat appointment for Admissions <ul> <li>Charlotte Weston and Gabby Lees</li> </ul> </li> <li>Updates for each respective committee</li> <li>Curriculum <ul> <li>History of curriculum change at Allard</li> <li>11 values faculty identified that should guide this process</li> <li>If AC has values to add to process <ul> <li>Mental health</li> </ul> </li> <li>Implement changes for 2026/2027 school year <ul> <li>Curriculum passed by end of 2025 school year</li> <li>End of 2023/2024 school year question: what do these values look like in practice?</li> </ul> </li> <li>Suggestion to make these values public and hold open discussion <ul> <li>Students may be scared to express</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>		

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	<ul> <li>opinions in person, especially at town hall. Option to consider: survey student opinions before and present as information session</li> <li>In person town hall heavily preferred over virtual</li> <li>Proposed date: early January - Lunchtime town hall</li> <li>Admissions         <ul> <li>Welcomes student feedback in assessing discretionary applications</li> <li>Next meeting November 24th</li> </ul> </li> <li>Equity         <ul> <li>No updates</li> </ul> </li> <li>Academic Procedures             <ul> <li>No updates</li> </ul> </li> <li>Faculty         <ul> <li>Reached out for opportunities for AC members to sit in on councils with no voting             <ul> <li>Will follow up</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>		
5 Adjournment			
5.1 Meeting adjourned		Moved: Vaughn Seconded: Dante Time: 13:39	
5.2 Minutes		Hugo	

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