September 27, IG Committee Meeting Agenda/Minutes

Attendance: Piper Plavins, Parth Arora, Simon Batusic, Isaac Begun, Sinead Gono, Marisa Croce

- 1. Introduction from new members and old members
- 2. Bylaw 3
 - a. Discussed the steps for editing any policies or bylaws—they must be brought to IG Committee first
 - b. Caught up all committee members on the potential challenge at hand: BioChem and if it should be represented under science
 - i. Recognized that this is only an issue for students going into their second year!
 - c. Many points were brought up in support of moving BioChem to under science, however, opposing points were also brought up
 - i. If BioChem is changed, then we must look at all other faculties and change them as well (I.e., iBioMed starts off in Engineering and can then move to HealthSci)
 - d. Discussed a possible solution of changing the elections bylaw so that students can run for a seat with an intent of the faculty they will be in
 - e. Closed off the discussion with keeping an open mind and open to further discussion when it is time!
- 3. President's Council
 - a. Discussed the original reasons for each academic division on why they are on the President's Council in the first place; recognized by the SRA and the MSU
 - b. **Unanimously voted** to pursue the changes we discussed as we feel that there is value of other societies having the opportunity to be on the President's Council
 - i. Decided to put all changes forward and bring forward to the SRA for their opinions
- 4. Marketing and Communication OP
 - a. Potential edits that might need to be made
 - i. We went through the document and no changes were pointed out; however, we will consult Wooder and see if he has any suggestions.
 - ii. Marisa said she would inquire with some communication students to see if they have any suggestions, and then we will all reconvene at the next meeting.