



**Chi Sigma Iota Beta Chapter**  
Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday October 21, 2009  
4:30 PM – 5:31 PM Norman 1205

Present: Carrie Swango, Ana Jaramillo, Arianne Smith, Trevor Kolski, Ryan Reese, Jessica Young, Nikole Duvall, Cheryl Wolf.

**Welcome and Introductions**

**Officer Reports**

- President – Cheryl Pence Wolf
  - Dr. Dixon cannot be present and President Cheryl Pence Wolf will be out of town for a couple of weeks and can be reach via email and text messages. President-Elect Ryan Reese will be taking over duties while President is away.
  
- President-Elect – Ryan Reese
  - Attended ACES's CSI networking event and met with the Southeast Region. President-Elect learned that other chapters in the Southeast Region have been holding regional events. He proposed the possibility of CSI Beta Chapter involvement with other chapters and universities in our area. However due to time limitations, it may be restricted to gatherings during state, regional or national conferences.
  - President proposed that ongoing networking with our counterparts at other universities could be helpful to provide ideas about developing activities. She has been communicating with UNCG CSI Chapter regarding the online silent auction.
  
- Secretary – Carrie Swango
  - Approval of Minutes
    - September CSI Beta Chapter Meeting Minutes: Carrie Swango made a motion to approve the September 16, 2009 Meeting Minutes. Jessica Young seconded. The minutes were approved unanimously.
  
- Treasurer – Jessica Young
  - CSI Beta Chapter has a balance of \$2626.87.
  - Treasurer is working on reorganizing the checking account for the annual audit. Thanked President for all of her hard work during this process.



- Treasurer found that there is no record of the kickball tournament monies and needs to get in touch with Eric Calderon for an itemized recipe for the Keg from the Fall CSI Potluck.
- Fundraising – a possible activity of creating t-shirts and selling them.
- Eric Davis and Brooke Strange are working on the CSI Fall Graduation Ceremony. Brooke Strange is polling the graduates to decide when the ceremony should be held on December 18, 2009. The Graduation Program is completed and needs to be updated with the new graduates. Organization of food and set up is in process.

## Committee Reports

- Awards – Kelly Bodurtha and Mandi Hancock
  - A list of nominees has been made and they are contacting them to submit and turn in vitas and letters of recommendation. These are all due December 1, 2009 to CSI International. Requested help on the awards committee if anyone was interested in joining in the decision process.
  - Awards for the Newsletter and Program for CSI International will be submitted for our chapter as well as individual award winners. If we have had an international award given for a category within the last five years, we cannot submit on for the International nominations.
- Bulletin Board – Kelly Bodurtha and Mandi Hancock
  - If you have an events that you would like to include on the bulletin board please post them or let Kelly Bodurtha and Mandi Hancock know.
- Community Service – Nikole Duvalle and Arianne Smith
  - Rebuild Service Project
    - 10 people worked for 5-6 hours; this was a successful event.
    - Arianne Smith took pictures and is going to send them to the newsletter editor and to the Webmaster so that they can be posted. She is also working on an article for the newsletter.
  - Upcoming Community Service Events
    - Friday November 13, 2009, they are serving dinner to 50 people at the Ronald McDonald House. They need approximately 10 volunteers to help cook dinner and set up. They are also asking for donations to purchase food to make the dinner. They will decide on a menu for the families so people can donate specific items.
    - Homeless Drive for socks, toiletries, and toys is anticipated for December. Possibly an angel tree or making blankets for children who are in the hospital.
    - Ryan Reese mentioned a Thanksgiving celebration for those people who are in Gainesville for Thanksgiving. Doing a service project in the morning then getting together for a Thanksgiving Dinner.



- The community service activities are going to help set up for a research project next semester. At least 5 events need to be held during the spring semester. Ryan Reese, Arianne Smith, and Nikole Duvall will get together in December or January to plan for the spring semester.
- Fundraising – Ashley Wright and Adrienne Darnell
  - Not present during the meeting. No update.
- Membership – Trevor Kolski
  - Bowling Night tentatively set for Wednesday at Splits from 9-11pm on the VIP bowling lanes. \$10 for unlimited bowling, shoes, and one game of laser tag. Jessica Young will look into finding a discounted price as well.
  - Ryan Reese and Trevor Kolski will work together to have a kickball tournament again.
  - CSI Happy Hour before November 14, 2009.
  - CSI Newsletter article will be written and include events from the semester and information on how to join CSI.
- Newsletter – Lynn Fairchild
  - Lynn Fairchild and Tracie Rogers are asking to submit articles from all chairs. The articles should be submitted by November 14, 2009. The article should include things that you have done for the semester and any other ideas that you have for upcoming events.
- Professional Development – Ana Jaramillo
  - Shannon Pettit can no longer devote time to professional development and has stepped down.
  - The professional development conference is to be held on a Friday during the spring semester with hour-long presentations. There is a need for someone to organize, set up, create an agenda, and run the day.
  - Ana Jaramillo has offered to step into the role to help. She requests the need for another person to help her and teach her how to do this.
- Social Justice – Adrienne Baggs & Angela Calderon
  - Committee is working on creating a meeting for the Coalition of Immokalee Workers (CIW) and Student Farmworker Alliance (SFA) to discuss social justice issues relating to eradicating the injustices in the farm worker community including slavery, abhorrent working conditions, and fair living wages. They are working on a date.
  - The peace advocacy grant that was mentioned in the minutes from September 16, 2009 is no longer being pursued because of limitations.
- Website – Summer Yacco
  - It is important to update your committee information on the website with Summer Yacco and to send out updates and upcoming events over the Counselor Ed listerv.
  - If your committee wishes for faculty to be involved it is important to include them in the emails or to send it to Dr. Andrea Dixon or to Cheryl Pence Wolf so that it can be forwarded to the faculty.



- Wellness – Elisa Mott
  - Event to be held Saturday October 24, 2009.
  - Wellness Yoga Research Project has just finished its first phase and data collection is complete.
  - Possible future wellness activities include: Dog Park and Rugby suggested by Trevor Kolski and soccer on Sunday suggested by Jessica Young.
  - Elisa Mott is looking for any and all ideas for Wellness activities and involvement.

Meeting adjourned by Cheryl Pence Wolf at 5:31.