



# USC School of Pharmacy Pharmacy Faculty Council

## Meeting Minutes 13 September 2022 – via ZOOM

Present: Andrew MacKay, Angel Tabancay, Annie Wong-Beringer, Autumn Walkerly, C Benson Kuo, Clay Wang, Connie Kang, Cynthia Lieu, D Steven Fox, David Dadiomov, Darryl Davies, Dima Qato, Emi Minajima, Emily Han, Enrique Cadenas, Eunjo Pacifici, Houda Alachkar, Hovik Gukasyan, Ian Haworth, Irving Steinberg, Jean Shih, Jennica Zaro, John Stofko, Julie Dopheide, Julio Camarero Palao, Kevin Forrester, Liana Asatryan, Lisa Goldstone, Madeline Feranna, Martine Culty, Maryann Wu, Patrick Tabon, Paul Beringer, Paul Seidler, Paul Wong, Raffi Svadjian, Rebecca Romero, Rory Kim, Samantha Yeung, Scott Mosley, Steve Chen, Tam Phan, Tien Ng, Vassili Papadopoulos, William Gong, Ying Wang, Yong Zhang, Yuna Bae-Shaaw

Others Present: Terrance Graham, Ian Haworth, Siu-Fun Wong, Sara Mahmoud

Sharepoint Site for PFC mins and other material: <https://uscedu.sharepoint.com/sites/pharmacy-portal/pfc/SitePages/Home.aspx>

Subject	Discussion	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Call to Order – 3:47 <i>J Dopheide</i></li> </ul>	Approximately 48 faculty in attendance and several guests.	None
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student group - “Project Wellness” <i>Mareena Biju</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wellness is important for health, reduce burnout. Goal is to foster wellness. School-wide initiative</li> <li>Advisor: <i>M. Durham</i></li> <li>Many planned activities – coffee, yoga, dance, talent showcase, dance clinics, running group, wellness dogs, wellness book club, talks, etc.</li> <li>All events on SoP’s Project Wellness website: also monthly email newsletter.</li> <li>[Q: When is next book club meeting (already read the book)? A: See recent newsletter for schedule.]</li> <li><i>M Durham</i> – Excited for new activities, more in person events, finally.</li> </ul>	None
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration of Wins / Announcements / New Faculty <i>J Dopheide</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New Hires: Lyanna Astrayan now full faculty appointment in Clinical Pharmacy, Samantha Yeung now full appointment in Clinical Pharmacy</li> </ul> <p><b>Wins:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paul Beringer \$\$144K heard from Paratek Pharmaceuticals on Omadacycline</li> <li>Richard Dang on KNX talking about new Omicron boosters.</li> <li>Recent publications by Yong Zhang, Sergei Mangul, Emi Minejima, Dima Qato, and A Shoostari.</li> <li>Recent presentations by Tatyana Gurvich, Dima Qato, A Shooshtari, Paul Wong, Scott Mosely, TM Ng, Madeline Fallahi</li> </ul>	None

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President's Report <i>J Dopheide</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reaccreditation Retreat on October 4<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• Joint Staff/Faculty Meeting October 20<sup>th</sup> – Hybrid Zoom+In Person. Presentation by Benefits/Wellness Representative</li> </ul>	None
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approval of Minutes <i>J Dopheide</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• August Minutes.</li> </ul>	Deferred to November
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dean's Report <i>V Papadopoulos</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Town Hall upcoming</li> <li>• Year has started, teaching as well. Numbers fine for PharmD - 180 [P1], increase for some MS and the undergrad program</li> <li>• Design of our floor at Law School building progressing (for weekend and undergrad programs). May be done in 2 years.</li> <li>• Likewise design of HSC research building progressing. Planning for a building opening event in progress.</li> <li>• All Five School Health Sciences Schools collaboration is ongoing. New for some schools, familiar for us and Medical School. Tightly associated with \$3 Billion capital campaign. Every gift counts, but focus on big gifts; one flagship program is precision health.</li> <li>• President Folt is happy with SoP activities, ex: Vaccination programs (COVID, Monkeypox, influenza)</li> <li>• Pending meeting with University to discuss forced set-aside from next budget to protect against anticipated crisis/downturn next year.</li> <li>• [Q: Possibilities of interactions with Social Work School? A: Yes, especially on mental health. Also other clinical services delivery, and advocacy on reproductive rights.]</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International Programs <i>Rory Kim, Ian Haworth, Terrence Graham</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Goals: Inject global perspective, develop strategic partnerships, increase student participation, attract future leaders, support international students, introduce innovative collaborative models.</li> <li>• Accomplishments: Integrated between departments and disciplines for teaching, collaboration, student learning; raised SoP profile for recruitment, research; expanded scholarship opportunities, other collaborations; engaged alumni</li> <li>• Pandemic drove further integration of disparate programs with move to online; this summer back in person/hybrid, with integrated format. Our students can serve as paid course assistants – for experience as teachers and leaders, plus international exposure.</li> <li>• Many presentations and posters resulted from the student projects. Also, peer-reviewed publications about the program.</li> <li>• Thinking about adding fully online program(s).</li> <li>• [Q: How was participant feedback? A: Very positive overall. Online component students more focused, better student feedback. In person, students less focused (Tired? Distracted?).</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accreditation update <i>Siu-Fun Wong</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gradually moving toward task completion. Met with majority of SSTs last two months. Now in final updates.</li> <li>• Due date for final drafts moved to Sep 22<sup>nd</sup>. Final report will then be sent out 3 days prior to Oct 4 mini retreat...</li> <li>• Remember to include all 2022 AACP survey data!</li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Final, final drafts from SSTs due by November 16<sup>th</sup>. Dean will review, faculty then approve by January 10<sup>th</sup>.</li> <li>[Q: Okay to leave tracked changes in? A: Yes. I will clean them up, but want to see the history.]</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The 2022 AACP Graduating Student and Faculty Survey results <i>Maryann Wu</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer and National Survey results now available, not just already discussed USC-only results</li> <li>National – Every participating school (students – 140 schools; faculty – 104 schools)</li> <li>Peer (Student) Schools (Looked at rankings, MS students, PhD students, faculty size, class size, geography etc.) =&gt; Ten Schools, UCSF, UCSD, U Minn, U Illinois Chicago, etc.</li> <li>Did much better than peers (&gt; +5%) in several areas on student survey, especially for Standards 12, 13, 14 &amp; 15</li> <li>Likewise did much better than peers on Faculty survey. (Dean was +27.0%)</li> <li>[Q: Problem areas vs peer schools? A: No – Some areas where we are below our goal, but other peer schools have similar problems.]</li> <li>[Q: Why fewer faculty surveys? A: Not all schools do it yearly...]</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair/Associate Dean Reports</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>A Wong-Beringer</i> – Presentation on Core Research facilities and research support services will be on Sep 22, 11am-2pm.</li> <li><i>E Pacifici</i> – Some faculty and staff medical issues, but semester is off to a good start. Symposium next Friday (Sep 23) on emerging technology – medical devices. Also, info session on industry careers next Thursday.</li> <li><i>C Wang</i> – Likewise, some faculty getting ill; international students can't return home, if do, can't get back to US. Working on faculty recruitment.</li> <li><i>S Chen</i> – CDC Hypertension Roundtable this Thursday. HTN now triple weighted measure for Medicare quality...</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Old Business</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bylaws Update and Faculty Approval Vote (<i>Andrew Mackay</i>) – Still Pending</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New Business</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>I Steinberg</i> - For November – Add discussion/presentation on new policies on conflicts of interest.</li> <li><i>J Dopheide</i> – EB working on a proposal for bylaw amendment to do email voting on minutes, officers.</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adjournment</li> </ul>	<p>Proposed by <i>A Wong-Beringer</i>; Seconded by <i>E Cadenas</i>. Passed by acclaim. Adjourned at 5:31 pm by <i>J Dopheide</i></p> <p>Next (FULL) Meeting – 3:45 pm, 8 November 2022 – Via Zoom (Also at mini retreat Oct 4<sup>th</sup>).</p>	