# MITCHELL HAMLINE SCHOOL OF LAW OCTOBER 2021 SBA MEETING MINUTES

Start time: 5:01p – End Time: 5:30p.

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

## 2. ROLL CALL

	Representative	Absent
President	Dare Sims	
Vice President	Martha Johnson	
Treasurer	Kayla Ladson	
Secretary	Paola Maldonado	
At-Large	Nicole Knight Schrupp	
ABA	Jennifer Drysdale	
1L Section Rep 1	Rachel Bakke	EA
1L Section Rep 2	Tanner Daniel BincZak	
1L Section Rep 3	Chloee Sagmoe	
1L Blended Section 1	McKaia Dykema	
1L Blended Section 3	Amy Huo	
2L Day (Seat 1)	Thar Jor'dan	
2L Day (Seat 2)	Myranda Sandberg	
3L Day Rep	Noah Reutzel	
3L Evening Rep	Kelly Chandler	
EJD Cohort 2	Melanie Finley	
EJD Cohort 3	Matthew Overcast	EA
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Hybrid Cohirt 5	Ursula Hirsch	EA
Hybrid Cohort 6	Keaston Julian	EA
Blended Section 1	Joe Schultz	
Blended Section 2	Tori Collins	
Blended Section 3	Brandy Kizer	
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4L Weekend	Ryan Puchreiter	UA
Judicial Council	Catie Kleindl	EA
	Jay Henderson	
	April Aylesworth	

#### 3. MOTION TO AMEND AGENDA

 a. Brandy moves, Nicole seconds. Motion carries striking Committee Reports off agenda.

## 4. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

a. Brandy moves, Nicole seconds. Motion carries.

## 5. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

a. Brandy moves, Kayla seconds. Motion carries.

#### 6. OFFICER REPORTS

- President
  - o 2L Yard Games Night is coming up.
  - DEI Retreat is coming up where Martha and Dare will have the chance to share upcoming goals for next year. They will update SBA in November.
- Vice President
  - Second leadership council meeting was last week and they discussed event best practices. The next one is on November 2<sup>nd</sup>. at 7pm.
- Treasurer
  - o No updates until Way and Means Committee is set.
- Secretary
  - o No updates.

#### 7. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Elections
- Ways and Means Committee
- Health & Wellness

# • Bylaws Committee

# 8. NEW BUSINESS

# a. REP REPORTS (2 MINS)

		Report
1L Section Rep 1	Rachel Bakke	
1L Section Rep 2	Tanner Daniel BincZak	Had cohort meeting on Friday, no reports.
1L Section Rep 3	Chloee Sagmoe	Has not had cohort meetings yet, maybe after midterms.
1L Blended Section 1	McKaia Dykema	Meeting is coming up on Thursday at 7pm. General feedback is that adjuncts are not giving timely feedback on assignments.
1L Blended Section 3	Amy Hou	Has not had cohort meeting yet. Expresses frustration with one professor; she has surveyed her cohort to see if it is a common issue and gather feedback. Has an email written to particular professor but may meet with her in person.
2L Day (Seat 1)	Thar Jor'dan	
2L Day (Seat 2)	Myranda Sandberg	Has not had cohort meeting yet, it has been difficult to coordinate times with midterms but should have availability thereafter. Thar and she sent out email about 2L Yard Games Night. Made a connection with Billy's owner who is willing to provide free drinks if she hosts an event there with 25 people or more.
3L Day Rep	Noah Reutzel	Has cohort meeting coming up on Thursday at 4pm. Mentions issues with Canvas and some disconnect on how some profs are using it.
3L Evening Rep	Kelly Chandler	Has cohort meeting on Saturday. Mentions Canvas is a mess and things are hard to find. Also, there are not many classes offered in the evening even though their program is an evening program. Admin says there are classes, but they are offered at times that are not compatible with evening students.
EJD Cohort 2	Melanie Finley	Had cohort meeting on Thursday. She had one write in that expresses interest in commencement, any commencement even if it's just for vaccinated people or even doing it live.
EJD Cohort 3	Matthew Overcast	
Hybrid Cohort 5	Ursula Hirsch	

Hybrid Cohort 6	Keaston Julian	
Blended Section 1	Joe Schultz	Has cohort meeting in about a week. Wants Prof.
		Knapp to do more live impressions.
Blended Section 2	Tori Collins	Shares questions regarding prep week in January and what to expect. There are Themis printed materials for purchases, there is a deadline to purchase materials and students are wondering if they can do anything about that deadline. Also, shares concerns about getting rid of December commencement and feedback/grades taking over a month to get back.
Blended Section 3	Brandy Kizer	Has cohort meeting coming up on Tuesday evening. She had one request through email about Panopto files being able to download into audio files; used to be able to but not anymore.
4L Weekend	Ryan Puchreiter	

## 9. OPEN FORUM (2:00 PER COMMENT)

- Myranda Sandberg- Asks whether or not there was a general email sent out to students regarding who their SBA rep after elections ended. Has been bringing it up to students and they didn't know that she was their rep. Dare will send out email to student with reps and their emails.
- Nicole: Has only one email about requesting gift cards for cohort meetings,
   encourages reps to request them.
- McKaia: Wanted to let the SBA know that a colleague wanted to rep MH in
   American Psychology Law Society and what he needs to do, if anything, to be able to
   rep. Dare asks her to send an email to Shammah and her about it.
- Melanie Finley: Wants to know if there is a 1L or 2L that wants to take over Book
   Buy/Sell FB page for MH. Dare will find someone.

- Amy Hou: Wants to contact a professor whom there are issues with, asks if anyone
  has done this before and can provide advice on how to go about it. Kelly and Nicole
  offer help.
- Kate: Asks for clarification on the benefit to the Ways and Means committee since she is still seeing approvals on budgets. Kayla answers that she has been reviewing and approving budgets but, per by laws, we are supposed to it by committee. There is also an advantage in someone learning it this year so next year they know how to do it. Dare adds that the committee should be filled within the next couple of days.
- Dare: Next meeting is November 21<sup>st</sup> at 5pm. Plan is to have Dead LeMoine and Dean Niedwiecki to answers questions for us.

## 10. ADJOURNMENT

a. Joe moves, Nicole seconds. Motion carries.