PHO 1st General Body Meeting

Public Health Graduate Student Organization
Brody 2E-100
Monday, August 26th, 2019

Welcome!
Please sign-in, enjoy the snacks, and get to know your neighbor!!
Let’s get to know each other!
Membership Requirements

Open to all DPH students, faculty, staff, and to dual degree MD/MPH students.

Dues: $20 per semester or $30 for entire year

• Due today or next meeting on Sept. 23rd (cash, check, or venmo)
• Turn in dues to Casey (venmo account: @arora01 or 336-287-0697)

Membership privileges include:

• Voting rights via general body meetings or absentee ballots,
• Conference funding,
• Cords for graduation, and
• No cover charge for PHO-funded events.

You must also be a member to attend PHO-sponsored events.

• If you're not a member, a fee set by the Executive Board may be imposed.
• Non-members may be required to RSVP in advance to attend certain PHO-sponsored events.
Active Member Status

Active member status is defined as:

- Attending at least 2 general body PHO meetings per semester and
- Involvement in at least one PHO-approved service event.
- DE students reach out to us!

Graduation cords will be awarded to active members who fulfill these requirements the last 2 consecutive semesters before their graduation.
Ways to Get Involved!

● Hang out with us at our Start of School Social on August 29th @ 7 pm
● Attend our student body meetings on the 4th Monday of each month
● Decide to join PHO as a member
● Run for an available committee position:
  ○ Social Chair
  ○ Service Chair
  ○ Fundraising Chair
  ○ First Year Representative
Things we do:

● Monthly meetings
  ○ Pumpkin Carving
  ○ Friendsgiving

● Social events
  ○ BBQ at NRC
  ○ Bowling
  ○ Tailgate at a football game
  ○ Singo at Professor O’Cools

● Service events
  ○ Hope Lodge: BINGO; Bake treats
  ○ Blood Drive
  ○ Toy Drive

● Attend and present at conferences
• Be on the lookout for an email this week asking if you would like to participate as a Big Buddy!

• Be on the lookout for an email this week asking you to fill out a survey about your long-term goals
• You will be paired with a Big Buddy with similar interests!
• Become lifelong friends! 😊
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Elections – PHO Leadership

• Currently accepting nominations (and self-nominations) for:
  • **First Year Representative** (executive board position) – 1st year students
  • **Fundraising Committee Chair** – all students
  • **Social Committee Chair** – all students
  • **Service Committee Chair** – all students

• Accepting nominations by:
  • **Monday, September 16th, 11:59PM**
  • **Email nominations to** [pho@ecu.edu](mailto:pho@ecu.edu)

• Short Speech by Nominee and Voting will occur at next PHO General Body Meeting on:
  • **Monday, September 23rd, 6:15PM; Room: AHNURS Room TBA**
BIOS Tutoring

• BIOS 7021 tutoring will be offered this fall!
• Be on the lookout for updates via email
• Contact Tori Edwards or Casey Kelley for more information
  • edwardsv18@students.ecu.edu
  • kelleyca18@students.ecu.edu
ENGAGE

• Replaced OrgSync
• Log in with ECU credentials and become a member of the “Public Health Graduate Student Organization” page to see events and important documents

https://engage.ecu.edu/organization/public-health-graduate-student-organization
More about public health & our program from Dr. Bell and 2nd year students
Upcoming:

● September 5 - NC Institute of Medicine Annual Meeting; Raleigh, NC (Medicaid Transformation)
● September 25-27 - NC Public Health Association Conference; Greensboro, NC (Student Pricing: $50 full conference; $30 one day)
● November 2-6 - APHA Conference; Philadelphia, PA
● November 7-8 - NC SOPHE Conference; Greensboro, NC (Abstracts due August 30th- This Friday!!)

Funding from SGA is tricky. We need to know ASAP if you are attending a conference and would like to pursue funding!!
World Environmental Health Day

- Thursday, September 26th
- Environmental Health Sciences Program will have a poster session, 8:30am-4:30pm (presenters do not have to be at poster the entire day) in the Belk Building- Email Jo Anne Goot to submit an abstract to present or for more information (BALANAYJ@ECU.ED)
- EH Selfie- Take a selfie in front of something Environmental Health related and post it to Facebook or Instagram using #ECUEnvironmentalHealth
PHO T-Shirts
Order and pay with Casey by our next meeting on Sept. 23rd (cash, check, venmo) (venmo account: @arora01 or 336-287-0697)

   - Add $2 for 2XL
   - Add $4 for 3XL

2. Colors available:
   - Heather Seafoam (Bluegreen)
   - White
   - Black
   - Cornsilk (Yellow)
   - Purple (Available in select sizes)

3. Sign-up today with Casey and turn-in money today or next meeting on Sept. 23rd! We have venmo!
PHO Back to School Social

Thursday, August 29th
@ 7 p.m.

Pitt Street Brewing Company

Meet students and faculty! You buy your drink(s)!
BBQ @ NRC

- Saturday, September 14th, 12-4pm
- We will provide food!!
- Bring your ECU 1 Card to rent equipment (kayaks, paddle boards, volleyballs, etc.) for free!!
- Please sign up with Shelby or via email later this week
Fundraiser

• Chipotle Fundraiser on Monday, September 16th from 5-9pm
• Show this flyer (on the PHO Facebook and Instagram pages) and 33% of the proceeds will be donated to PHO
1st Service Event: Hope Lodge

- Sunday, September 29, 1-3pm
- We will be baking treats for the residents (cookies, brownies etc.)
- Sign up with Shelby TODAY (limited spots)
- Please wear your PHO t-shirt if you have one!
PHO General Body Meeting Schedule Fall 2018

Mon. Sep. 23 2019
6:15PM, AHNURS Room TBA

Mon. Oct. 28 2019
6:15PM, AHNURS Room TBA

Mon. Nov. 18 2019
6:15PM, AHNURS Room TBA
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