

**Faculty of Health Sciences
Joint Health and Safety Committee (JHSC)
Minutes of Meeting**

Held Wednesday, February 16, 2022 at 1:30 p.m.

Attendees:	Logan Bale	DBMS	USW Local 2010
	Sharon David	SRT	MGMT
	Jacqueline Findlay	Medicine	MGMT
	Monika Holzschuh	A&S	QUFA
	Dan Langham	EH&S	
	Allison Mackey	Nursing	MGMT
	Edwin Ocran	PSAC 901– unit 1 (TA's/TF's)	
	Yat Tse	DBMS	MGMT
Minutes:	Tammy Henry	FHS Ops	
Co-Chairs:	John Singleton	Cancer Research Labs	MGMT
	<i>Worker co-chair vacant</i>		
Regrets:	Anne Biggar	CCTG	Non-union
	Hamid Ghaedi	PSAC 901– unit 2	
	Christine Irving	FHS Ops	MGMT
Copy to:	Safety Officers, Faculty of Health Sciences Department Heads		

J. Singleton (Co-Chair) called the meeting to order at 1:30 pm.

1) Approval of the Minutes of January 19, 2022

Approved by S. David seconded by Y. Tse

2) New Business

D. Langham update

D. Langham reported that the government is easing restrictions with the acceleration of the 3 step timeline that had been put into place with the Omicron wave. The university will now look at how this will affect locations on campus and we will adjust accordingly. In person teaching is set to start February 28. The university is gearing up for this date. Work continues on ventilation verification and measurements in classrooms. The university has announced it is increasing the level of masking requirements required on campus. Medical grade masks are now required. The university will start

distributing masks to faculties so that they can distribute a box of 50 to each student as they return to campus. The medical grade masks will also be made available to staff and faculty through departments on an ongoing basis. Y. Tse confirmed that masks will be available to those in Botterell Hall and Richardson labs by contacting himself or one of his lab technicians. All other FHS buildings should contact C. Irving.

Guidance documents will be updated to reflect the changes to government requirements. The in-person protocol has been updated. It was sent out to Joint Health and Safety committees for comment. We are also working on updating our continuity of education plan that the ministry requires.

L. Bale asked for advice about requests that are starting to come in for campus tours in the spring as well as open house events. D. Langham said that updated information will be coming soon as to how events will be run.

D. Langham shared that Sandra Jeffers of EH&S has done a review of all of the committee memberships and their vacancies. She will be sending out vacancy information to the union groups shortly so that the positions can be filled. Departments will be contacted for any management representatives that are needed.

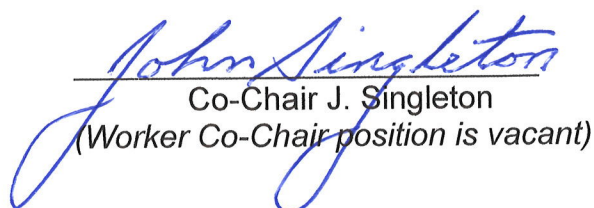
Certification training will be scheduled in the spring through the EH&S office.

3) Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:50 pm.

OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE Wednesday, March 16, 2022.

Minutes approved by:


Co-Chair J. Singleton
(Worker Co-Chair position is vacant)