Missouri University of Science & Technology
International Student Advisory Council
Regular Meeting- January 22, 2010
Attendance-23

Welcome and Introductions- New Thai Officers

Baheirah Khusheim-Student Council, Diversity Liaison
- Alexa Roney, Executive Assistant Contact
- Black History Month-February
- Organizational Funding Process Luncheon
  - Jan 27, 12-1pm
  - SAFB-financial reps will be there.
  - Jan 29 is the deadline for funding app.

Calendar for 2010
March meeting will be held March 5 (not March 12)

February 12 Meeting
- Guest Speaker: Mr. Edward Knollmeyer, Director of Risk and Insurance Management for UM system.
- Purpose of his office will be to discuss process that the UM System follows to decide which medical/insurance policies should be selected.
- Ask your members for any questions or problems.

Immigration Reminders
- SEVIS Registration
  - Students must meet the full-time enrollment requirement.
  - Make sure your information on Joe’S is updated.
  - Hometown address go to the registrars office, new students need to be reminded.
  - Reminder: Physical address is not a P.O. Box.

Other
- Taxes: December Personnel Property Forms
- Campus Census Committee: Next Tuesday
  - April 1st forms will be sent out.
  - Proposal to have an international students campus party to encourage all students to complete their Census form.
- Fundraising for student organizations: think of ways to fundraise.

Upcoming events & programs
- Chinese Spring Festival: Feb 14th
  - Tickets will be available Feb 4
  - Make reservations for practice rooms using Student Life Reservation website.
- International Student Day: March 7th
Planning stages, making progress, confirmed the participants; more details will be given in February ISAC meeting.

Updates for April events: Saudi Night, African Gala: April 18th
  ○ African Gala: 1st meeting today, McNutt 204.

Parade of Nations-September 18-19, 2010
  ○ Nationalities are needed.
  ○ Still future place not yet finalized.
  ○ Devang volunteered to serve in Parade of Nations Committee.

Council of Graduate Student will sponsor Graduate Research Showcase in April, held in conjunction with UMC grad students.
  ○ Housing Survey result in the website and newsletter.
  ○ Current issue being reviewed by CGS - Printing Qouta
  ○ CGS is involved in an energy audit and recommendations – remember to turn off lights when you leave a room, turn off the monitors – do what you can to save energy.
  ○ Monthly meetings held- next guest Associate Director of Career Opportunity Center

Recycle Mania & EcoMiner event held today at 4:30 pm, Havener Center

India Association making plans for Holi event on March 8, 2010

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- Spring Festival: February 14, 2010
- International Student Day: March 7, 2010
- Holi event, India Association, March 8, 2010
- Saudi Student Association Event: April 11, 2010
- African Gala: April 18, 2010