

UF COM Gainesville Faculty Council Meeting
September 5, 2017
5-6 p.m. Room M-112, Medical Sciences Building

- **Call to Order/Welcome:** Lauren Solberg, J.D., Faculty Council President
 - Introduce new representatives – Lauren Solberg, J.D.
 - Review and approval of August minutes – Lauren Solberg, J.D.
- **Reports:**
 - Executive Committee report – Lauren Solberg, J.D.
 - Curriculum Committee – Victoria Bird, M.D.
 - Faculty Senate – Lauren Solberg, J.D.
- **Discussion and Follow-up:** Lauren Solberg, J.D.
 - Suggestions for the State of the College address
 - FEO awards deadlines
 - Research Blitz events – Planning under way to offer new faculty (arriving at UF over last 3-4 years) to present brief (3-4 min) summaries of their research to the University at large to encourage collaboration amongst faculty, date to be announced
 - Meeting with Christine Lloyd, Director of Human Resources, on August 3, 2017 to discuss benefit comparisons between UF and other universities; standardized offer letter, HR to start evaluating benefits from a holistic approach, new ALEX online link to assist in healthcare plan and other benefit selections (<http://myalex.com/uf/2017>)
 - Meeting with Stacy Ellis on September 28 regarding BabyGator
 - Invited Presentations: Jay Lynch, MD, Assistant Dean of Admissions, UF
- **Announcements:**
 - For this year's flu immunization schedules please visit bridge.UFHealth.org/flu for information on dates, times and places to receive your immunizations.
 - Download the app, UFHealth Protect, from the App Store or Google Play. It's the official safety app of UF Health, featuring emergency contacts, safety tips, personal safety tools, maps, and more.
 - The Administrative Memo page of the University of Florida web site includes policy and procedural changes to all operational units within the University of Florida community. For more information go to: <https://administrativememo.ufl.edu> for more information.
 - Gators Volunteer is a new campaign to link faculty and staff to organizations needing volunteers. For more information go to: gatorsvolunteer.ufl.edu
 - Reminder: COM Fall Faculty Appreciation Reception will be held on October 24 from 5:00PM – 7:00PM at the Harrell Medical Education Building in the Scott Commons Area.
 - Cell line genetic authentication service available through ICBR, \$60/cell line for 4 or fewer, or \$50/cell line for five or more. <http://www.biotech.ufl.edu/now-offering-human-cell-line-authentication/> or email: ICBR-GeneExpression@ad.ufl.edu for more information
 - Next Faculty Club – Council representatives in the following departments please remind your faculty of the invitation to attend the next Faculty Club at the Blue Gill restaurant on September 12, 2017 at 5 pm (open only to faculty from the following departments): *Departments of: Epidemiology; Neurosurgery; Obstetrics & Gynecology; Anesthesiology Divisions of: Obstetrics, Perioperative Medicine; Medicine Divisions of: Endocrinology, Diabetes & Metabolism, Gastroenterology, Hepatology & Nutrition, Hematology & Oncology, Nephrology, Hypertension & Renal Transplantation; Pediatrics Division of: Hospital Medicine*
 - AAMC CFAS News: (see handouts) subscription to e-newsletter is available at: <https://www.aamc.org/members/cfas/385122/cfashrssignup.html>
- **Adjournment**