

PMA Undergraduate Student Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

23 January 2025

In attendance

Physics: Shrishti Pankaj Kulkarni, Hannah Rose, Zhiyi (Miranda) Zheng

Mathematics: Akshar Ramkumar, Jasmine Wang

Astrophysics: Diya Kumar

SPO: Nam, Belen

Absent

Physics: Joe Sheeran

Mathematics: Colin La

Hello & Welcome

- Check-In

Programming

- Fall Grad Applications Workshop – Debrief
 - o Went well. Well attended. Helpful for students. Space was a bit tight, so it can be moved for next year.

Upcoming

- Winter Social Event – was originally scheduled for Jan. 23, but it was postponed due to the wild fires.
 - o We can still hold the event during week 6, after midterms. The location can be West Bridge B157. The theme can be Valentine’s Day cookie decorating
 - Plan for Thursday, Feb. 13 from 3:30pm – 4:30pm in West Bridge B157. SPO will create flyer and RSVP link and send it out to the undergraduate listservs.
- Winter Academic event – Alumni Event
 - o Planning for the event is delayed due to multiple factors. We may not be able to put together a well-planned successful event for the winter. This event is high stakes, and should be planned and advertised with enough time.
 - Can possibly plan an event close to the Seminar Day in May. Will need to check with folks who organize that event.
- OT Module – ongoing in Canvas with a few upcoming raffles.

Next

- Spring: DiscoTech UG Admissions, UG Welcome Mixer, Peer Advising or Graduate School Application event
 - o ARC already does a Peer Advising event, and it is close to the same time as this. It is also not very well attended. We should try to change the second academic even for the spring.

T-Shirts

Concerns and Questions

- N/A

Other Business

- N/A

Thanks!