

School of Medicine and Dentistry

Clinical Pharmacology

William Harvey Research Institute

Postgraduate Taught

Student Staff Liaison Committee

16th April 2020 at 12pm

Confirmed Minutes

Staff members present:

Dr Peter King (Chair) - taken over from FN while in Clinic Full Time

Prof Atholl Johnston

Prof Nik Lemos

Dr Nina Ravic

Prof Panos Deloukas

Dr Simon Lack

Dr Manuela Angioi

Rahat Uddin (Minutes)

Student members present:

Name

Programme

Sharmila Lagunathan

MSc Forensic Medical Sciences

Nkeiruka Chizomam Udochi Ezeakachi
O Ogugua

MSc Clinical Drug Development

Apologies for absence:

Unable to attend:

Chair - Fu Ng, until possible June 2020

Professor Maralyn Druce

Professor Parjam Zalfogari

Evridiki Georgaki MSc Sports and Exercise Medicine

Richard Antbring MSc FT WHRI (Sports Med and Musculo)

Alexander Navin Kumra BSc (Intercalated) Sports and Exercise

Bethany Sian Lumborg MSc Genomic Medicine

Farah Fahd Mahmoud Abdelhameed MSc Clinical Endocrinology

Part 1 – Preliminary Items	Paper	Led by
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Welcome and introduction for members		Chair
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Minutes of the previous meeting 02.04.2020		Chair
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- All agreed they are fine

Terms of reference and membership		Chair
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Admissions, Induction and Enrolment		Chair
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Part 2 – Programme Delivery and other matters

Programme/module developments and amendments

MSc / PGDip / PGCert Genomic Medicine

Bethany (GEN Rep) - unable to join the meeting.

- Exams – now taking place on 20.07.2020, additional details have been posted on the student cafe on Genomics QMPlus site.
- Details will be given to all students once they are confirmed.
- NR to check with Bethany with an update.
- Scheduling a meeting with students end of the month.

MSc / PGDip Clinical Drug Development

Nkeiruka (CDD Rep)

- Currently running Statistics module, Nkeiruka, reported going well. Lecturers on line, working through it now. NR explained that lecturer will be providing queries the students have through Rahat.
- Lecturer Janice Thomas for Stats will be more than happy to meet through Teams/other on line forum. Nkeiruka - explained that students would really like this prior to assignment. AJ asked if Nkeiruka could provide some dates and he will get lecturer to set this up.
- AJ - Marketing module, will be delivered May 19th May by Zoom. Three lecturers will be delivering further details will be given closer to date.
- Helen Ogulu -Dissertation topic to be sorted out by AJ - will be contacted today.
- Nkeiruka - deadline for all assignments extended by two weeks.
- Students asked how marks will be calculated - NR explained that whatever direction is given by Principle this is what will be followed. Example given, lowest 30 credit will not be counted to MSc degree. Still some clarification to be given - this will be checked and further details will be given to all students. NR to check and clarify.
- Dissertation deadlines discussed, AJ explained that feedback can be given if some form of outline is given but cannot read full/whole document. Offered his and Toqa's support.
- *Discussion took place with programme leads and full details once clarified will be shared with students (AJ, PD, MA, NR, PK, SL).NR to discuss with MD.*
- *Student view - students are very happy that 2 modules with 15 credits that they have not done well in will not be taken into consideration.*

MSc Forensic Medical Sciences

Sharmilla (FMS Rep)

- NR - everything is going well, 2 students with outstanding marks for Toxicology, Sharmilla informed that this has now been provided.
- Everyone is happy with Zoom and how the course is running very well.
- Also provides a recording service which they can use later.
- Prof Lemos stated that all lectures have been running and students are pleased with how things are going well.
- Presentation, NPL stated it went well similarly with students - none had any issues with this.
- All happy with dates and format of exams.
- Any students to feel free to ask any questions they have similarly to report any peers who are unwell.
- NPL - lecturers that were going on line were very flexible and able to distill graphic images that were shown via zoom, so recording don't end up public domain.
- Would be able to do remote learning should FMS need to at the start of the next academic year.
- The extra curricular activity's such as visiting Police stations or Mortuaries is obviously not possible at this time. This may need to taken into consideration such as adjusting advertising material. Swapping of modules may be a consideration or explore other options.
- NPL explained how Zoom works how it has revolutionized how they can access the lectures and Sharmilla said that all are happy with Zoom and no complaints as of yet.

NR suggested WHRI try and get Zoom for all programme leads, PD agreed.

MSc / PGDip Clinical Endocrinology

Farah (Clin Endo Rep)

Programme lead sends apologies.

MSc Critical Care

Programme lead sends apologies.

- All students are front line at moment.

MSc Sports and Exercise Medicine

Manuela Angioi

- Policy that was released by Principle for grading was discussed and needs to be clarified.
- No rep joined today.
- Manuela will follow up with an email to the reps about SSLC. If they can provide update and any feedback.

- Announcements made to students about the open book exams, OSCE type examinations will take place.
- Consolidations will take place with examination for Sports and Exercise.
- Pheobe - has had a response regarding her query.

2 Learning resources

- **Library facilities / materials (books, journals etc.)**
- **QMplus**
- **QReview**
- **Updates from faculty E-learning forums**
- **IT**

As discussed above.

Part 3 – Programme Delivery and Any Other Business

Part 4 – Date of the next meeting

4 Next SSLC on 06.05.2020

