



Quantitative Sciences Course Union (QSCU)

# QSCU Weekly Meeting

September 17th 2019 | 3:30 PM | UNC 105

Attendees: Stephanie, Lauren, Cam, Jeff, Annette, Chelsey, Ivan, Puck, Elias, Kristine, Alex, Kat, Kat, Emily, Andre

**New Business:**

High Priority = Red

Med Priority = Orange

Low Priority = Green

Topic of Discussion	By	Timeline	Action (Y/N)
<p>→ <b>Meeting Organization</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Overview of meeting structure</li> <li>◆ Updates to meeting notes, at this point it will be testing, so this format may change over time</li> </ul>	Lauren	Today	N
<p>→ <b>QSCU Pub Night</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Tree Brewing (2nd floor)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● October 4th</li> <li>● Western theme - put a poll on QSCU members page</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Lauren	Now - September 20th	Y - Lauren, Kat, Kat
<p>→ <b>Homecoming</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Saturday, September 28th from 2-5pm</li> <li>◆ Get ahold of Lauren by Thursday at the latest</li> <li>◆ 6 different stations, aimed at children               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Encryption, Photoshop, etc.</li> <li>● Look on QSCU members page</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ Hosted by Bowen</li> <li>◆ Potential volunteers: Steph, Kat, Puck</li> </ul>	Lauren	Now - September 19th	
<p>→ <b>Review Session Prep Work</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Review Session emails to professors in relevant courses, begin mapping out midterm review session dates with professors and members of the QSCU</li> <li>◆ MATH 221, COSC 111, STAT 230, PHYS 111, DATA 301               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Possibly COSC 222, COSC 211</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		Now - October 4th	Y, Kat, Subject Reps, etc.



<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jordan is speaking to the SL leader for Physics already, SL leader helping out with 111</li> <li>• Coordinate with Math SL, Chelsey reaching out</li> <li>◆ <a href="#">Calendar here</a></li> <li>◆ October 8th and 9th - 4 midterms in two days!!! (Both physics, cosc 111)</li> <li>◆ Pizza for volunteers and attendees (by donation?)!             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$2 donation for those who want pizza</li> <li>• Put a poll on facebook event page</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ Ivan please put midterms on calendar</li> <li>◆ Thursday and Saturday before</li> <li>◆ Lauren will send email to the COSC 111 SL leader.</li> <li>◆ STAT 124 and STAT 230 together if they line up - Chelsey will get the midterm schedules</li> </ul>			
<p>→ <b>Event Prep Work</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Map out workshops, socials, and faculty-mixers             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This is a joint effort, we will begin mapping out a rough outline today focusing on what everyone has an interest in focusing on</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Python workshop</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kat will host. Emily, Chelsey, and Ivan can help.</li> <li>• Week of Oct. 4th                 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Hopefully October 3rd (requested, not confirmed) - Use this room for a review session or other workshop</li> <li>○ Changed to the following week! Figure out a date next meeting.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Put info slides in slack</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Python Workshop 2.0</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kat</li> <li>• Machine learning</li> <li>• Second semester</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Lauren	Now - October 18th	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <b>Latex workshop</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Chelsey will host. Jordan, Stephanie will help.</li> <li>● Mid/late October or in November after mock seminar (get grad students to come)</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Grad Panel</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Panel of grad students (6 different) - Q/A</li> <li>● VP Campus Life now doing booking for The Well</li> <li>● October 1st - Confirmed. 6PM till whenever</li> <li>● Professor's will talk as well</li> <li>● Check if Mike or someone else will be available to help with sound set up</li> <li>● Put a survey on the facebook event page to get questions prior to panel</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Mock grad seminar</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● First week of November</li> <li>● Professors invited to give feedback</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Intro to R</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Kristine</li> <li>● Email John Braun</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>MURPH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Reaching out for helping with intro workshops</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Intro to Processing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Lauren</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Intro to Photoshop</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Lauren</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Collaborate with other course unions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Fun event to mix course unions</li> <li>● Ideas: board game with eng soc.</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Cryptography</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Wayne Broughton</li> <li>● Scott - have a more computer science aspect. Kat and Emily can talk to him.</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Fibonacho Day</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Friday November 22nd? STAY UP TILL MIDNIGHT</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ <b>Pi day</b></li> </ul>			
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Next semester</li> <li>• Saturday :(</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <b>Badminton</b></li> <li>◆ <b>Skating Downtown</b></li> <li>◆ <b>Movie Night</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UNC theatre</li> <li>• Sciencey films</li> <li>• BILL NYE</li> <li>• Black mirror, X-files</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
<p>→ <b>Graduate Panel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Evening of October 1st in the Well <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Roughly 6-8</li> <li>• Rough Schedule <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 6:00-6:10: Introduction by QSCU members</li> <li>○ 6:10-6:30: Presentation by Dr. Apurva Narayan</li> <li>○ 6:35-6:55: Presentation by Dr. Andrew Jirasek</li> <li>○ 7:00-7:45: Graduate Student Panel</li> <li>○ 7:45-End: Individual questions and hang out at the Well</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ Confirmed fellas and fella-ettes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Profs: Andrew Jirasek, Apurva Narayan</li> <li>• Grads: Phil Shreeves, Maria Guenter, Amir Zenali, Alison Deng, Mayeesha Mariam, Matt Fritter, Jeff Bulmer</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ Poll on event page</li> </ul>	Kat/Jeff	Now-October 1	Y, Kat, Kat, Jeff
<p>→ <b>Observatory Night</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ October 22nd and 24th (in case of weather conflict)</li> <li>◆ Eventbrite reservation</li> <li>◆ 7pm - 9:30/10</li> <li>◆ Carpool sign up. Use a spreadsheet - put up meeting/leaving campus times.</li> <li>◆ Bring warm clothes!</li> </ul>	Lauren	Now	



<p>→ <b>Timeline Ex. Python Workshop</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <b>October 4th</b></li> <li>◆ Future Calendar <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	Lauren	Now - Sept. 27th	Y, Lauren
<p>→ <b>Event Coordination</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Give Kat Ng a week minimum notice for poster creation, the more time the better             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● This deadline is based on when you would want posters printed</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Lauren	Now	
<p>→ <b>Snack Sign-Up</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Was that enjoyed last year?</li> </ul>	Lauren		
<p>→ <b>Parsa - does anyone know statistical equation modelling?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ No.</li> <li>◆ Pays money. Maybe pretend you do.</li> <li>◆ Eric Z. in management department.</li> </ul>			
<p>→ <b>Meme Mondays</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Starting next week</li> </ul>			

**Action Items: [name: action - done by]**

*e.g Parsa: Create new Meeting Notes by Oct 29th*

- **All:** Sign up for Expo table by the end of September 10th
- **Ivan:** Coordinate Review Session Timeline by October 4th
- **Lauren:** Coordinate Class Introductions by October 4th
- **Kat:** Grad Panel, Python Workshop

**Pending Events:**

- Intro to Python Workshop
- QSCU Pub Night

**Upcoming Midterm Review Sessions:**

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