



Sudro Hall College of Health Professions – North Dakota State University



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A Message From the Dean:

Welcome back students! It is always exciting to start a new school year with new students, returning students, and the great anticipation and excitement about what the year will bring. There are lots of exciting things happening in our College but probably the most exciting is our recent approval for construction and fund-raising for a new \$28M, 90,000 sq. ft., six-story building addition to Sudro Hall. This new facility will provide our students and faculty with new state-of-the-art facilities which will enhance student learning, increase our research capacity, and advance interprofessional education. We are currently meeting with architects to design the new facility, with an anticipated timeline of ground-breaking during the 2018 Spring Semester with occupancy as early as January 2020. This will be a facility that molds our future and we hope that students will help us with this significant milestone in the history of our College.

Best wishes to you for a highly successful year.

Charles D. Peterson, Pharm.D., FASHP

Dean and Professor / College of Health Professions



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American Pharmacist's Association – Academy of Student Pharmacists

By Carolyn Marg, President

American Pharmacists Association-Academy of Student Pharmacists (APhA-ASP) is an organization that strives to be the collective voice of student pharmacists, provide professional growth opportunities, and serve our community through patient care projects.

We had the opportunity this summer to serve the Fargo/Moorhead area this summer by providing blood pressure, glucose, and cholesterol screenings at two StreetsAlive! events that were held in downtown Fargo. We were able to screen over 60 members of our community and educate them on the role that pharmacists can play in keeping them healthy. We also had our “Medicine or Candy” game at these events to show children how similar candy and pills can look and teach them to recognize the difference.

APhA-ASP had a booth at both the Involvement Expo and Sudro Symposium where we were able to connect with pre-pharmacy students to share with them about our organization and invite them to participate in our activities. We also hosted an Ice Cream Social event outside where we had root beer floats, played yard games, and got to know each other better.

Our chapter is off to a great start this fall and we are looking forward to welcoming new members, hosting engaging speakers at our meetings, and continuing to provide patient care by participating in outreach events in our community. We invite anyone interested in APhA-ASP to come to our meetings to learn more, we would love to get to know you and have you join our organization!



College of Health Professions Ambassadors

By Amanda Kuhn, President

The College of Health Professions Ambassadors is a selective student organization of 30-40 members that represents the schools and departments within the College, with members from many different stages of the programs within each school and department, ranging from pre-professional to professional to graduate students. As ambassadors, we serve an essential role in the College of Health Professions and work to promote our college through involvement in a variety of fun events throughout the year. We thoroughly enjoy sharing our positive experiences with others as well as building and fostering relationships.

Last spring semester, our members were very busy as they helped with countless events throughout the semester. We hosted our 7th annual Battle of the Cents-es Week, in partnership with the College of

Engineering Ambassadors, and raised over \$4,300 for a pre-pharmacy student of The College of Health Professions, Emily Perrin. She suffered an AVM rupture about a year ago and has spent her time in the hospital and therapy centers since. We were proud to support her recovery through this event! In addition, our members participated in an annual event known as the Great Health Care Adventure where our ambassadors teach 2nd grade students at Madison Elementary in Fargo about different health care professions in an after-school program. It is a highlight of the 2nd graders week, as they always were so excited to learn and see our ambassadors! Other events our members assisted with last spring included Pharmacy and Nursing Interview Days, a College of Health Professions Visit event, Discover NDSU Days, Pharmacy Hooding and Nurse Pining ceremonies. Into the fall semester, we have been active already, as members helped with a college wide freshman welcome event and assisted at the Pharmacy and Nursing White Coat ceremonies. We recently held our annual fall retreat (picture below), which was a great time bonding with one another, and we even got the chance to bake cookies for the Cookies for Kids Cancer fundraiser. We have several upcoming events this fall such as a Cookies for Kids Cancer week, Discover NDSU Days, a College of Health Professions Visit event, and fun events like Mid-Semester Boo's and Donuts for Dead Week for students in the College.



Kappa Psi Co-ed Pharmaceutical Fraternity

By Macey Llewellyn, President

Kappa Psi Co-Ed Pharmaceutical fraternity at NDSU is currently has 64 members, ranging from freshmen in pre-pharmacy to 4th year professional students. We strive to advance the profession of pharmacy while also forming lasting bonds with each other and supporting the Fargo-Moorhead community.

Our largest philanthropy event of the year is "Fries with the Kappa Psis", where we host an all-you-can-eat fry bar with various toppings, with all the proceeds going to a local charity. Fries will be held October 23rd 5-7 pm at the University Lutheran Center. This year our profits will be donated to the Green Bandana Project; this nonprofit raises awareness about mental illness, specifically suicide prevention. We hope to continue this event in the future in order to support charities while also growing together as a brotherhood.



We are also fortunate enough to serve the Fargo-Moorhead area through various volunteer events. At least once monthly we reach out to a low income high rise community to serve a meal and offer free blood pressure screenings to the residents. In addition to this, we have starting holding Project Linus events at our chapter house. During these events we make tie blankets for children in need. Although these are our two most common events, we do like to venture out and try new events as well and are always looking for new ideas!

When we aren't volunteering or studying, we also like to host bonding events for our members; these include events such as catering in food and watching movies or playing games, going out to eat as a large group, and trivia nights at the house.

To keep up with all of our events, be sure to check us out on Facebook!

National Community Pharmacist's Association

By Nicole Grinsteiner, President

The NDSU NCPA chapter is comprised of both pre-professional and professional pharmacy students. NCPA focuses on independent community pharmacy, pharmacy ownership, and serving the community. If you're interested in any of these three components, NCPA may be a great fit for you.

NCPA serves the Fargo-Moorhead community by participating in various outreach events & volunteer opportunities. Last spring, NCPA held a food drive in Sudro and volunteered at the Dorothy Day food pantry, where the collected food items were donated. Additionally, members toured the North Dakota Assistive Technology "Home First Demonstration Center" and learned about devices that enable elderly and disabled individuals to continue to live independently within their own homes. This semester, NCPA will be involved in events such as hosting a book drive to collect children's books for the Sanford NICU, donating canned foods and other items to local food pantries through "Trick-or-Canning", performing blood pressure screenings in the community, and helping to raise money through a bake sale for Childhood Cancer.



Along with these great volunteering events, NCPA hosts speakers from both local and national levels. Last spring, Lisa Schwartz, the NCPA Senior Director of Management Affairs, joined Tony Welder, former national NCPA President, to speak with students about pharmacy ownership. Additionally, a representative from McKesson will be joining us this fall to give a Business Plan presentation.

Lastly, six NCPA members will be attending the NCPA National Convention and Trade Show in Orlando, FL this October. The annual convention is an excellent opportunity for students to network with

pharmacists and other pharmacy students, and to learn more about independent community pharmacy practice through different presentations and student activities.

NCPA is a great organization to be a part of within the College of Health Professions. Please join us at our monthly meetings if you're interested!

North Dakota Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists

By Ally Hall, Historian

NDSHP is a professional organization for students interested in a career within the health-system discipline. This includes a variety of settings, such as: hospital, long-term care, clinic and more! Our organization is here to help both pre-pharmacy and pharmacy students become aware of the benefits and opportunities available to them. We strive to provide interested students with information to help them learn and become involved, with a large focus on pharmacy residencies.

We recently held the local annual Residency Showcase, which brought in residency recruiters from across the state to present their programs to interested students. Some of our active members will be participating in a trip to Orlando, Florida for the national ASHP Midyear meeting in December, which includes the National Residency Showcase, and is an excellent networking and learning opportunity.

We believe in giving back to both our professional and personal communities. This past spring we had the opportunity to receive mental health first aid training, coordinated a review session with the NDSCS pharmacy technician students, as well as held our first annual pharmacy ball. This semester we look forward to organizing a homeless health services donation drive and raise funds for the Patient Assistant Account at Family Healthcare Pharmacy. We also have invited faculty members who work in a variety of health-system areas to come speak about their daily routines and responsibilities to give our members a deeper insight into different career paths. If you are interested in information about the various career opportunities in health care, please feel free to join us at our monthly meetings!

Phi Lambda Sigma

By Patrick Hanel, Vice President

Phi Lambda Sigma is a pharmacy leadership organization that currently consists of P2 and P3 members. Our aim is to foster and build leadership skills within our members through leadership exercises, speakers, and professional activities. In addition we will be applying for a grant to start an interprofessional community outreach program that would begin next year and continue annually which we have been very excited to undertake.

As an organization we have a few annual activities that we plan and put on. Firstly we have the Etiquette Dinner during which we work with faculty and alumni to develop professional practices and



social interactions in the setting of a formal dinner. Next, we give a presentation to international students on OTC medications. The aim of this presentation is to educate international students on what is available OTC, how to seek out certain OTCs, and what can be treated with OTCs versus going to a clinic. Lastly, we also have our yearly fundraiser with the NDSU College of Health Professions jackets that we put on in Sudro

as well as the White Coat ceremony.

We will be sending out our applications for the P1 and P2 classes to apply at the end of this semester. If you are a P1 or P2 and interested in joining please watch for a copy of our application in your email later this semester. If you have any questions about PLS or how to join feel free to email me at: patrick.j.hanel@ndus.edu.

Pre-Pharmacy Club

By Eva Byerley, President

NDSU Pre-Pharmacy Club is the only organization on campus that is specifically geared for pre-professional pharmacy students. The club was founded in the spring of 2016 and since then averages 60 members at each meeting. The Pre-Pharmacy Club's goal is to serve as a resource for its members by exposing them to the many aspects of the pharmacy profession and preparing them for entry into the pharmacy professional program, while emphasizing networking and interpersonal skill development. Some of the various activities offered include guest speakers, pharmacy tours, and service events throughout the year. This fall, the Pre-Pharmacy Club activities will include a Thrifty White Concept Pharmacy tour, Trick or Canning service event, an application process Q&A, and more! We are very excited to see what the rest of the semester has in store and encourage you to get involved in this awesome organization!



The Rho Chi Society

By Carson Reinhardt, President

The Rho Chi society is a pharmacy-specific academic honor society that is comprised of the top 20% of a class. Our Society seeks to recognize intellectual achievement of students and stimulate critical inquiry to advance pharmacy, contribute to the development of the intellectual leaders, promote the highest ethical standards, and fosters collaboration with other healthcare professionals. Each spring, prospective second-year professional students are chosen based on both their academic and personal achievements.

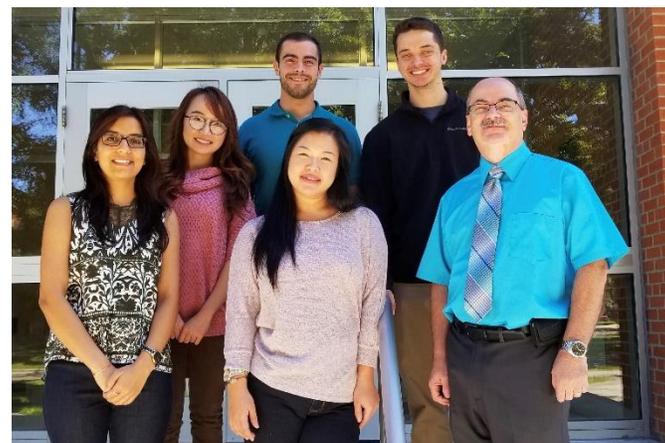
We kicked off this fall with a mentorship program that matches first and third year students together. This program promotes fraternity within the Pharmacy Program and establishes a helpful connection for first year students who may need advice on classes, career direction, or internship opportunities. Additionally, our Society hosts a Be the Match bone marrow donor drive that enrolls potential donors in a registry in the hopes that patients with various blood cancers may receive life-saving treatment. We also seek to build upon the Slack Tutoring service that was initiated by last years' members. Members will be available online close to exam dates to help students with any last-minute questions or concept clarification. Finally, we work with Churches United and volunteer our time wherever the need is greatest.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Carson Reinhardt (carson.e.reinhardt@ndus.edu).

Student College of Clinical Pharmacy

By Sayuri Yang, Secretary

The Student College of Clinical Pharmacy (SCCP) is an organization under the national umbrella of the American College of Clinical Pharmacy. The NDSU chapter was established in spring 2015 and had its first official year as an organization just last year, 2016. Our mission is to orient students to the practice of clinical pharmacy by providing information to students about careers and opportunities within the field



of clinical pharmacy, promote dedication to excellence in patient care, research, and education, encourage skill development necessary to function within an interdisciplinary team, advocate the role of clinical pharmacists within healthcare, and encourage participation in the American College of Clinical Pharmacy at the national level and/or local/regional chapters.

For the fall 2017 semester, we will be having Dr. Brody Maack and Dr. Lisa Narveson speak to the organization

about their clinical experiences and career paths. In addition, we are anticipating a tour of Aldevron, a biotechnology company in Fargo, and the new Sanford hospital. Volunteer opportunities and MAPP planning are also underway.

We are also excited to announce that two of our members, Matt Confeld (President) and Sayuri Yang (Secretary) will be attending the ACCP Annual Meeting in Phoenix, Arizona. Their experiences will be discussed at our October 18th meeting.

Our organization meets monthly and we encourage you all to join! Feel free to contact the executive members or our advisor, Dr. Miller, for more information.

Student Nurses' Association

By Brooke Yaggie & Britta Rynning, Co-Directors of Publicity

SNA is a student-based organization that allows students to come together and meet other nursing students while making a difference in the community. It is comprised of both pre-nursing and nursing students who have the opportunity to take part in community events, participate in fund raising opportunities, attend the state convention, hold leadership positions on the board, and learn from guest speakers about the many career opportunities for nurses. Some things that SNA has planned for this semester is the Out of the Darkness walk, highway cleanup, participating in the homecoming parade, selling Sandy's donuts, selling cookies for kids with cancer, and continuing our CPR teaching program, Heart of the Herd. Another exciting thing we are trying to get started this semester is a scholarship for SNA members. We are very excited to meet more nursing students and see what this new semester brings for our organization!

