Faculty Council Meeting Agenda

November 17, 2025
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

2025/2026 Dates
7/21/25; 8/18/25; 9/15/25; 10/20/25

1. Opening
2. Dr. Dana Lycans welcomed everyone and thanked them for logging on- introduced himself as new vice chair
3. Short meeting – 2 things on the agenda
    a. Faculty Awards
    b. S-Factor Jornal Article passed out last month
4. Dean asked Faculty Council to judge the nominations for the award winners
    - 9 total awards
    - formed a subcommittee – thank you to the volunteers for reviewing the nominations and making your recommendations
    - along with Dr. Worthy we were thinking we would get the subcommittees nominations and we could do a yes, no vote on the subcommittee's recommendation from the council
5. Dr. Lycans went over the recommendations:
    1) Aspiring Clinician of the Year – no nominations
    2) Distinguished Clinician of the Year – Dr. Elizabeth Saunders
    3) Excellence in Clinical Care Award – Dr. Abdul Muhsen Abdeen
    4) Distinguished Teacher of the Year – Dr. Matthew Bullock
    5) Aspiring Teacher of the Year – Alec Phelps
    6) Excellence in Teaching Award – Dr. Ibrahim Shanti
    7) Distinguished Researcher of the Year – Dr. Todd Davies
    8) Aspiring Researcher of the Year – Rebecca Hicks
    9) Excellence in Researcher of the Year - Dr. Zakaria Alagha
6. S-Factor Article from JAMA – measures things that we do as faculty that aren't compensated for
7. Adjournment
    a. Dr. Cottrell motion to adjourn
    b. Dr. Morris 2nd motion to adjourn

Michelle Worthy, Chair	ML
Ji Bihl	XX
Lydia Bogomolnaya	XX
Jinju Wang	XX
Sadia Akter	EX
Jeffrey Hawk	
Jennifer Price	
Nathan Vaughn	XX
Hesham Awadh	
Ahmad Madhi	XX
Gabriel Urblez	
Troy Wallace	
Samrina Hanif	
Jesse Cottrell	XX
Stacey Hensel	
Dana Lycans	XX
Amit Singla	
Saadia Haleema	XX
Rebecca Barnett	
Kara Anderson	
Patricia "Trish" Lutz	
Mallory Morris	XX
Jordan Gaal	XX
Matthew Krantz	
Diane Krutzler-Berry	
Darshana Shah	XX
Kim Deal	XX

Guest: Dr. Hillary Porter
Faculty Development Comm
Dr. Jessica Buerck
Executive Committee

Next meeting: December 15th @ 12:30 pm