UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO School of Nursing

2018-2019 School of Nursing Research Committee Annual Report

1. Membership

Name/Title	Department	Role	Notes
Emily Hall	FHCN	Chair and	
Assistant Clinical Professor		FHCN rep	
Stella Bialous	SBS	SBS rep	
Associate Professor			
Schola Matovu	PN	PN rep	
Post-Doctoral Scholar			
Mary McQuilkin	CHS	CHS rep	
Assistant Clinical Professor			
Kim Baltzell	FHCN	Ex-officio	Member from Sept 2018 to
Associate Professor			Dec 2018
Sharon Rose	FHCN	Staff	Member from Sept 2018 to
Program Manager			Dec 2018
Sonaz Safari	FHCN	Student rep	
Masters Student			
Shevaun Lewallen	FHCN	Student rep	
Masters Student			

2. Responsibilities

- a. Advise on policy and curriculum affecting student global health experiences and practicums in the global health.
- b. Oversee development, revisions and additions to global health curricula in the school.
- c. Advise and guide the School of Nursing policy in developing global and international agency and institutional affiliations.
- d. Assist in maintaining comprehensive global health activities that contribute to the mission of the School of Nursing.
- e. Provide representation to School of Nursing, campus, and University-wide International and Global Health Committees.
- f. Support School of Nursing and interprofessional collaborative research programs and networks in global health.
- g. Support recruitment and retention of scholars interested in global health

3. Frequency of meetings

The GHC generally meets quarterly for one hour. During the 2018-2019 year, the committee met twice: once in November and once in February.

4. Accomplishments/Activities

Topic	Discussion	Outcome
Committee objectives	During the fall quarter, we oriented new committee members and discussed the objective from the previous year to increase the visibility of the committee among school and campus wide global health faculty groups and committees.	We reviewed the definition of 'global health' with the intention of being more inclusive of people and programs at the SON working on these issues.
Establishment of a global health research office at the Institute of Global Health Sciences (IGHS)	The committee facilitated staff from IGHS to gather data about from SON faculty about their needs regarding international research.	IGHS created a report that described faculty needs when conducting international research.
Global Health Policy and Practice Minor support	We reviewed the global health minor course list and discussed best practices for these offerings and communicating programs to students. This includes the new requirements following the merging of the Global Health Minor and the Health Policy minor.	Committee agreed with current practices and members agreed to collaborate to improve communication to their departments.
t .	Discussed how to synergize GHPPM with the HIV minor given that there is overlap in the students interested in these two minors	The committee decided that students can be advised to merge the minors if certain requirements were met. The coordinators of these minors can communicate this to interested students.
Global Nursing Forum (GNF) support	The student members of the committee during this year were also the leaders of the student organization in the nursing school focused on global health. They brought their group's priorities to the meetings to discuss.	Committee members provided feedback and brainstormed about how students can engage in global health during their time at the SON. The committee also worked to support the GNF's annual event in the spring quarter.
Strategic planning	Following the sunsetting of the Center for Global Health in Dec 2018, the committee discussed how to reorient the activities without a centralized global health program at the SON. We reviewed the bylaws and determined where there were opportunities to expand the committee's activities.	We determined the best approach would be for our committee members to participate in the school wide strategic planning process and align the committee's objectives with those areas prioritized at a school level. This process is ongoing.

5. Issues for 2019-2020

In the recent past, the GHC has served to support the work of the SON Center for Global Health. The SON Center for Global Health was sunsetted in January 2019. Future work for the GHC will be to reorient to supporting faculty, students and programs throughout the school as an independent faculty committee.

Respectfully submitted by:

Emily Hall, Chairperson

2018-2019 SON Global Health Committee

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