Boston University
School of Public Health
Student Senate 2016/17

October 31 | 5:00 - 6:00 pm | L311
BUSPH Student Senate

New board members
- Poojan Dhanesha
- Tancy Zhang
- Qing Wai Wong
- Ola Omotowa

Mission
- “Represent concerns of public health students to the faculty, staff and university community”
- “Support student-initiated projects”
- “Disseminate information”
Activist Lab

- Joanna Brown, Program Manager
- Upcoming Events
  - Barkley Apartments
  - Beyond Rhetoric (11/15 & 11/16)
  - Life on Albany (11/17)
- BUSPH Stories (cont.)
BUSPH Stories - SUCCESS

- Shout out to all the presenters and winners
  - Cassandra, Fatima and Ashlee (representing an anonymous writer)
- Raised over $400 for Center for Teen Empowerment
- “Powerful and invigorating stories”
  - 10 stories from students & faculty
Annual School Survey

- Results will become available at Spring 2017
- Next year goal: 50% participation

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Mid-semester Health & Wellness

- Self-care
- Behavioral medicine
  - Solomon Carter Fuller building | 85 E Newton Suite
- Friends and community
- Spiritual support
- Fitness & Intramural
Queeraoke w/ the LGBTQ+ Alliance

- Thursday, November 3rd | 8:30pm - 11:59pm | Midway Cafe
  - Meeting up at Doyle’s
13th documentary screening

- Friday, November 11th | 5pm - 7:30pm
ISO Cultural Show

- Friday, November 18 | 6pm - 8pm | Hiebert Lounge
Public Health Post

- Public health blog posted by your fellow students, professors
  - Stories shared to engage the public in public health topic
BUSPH Signature Events

- Public Health Forum, Dean’s seminar & Diversity and Inclusion seminar
- Dean’s symposium & other seminars
- Obesity-related health disparities in US
- Gender Identity
- Health disparities
- HIV/ AIDS
- Role of individual behaviors in population health disparities
- Behavioral policy
- Urban health
- Preventing dementia and memory loss
Mark your Calendar!

- **Tuesday:** Info sessions
  - Doctoral programs in epidemiology and biostatistics
  - Kaiser Permanente (virtual)
  - Mexico Field Program
- **Thursday:**
  - Racial Justice Talking Circle
  - Dean’s Seminar: HIV
- **Friday:** **Activist Lab** Advocacy Primer
Thank you

Reach out to us
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