**Council of Biomedical Graduate Students**

**10/18/2018 Meeting Agenda**

**Location: HEB 233**

**Start Time: 5pm**

**Present:**

Cara DeAngelis, President

Sayani Bhattacharjee, Secretary

Amit Chougule, Treasurer

Cory Howard, CAB Track Representative

Kelsey Murphy, NND Track Representative

Robin Su, MD/PhD Representative

Rajan Paudel, BRIM/BIPG Track Representative

Mackenzie Abel, First Year Representative

Dr. Kandace Williams, Faculty Advisor

**I. Call to Order**

**II. Old Business**

**III. New Business**

1. Fall events:
   1. Career Forum:
      1. Pharmacy Council collaboration- Chairperson of AAPS offered us to help.
      2. Date: October 25th 2018 (Thursday)
      3. Time: 5 to 7 pm- All council members should try to be present by 4:30 pm. The food should be set up at around 4:45 pm.

Robin will contact IT to set up audio by 4:30 pm. Thanks Robin!

* + 1. Location: HEB 103
    2. Speakers: Dr. Dvorak, Dr. Koehler , Dr. Ampem, Dr. Overmeyer
    3. Set up and clean up volunteers – Everyone will help ☺
    4. RSVPs - Still going on.
    5. Food: Grape Leaf – Amit called them and placed the orders. Thanks, Amit!
    6. We need more ideas for gifts for the speakers. Please let Cara know if you have any ideas.

1. **2020 GRF speakers:**
   1. **Nahum Sonenberg –** McGill University, Protein Translation/Cancer/Neurodegenerative Diseases

Cory emailed Dr. Sonenberg with an official invite. Thanks, Cory!

* 1. **Dr. John Sheridan –** Ohio State University, Psychoneuroimmunology
  2. **Dr. Bruce Zetter –** Boston Children’s Hospital/Harvard, Cancer/Virology

1. Winter social event- To be discussed in the November meeting.

Next Meeting –November 15th 2018

**IV. Adjournment**

**End Time: 5:36 pm**