Agenda
January 22, 2019 | BSCL 109
5:00-6:30pm

1. Welcome
Jim Woodruff, MD
Associate Dean of Students

2. Curriculum Updates (see next pages)
Paige Fairchild
Manager of Scholarly Activities

3. Financial Aid Updates
Richard Wilson
Associate Director of Financial Aid

4. Class Updates
Julia Baird, Cheyenne Smith, Nora Taranto
Pritzker Chiefs

5. Preparing Your Rank List
Jim Woodruff, MD
Dean of Students

Important Dates

February 20, 8 pm CST  NRMP rank list deadline
March 11, 10 am CST  Did I match?
March 11, 10 pm CST  List of Unfilled Programs released (SOAP begins)
March 13, 6 pm CST  Senior Skit
March 15, 10 am CST  Match Day festivities! (P-117)
March 15, 11 am CST  Envelopes are opened!
March 29, 12 pm CST  Final S&D Submission due
May 15  Senior Scientific Session
May 23  Student-Faculty Recognition Dinner
May 24  Divisional Academic Ceremony
June 15  University Convocation
Scholarship & Discovery MS4 Final Submission  
Due: March 29, 2019 by 12:00 Noon

The goal of the Final Submission is to ensure that you have achieved mastery of scholarly communication via a structured abstract and e-poster. We would also like for you to reflect on the impact of your scholarly work, as well as to provide advice for future classes.

**WHAT is due?**

1) **Structured Abstract**
   This is a 500 word abstract that summarizes a project that you have done in S&D (either MS2 or MS4 work). Abstract headings will include traditional research subheadings or descriptions of innovations for those pursuing this type of work in Community Health, Global Health, Medical Education, or Healthcare Delivery Sciences. Your abstract will be reviewed by the S&D Steering Committee.

2) **E-Poster**
   This can be an update of your e-poster from the MS2 Spring Block or a new e-poster based on your MS4 work. E-posters will be evaluated by the S&D Steering Committee for clarity, conciseness, use of figures, and overall flow and layout. Recommended tips and a template can be found on the S&D site: [http://scholarshipdiscovery.uchicago.edu/page/posters](http://scholarshipdiscovery.uchicago.edu/page/posters)

3) **Reflection Survey**
   This is a series of short answer and multiple choice questions about your progress, lessons learned, and suggestions for improvement.

*All components of the Final Submission are to be submitted via Chalk & Wire*

**WHEN is it due?**

The due date is **Friday, March 29, 2019 by 12:00 Noon**. This date enables us to formally review the materials to ensure that everyone is on track to graduate.

**How does this relate to SENIOR SCIENTIFIC?**

You will indicate in your submission whether you plan to participate in the Senior Scientific Session (SSS) on May 15, 2019; your decision will enable us to plan SSS accordingly.

*Friendly reminder: Participation in Senior Scientific is awarded with 100 units towards graduation.*

**How is it EVALUATED?**

The S&D Steering Committee will review the quality of your work to ensure it meets the expectations above. Please always keep in mind that your effort towards progress on your S&D project(s) is valued above materialized results.

**WHOM should I ask for help?**

If you have questions about your project or Final Submission, we encourage you to seek guidance from your mentor and/or your Track Leader(s). Any logistical questions can be routed via the S&D Inquiry Form or emailed to scholarshipanddiscovery@bsd.uchicago.edu.