

SOAR All Member Meeting Minutes

9/11 12:30-1:30

- Executive Board:
 - President, Katie Klco
 - VP of Alumni Events, Ronnie Roberts
 - VP of Campus Events, Christina Bleeke
- Graduate Advisor, Michele Luzetski

Agenda

- Ice Breaker
- Open Board Positions
- Events
- Committee Opportunities
- Chancellor's Chat
- SOAR Awards
- Open Floor for Questions/Suggestions

Board Positions

- Vice President Membership
 - Oversees and/or chairs Top 100 Committee and Ambassador Program
 - Recruitment and retention
 - Reports membership to IUAA
 - Serves as interim President in his/her absence Vice President
- Vice President Development and Marketing
 - Maintain inventory of SOAR promo materials
 - Responsible for fundraising activities & securing sponsorships
 - Works with other VPs to market SOAR and events (JagNews, JagTv, etc.)
 - Keep all web information up to date (website, Facebook, Studentlink, etc.)
- USG- Undergraduate Student Government Senator
 - Meetings are on every other Friday from 12-2 in CE 405

Events

IUPUI Regatta

- Canoe Races on the Downtown Canal. Bringing students, faculty, staff, and alumni together for one big day of friendly competition, with food, live music, beverages, games, and chances to win prizes.
- The IUPUI Regatta is on September 19th, from 11:30-6pm.
- We are looking for volunteers for the event, areas of volunteering include set-up, registration, timing, judging, be Jinx for a day, etc.
- For more information and to volunteer, visit: www.iupui.edu/~soar, and scroll down to "Volunteer for the Race"

Dinner with a Jaguar

- 1 alumnus hosts dinner for 4-8 students; dinners vary from being at the alum's home, to out to eat, some are fancy, some are casual.

- Gives students a chance to network with an alumnus, as well as ask questions about graduating, finding a job, and life in general.

Alumni Panels

- 6-8 alumni from a specific industry or field, we invite 40-50 students to come and ask questions of the panel
- A large scale version of “Dinner with a Jaguar”
- Example: Medical Panel last year included doctors, nurses, and a couple of CEO’s from the hospital

Halloween Social

- Halloween fun! We co-sponsor this event with SAPB and Ball Hall Council by providing decorations and manpower, and coordinating the costume contest and pumpkin carving contest

Jag-Gating/Homecoming

- Jaguar Tailgating is something we hope to make a tradition on campus. A nonalcoholic event, we provide free food for students, chances to win prizes, face painting, DJ, and more before some of the athletic events, to pump up the Jaguar spirit!
- Our first Jag-Gate took place in conjunction with Homecoming last year, which we also helped plan.

Grad Event/Senior Events

- Creating class unity with our seniors throughout the year, culminating in a Graduation Party at the end of the year.

Top 100

- A dinner to honor the Top 100 students at IUPUI. SOAR helps to host and coordinate this event.

Ambassador Events

- We serve as the Ambassadors of IUPUI, volunteering at events like the Chancellor’s Convocation, Honors and Awards Receptions, and other events with high profile community and campus individuals.

Holiday Night at the Children’s Museum

- A night at the Children’s Museum for our alumni. We serve as volunteers and also get to enjoy the museum free of cost!

Committee Opportunities

- Social
 - Halloween Social, Grad Event, etc.
- Service Chair
 - Schedule and coordinate service events with Keep Indy Beautiful, etc.
- Spirit
 - Jag-Gating, Homecoming, etc.
- Top 100
- Marketing
 - JagNews, JagTv, Facebook, Studentlink, etc.
- Fundraising
 - Simon Trends and Friends, idea generation
 - Simon Trends and Friends takes place on November 6th this year at the Keystone Fashion Mall. You must have a ticket to get in, stores have discounts and sales, there’s free food and drinks on sale throughout the mall. It’s a fun night! SOAR sells tickets each

year, tickets cost \$10 and SOAR gets to keep \$7, with the other \$3 going towards Simon's Youth Foundation.

Chat with the Chancellor

- Chancellor hosts a "chat" at the campus center to provide a venue for students, faculty and staff to come and talk about what is on their mind.
- **Wednesday, September 16th 3:30-4:30 Campus Center room 307**

Awards

- 3 Star SOLD Organization
 - Recognized at the annual Leadership Recognition Ceremony
 - Featured on Jag TV
 - Received a VIP table at Involvement Expo
- Most Spirited Cube Space