NUPOC MPO Class 2015: NUPOSS Activities

NUPOSS Officers 2014-2015
Nina Bondre, President
Jennie Rhodes, Vice President, Networking
Stephanie Fritschen, Vice President, Professional Development
Layn Newman, Vice President, Finances

NUPOSS Faculty Advisor
Christopher Robinson, CPO/L, MBA, MS, ATC, FAAO
Assistant Professor, PM&R

Alumni Association:
NUPOSS coordinated with the NU Alumni Association to develop NUOC alumni base

Career and Networking:
2/25/2014 Helped organize and present “Networking Lunch and Learn”, in cooperation with Northwestern Career Services
2/26/2014 Distributed personalized Networking Cards to NUOC MPO students
2/27/2014 Helped organize and present “ERGO Soirée and Open House” at NUOC
4/17/2014 Helped organize and present “Introduction to NCOPE Residency”
4/24/2014 Helped organize and present “Introduction to NCOPE Standards”
5/27/2014 Helped organize and present “Cover Letter and Résumé Building Lunch and Learn”, in cooperation with Northwestern Career Services
9/9/2014 and 10/12/2014 Helped organize and present “Résumé Building Workshops”
11/4/2014 Helped organize and present “Residency Interview Career Day”

Fundraising:
(NUPOSS apparel orders generated $735.00)
February 2014 Designed and sold NUPOSS short sleeve/long sleeve T-shirts
March 2014 Designed and sold NUOC pins
April 2014 Designed and sold NUOC polo shirts
December 2014 Designed and sold NUOC short sleeve/long sleeve T-shirts, crew neck/hooded sweatshirts
12/9/2014 Blaze Pizza Fundraiser with 20% of meal cost donated to NUPOSS
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Guest Speakers and Panel Discussions:
(NUPOSS members worked cooperatively with Mr. Robinson, NUPOSS Faculty Advisor)
2/1/2014 “RIC Adaptive Athletics”
5/21/2014 “Caring for Kids”
7/18/2014 “Athletics with Orthoses”, presented by Beth Deloria
5/19/2014 “Residents in O&P”, Panel Discussion
9/8/2014 “Para-Athletics and Wounded Warriors”, presented by Melissa Stockwell, CP
10/14/2014 “Women in O&P”, Panel Discussion

International Interest Committee:
6/5/2014 and 10/4/2014 Inventoried, organized, and packed 1,200 P&O parts donated to the Range of Motion Project-Chicago/Guatemala (ROMP), 10 NUPOSS volunteers

Mentorship Committee:
January 2014 NUPOSS established NUPOC Alumni-Student mentorship program
July 2014 NUPOSS established a student-to-student mentorship program between classes

Pediatric Interest Committee:
4/16/2014 Chicago Children’s Museum, 3 NUPOSS volunteers
10/25/2014 Halloween party, 5 NUPOSS volunteers
11/21/2014 Teen movie night, 5 NUPOSS volunteers

Sports Interest Committee:
1/25/2014 RIC Wheelchair Basketball Tournament, 4 NUPOSS volunteers
7/12/2014 Challenged Athletes Foundation (CAF) / Ossur Mobility Clinic, 10 NUPOSS volunteers
7/26/2014 and 7/27/2014 RIC Military Sports Camp, 7 NUPOSS volunteers
9/14/2014 Adaptive Adventures Scheck & Siress Kayaking and Cycling Clinic, 6 NUPOSS volunteers
9/24/2014 and 9/26/2014 Adaptive Adventures 3 day camping/kayaking with Wounded Warriors, 1 NUPOSS volunteer

Other Events:
12/2/014 NUPOSS Appreciation Dinner for NUPOC faculty