



The International Foreign Language Honor Society

Phi Sigma Iota

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Executive Committee Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, April 12, 2023
3 pm EST

Attending: Larson, Hetrick, Rossoll, Allen, Hanson (voting members), Wolfe, Lanzine

- Approval minutes from February 8, 2023 meeting
 - Rossoll moved, Allen seconded, passed unanimously
- ACHS bylaws meeting summary (Larson)
- PSI Virtual Conference
 - date: Sat Feb 24, 1:00 EST (better for West Coast time zone)
 - save the date email (Larson will draft)
 - call for keynote speaker who can talk about the importance of learning languages
 - call for panel presentations, breakout room topics
 - study abroad
 - scholarship recipients' experiences
 - cool things our chapters are doing
 - undergraduate research projects, organized by language
 - career preparedness
 - what is a personal statement and how should I write one?
 - poster and schedule in early fall
 - mode of execution: someone's institutional Zoom (probably won't have enough attendees to make a third-party organizer worth the cost)
- Scholarship updates (Mirna)
 - discussion: should we fund internships?
 - yes, but on a case-by-case basis
 - add language to scholarship instruction to include unpaid internships as a possible activity to be funded
 - Allen moved to include unpaid internships in scholarship criteria, Hetrick seconded, motion passed unanimously
 - Hetrick moved to award scholarships as committee suggested, including internships, Larson seconded, passed unanimously
- Schedule next meeting:
 - Sat Sept 16 at 9 EST
- Adjournment: Allen moved, Hetrick seconded, unanimously approved.

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