Board Meeting no. 15 – March 22nd 2021 Agenda



PhD Chapter at KTH

Place: https://kth-se.zoom.us/j/69633360195

Time: 17:00-18:10, March 22nd 2021

§1. Opening formalities [17:00-17:05]

- a. Meeting opening
- b. Invited: chapter board, head of educational affairs and chapter auditors
- c. Choice of meeting chairperson
- d. Choice of meeting secretary
- e. Choice of meeting minutes checker
- f. Approval of meeting agenda
- g. The latest protocol checking and signing

§2. Reports & updates [17:05-17:35]

- a. Board reports
- b. THS central (THSxDr)
- c. From KTH Central Organizational Bodies
 - Workgroup "Time Compensation for Doctoral Students' Commission of Trust Assignments"
 - ii. Strategic Council (sv. Strategiskt Råd, SR)
 - iii. Ethics Committee (sv. Etikutskottet)
 - iv. Grants Committee (sv. Stipendieråd)
 - v. Faculty Council (sv. Fakultetsråd, FR)
 - vi. Stockholm Trio
 - vii. SFS-DK: Follow up on the meeting "the doctoral education in the corona pandemic"

§3. Decision points [17:35-17:45]

- a. Substitute appointment for Third Cycle Education Committee (sv. Forskarutbildningsutskottet, FU), Tuesday 23rd 14:00-16:00.
- b. Potential substitutions for the Faculty Council (sv. Fakultetsrådet, FR)
- c. Appointment for Workgroup on "course administration for PhD-studies", discussing admission to PhD-courses, ladok, administration, etc. In Swedish.

§4. Ratifying per capsulam decision [17:45-17:50]

a. Background: On March 2nd, the PhD Chapter Board took a per capsulam decision on the following:

Doktorandsektionen vid Tekniska Högskolans Studentkår

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- " suggested division of editing rights to the Chapter website
 - Admin: Board members
 - Subscribers: Chapter Functionaries (MC, WoP, NC), members of KF, School Council representatives

This would override the point 4b in the minutes of the board meeting 10 of December 17th 2020."

The decision was approved through a majority of five votes.

§5. Discussion points [17:50-18:10]

- Labor union matters
 - i. Saco-S annual meeting on March 23rd
 - ii. Scope of engagement between the PhD Chapter and labor unions
 - iii. Possibilities to increase involvement of PhD student representatives in the doctoral salary negotiations?
- b. Funding for WOP initiative -- private screening of the documentary "Picture a Scientist"
- c. Proposal on a series of meetings with Council Chairs plus guests to talk about representational issues.

§6. Meeting closure [18:10]

Free chat with the Presidium [18:10-18:40]