CPPC board meeting 2025-07-04

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1 Opening

The meeting was opened by Athanasios at 11:03. Oliver was made secretary.

2 Establish agenda

The current agenda was approved by the board.

3 Next meeting

The next meeting will be 2025-08-21 at 10:00.

4 Follow up on previous CPPC meeting – Minutes

The last meeting minutes were presented and approved by the board.

5 Project follow up

(i) FFF

- Sofia is now elected as chair of FFF. Last year's board was granted freedom of liability, with the condition that two missing receipts from the bookkeeping are found. The new FFF board consists of representatives from the Department of Pysics, MC2, SEE and GU Physics.
- The budget for FFF starting from June 2025 needs to be set. FFF will meet the responsible economist in August to sort this out. FFF has made a preliminary budget that they will present.
- CPPC wants to continue organizing events similar to the "Pizza Days", and we will investigate how this can be possible through the FFF budget, given the new rules regarding serving food.

(ii) Buddy system

• There is not much news about the buddy system. About ten new students will start in the fall, and we have buddies who can be assigned to them.

(iii) Pizza days

• See the FFF bullet.

(iv) Course survey

• Esmée has updated the list of PhD courses based on the survey responses. We will put it on the web page and send it to Lena.

(v) Equality council

• Mirna suggests organizing a lunch event with UN Women Gothenburg and a representative from Chalmers. Mirna will try to find possible dates. We will discuss this more during the next meeting.

(vi) Other updates

No other updates.

6 Updates from other meetings

No updates from other meetings.

7 Other matters

• Mirna brings up a question that she has gotten from a fellow PhD student regarding renting rooms for parties. All PhD students can rent rooms that are under the student union, but rooms specific to sections ("Sektonslokaler") can not be rented without contacting the responsible student division.

8 Closing

• Athanasios closes the meeting at 11:57.