Minutes of Meeting, 25th October 2019

1. Ala a PhD student from Civil Engineering introduced his workshop:
   a. Workshop on Tuesday 29th October
   b. About how to foster a semester long research group in a lab environment. PhD students can have up to 5-7 undergrads and grad students in their research group, and this workshop basically introduces PhD students on how to go about this process.

2. Harry Potter Trivia Feedback:
   a. People enjoyed overall
   b. Some left early due to an IEOR event happening later

3. Career Alum Updates:
   a. Student panels alums - Meetings being scheduled with CPOs for Alum Student panels
   b. Meeting with Jenny to give PDL Feedback
   c. Discussed Survey Results of giving LinkedIn Premium.
      i. Giving option for which semester to activate in is not feasible.

4. Interschool:
   a. No interschool Halloween social happening.
   b. Find your Founder event happening on Nov 29 6-8pm at Amity hall or EBar
      i. 20 Engineering and 20 business school students
   ii. CBS will supply nametags for this event.
   iii. Latin Dance Night - will be meeting TC next Tuesday. Reaching out to Ballroom group at CU because Sabor can’t come. Potentially in mid November.
   iv. Coffeehouse during International week, potentially Nov 21st

5. Ashritha updates:
   a. PDS scholarship – Tuesday 5pm deadline
   b. Ivy+ Conference – Key updates:
      i. Most other Ivies have one student body and everyone gets funding from there.
      ii. Yale organizes a lot of child friendly events - Designated area on campus for parents and children.
      iii. Pro Union - Usually student bodies are supposed to be neutral. But a lot of the Ivies student bodies have taken a stance.
      iv. Yale has a 2 weeks long orientation for international students. Princeton has a year long program and additional resources and facilities.
      v. As a PhD student, Professors usually expect you to get into academia, at least initially. At CU, 10% of engineering students get into academia.
      vi. Speed Networking events Upenn. Drink ticket when you talk to an alum.
vii. Mental Health- At Harvard, 8 sessions are free and only 40 are included in copay. Really long appointment wait times. Accessibility issues, anonymity issues. Needs to be addressed better

6. Andrew updates: UAH rent increase not increasing in proportion to stipend increase.