AF SIG Meeting Minutes
ELC
Columbus, OH
October 14, 2017
8 – 10 am

I. Call to Order at 8:03am by Jen Mai

II. Introductions and Attendance
   a. Jennifer Mai – AF SIG President
   b. Tami Phillips – AG SIG VP
   c. Kimeran Evans – AF SIG Secretary/Treasurer
   d. Amy Miller – AF SIG Nominating Chair
   e. Members in Attendance - 42

III. Goals for 2017-2018 Academic Year for AF SIG
   a. Teaching Pearls/Membership Requested Topics
      i. Goal is tangible teaching pearls to take home and implement on “Monday”
   b. Collaboration Opportunities within Education Section
      i. Working with Scholarship Of Education SIG to develop research interest database
   c. Explore Mid-Career Faculty Workshop
      i. Had clinical reasoning symposium this year within Ed Section which was very well received
      ii. There is a faculty development workshop for new faculty but nothing beyond this
      iii. Still in early stages with this but a lot of momentum with this
   d. Any other initiatives that membership would like to see?
      i. Non brought forward from membership

IV. Request for Topics for future conferences
   a. Classroom outcomes assessment and learning assessment
      i. Grading Rubrics
      ii. Alternatives to Exams
   b. Clinical reasoning task force to come talk to us about what they are doing

V. Open Positions for 2018 elections
   a. AF SIG
      i. Vice-Chair
      ii. Secretary/Treasurer
      iii. Nominating Committee
   b. Ed Section
      i. President
      ii. Vice President
iii. Representative-At-Large (Section Promotion)
iv. Nominating Committee

VI. **Announcements/Special Guests**
a. JOPTE is going green with new publisher
   i. Gives them e-pub ahead of print
   ii. Pushing through recent backlog
b. Ed Section looking to move forward to Academy of Education at CSM
c. Ed Section has 6 SIGs now. Please sign up for any of these of interest to you.
   i. Scholarship of Education
   ii. Academic Faculty
   iii. Anatomy
   iv. Clinical Education
   v. PTA Educators
   vi. Residency and Fellowship
d. Educational Leadership Partnership
   i. Thank you for your feedback
   ii. Working on report to APTA BOD
e. Special Guests
   i. Marcia representing PT PAC
      1. PT PAC activities recently
         a. Prevented payment cut to reimbursement
         b. Prevented rule change for clinicians fabricating custom orthotics
         c. Rehab research through NIH
         d. Locum tenens now available to PTs under Medicare and Medicaid
      2. 2018 Agenda
         a. Elimination of Medicare Cap
         b. Legislation to allow Tri Care reimbursement for PTA services
      3. Calling for donations for this upcoming PT PAC year
   ii. Scott Euype
      1. Global PT Day of Service is today October 14th, 2017
      2. Asking for Kids in Need donations at ELC
         a. Website is [http://www.kinf.org](http://www.kinf.org)
         b. School supplies, clothes, etc for young children
         c. Can also donate supplies at registration table
            i. Backpacks, pens, etc.

VII. **Educational Session**
a. Speakers discussing Flipped Classroom Approach
   i. Michael Majsak
   ii. Genevive Pinto-Zipp

VIII. **AF SIG Meeting at CSM – Friday February 23, 2018; 7 – 7:50 am; New Orleans, LA; room and topic TBD**