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School's Online But We'll Still Pay Full-Price for This

Academic Resource of the Day

Charee's Immortality (Legacy NOCAT)

*'Twas the night before the NOCAT, first years were studying inside.
Many were in defeat, their pride set aside.*

Toponga Rangocharee was a professor in this class,
So if one sinned with commission, their ass would not pass.

Now Charee was a man quite peculiar indeed.

He refused to retire, truly a different breed.

But why, you may ask? How is he still here?

That, we don't know, he seems stronger every year.

This answer was not enough, so off students went.

They wanted to figure out how Charee stayed so content.

An in vivo study was planned, Charee would be studied.

Did he get his strength from charisma, or was it just weed?

Half a year later, the students came back.

Their confusion potentiated, the answers they lacked.

Assumptions and hypotheses were soon quickly shared.

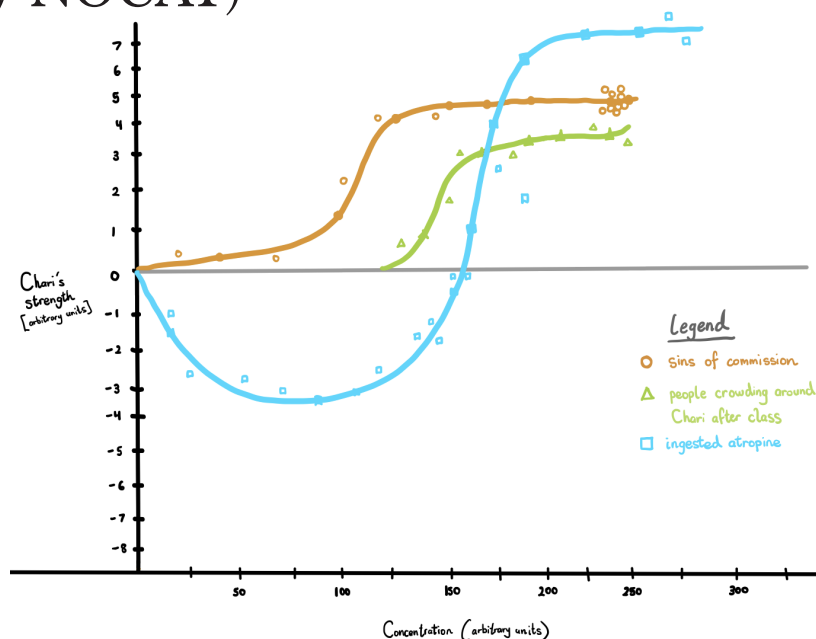
"He's a vampire who feeds on the blood of the scared!"

But, a few key elements were pulled from the mess.

As seen in the data, this was the students' best guess.

They pleaded, "What is it Charee? Is it a drug or a gene?"

Charee merely laughed, ~in British~, and sipped his atropine.



Please send your two hypotheses to bhscprocrastinator@gmail.com.

We're Genuinely Happy to Welcome Our First Lifesci!

Tokenization Monstrously Manifests Itself Yet Again

In a recent MS Teams posting under the "Sticky Note Wall" of the BHSc Community virtual home base, the BHSS has announced new updates to clubs policy. Seemingly competing with MSU clubs to see which organization is more capable of angering the student body most rapidly, the changes will significantly impact hiring practices in the upcoming school year.

Under Section 2.3a of the three-section document, titled "An Inquiry into Fair Hiring Practices: Diversity Hiring," the new BHSS Constitution states that all BHSS clubs must consist of "at least one (or more) non-BHSc students on the executive board." When Olivia Mendoza, the current BHSS President, was asked to provide a comment, *The Procrastinator* was told that these new bylaws will increase inter-faculty cohesion by "incorporating BHSc rejects into the community," giving them a strong sense of false hope for their second year transfer applications.

These new policies have thrown many clubs into disarray. Promotion committees are scrambling to find new online forums to advertise their applications aside from the BHSc Opportunities/Clubs/Advertisements Facebook page. Die Versité, president of the Interstitium Collaborative Union Planners (i.e. ICUP), told reporters about her concerns for the upcoming year. "Our club only started last year. If we can't find a non-BHSc student to hire, I'm scared that we'll be disbanded before I can even put this on my next autobiographical sketch for OMSAS!"

Essai Reuter, a Political Sciences major, also criticized the new policies. "I'm not sure the BHSS is aware of what 'diversity hiring' actually means. Are all BHSc students like this?!"

In Other News

Procrastinator Demands Recount of BHSS Chair Election: "Ballots Sent By LearnLink Should Be Valid"

2nd Year Anatomy Bell-Ringer Now A Scribbl.io Tournament

Virtual Lab Simulator Hacks: How to Get More Than 9 Thesis Credits

Attendance Soars: Online HSL Now Has Puzzles and Completely Arbitrary Room Booking System

I'm the Founding President of the McMaster Blinking Initiative and Captain of the Varsity Virtual Fencing Team

The Subtle Art of Converting Anything Into An Extracurricular: EXCLUSIVE ALUMNI INTERVIEW

BHSc 2020 graduate—Korr, Ronna—who has since embarked on the Medical School journey at Fausse Université (FU) shares some valuable insight on crafting the perfect OMSAS.

P: Really appreciate having you here today, Ronna. What's one piece of advice you'd like to share with our first-year readers?

K: The most essential takeaway that I'd like to impart to the first-years of today is the importance of mastering the subtle art of converting anything that you do into an extracurricular.

P: That's interest—

K: The journey to medicine is a daunting one, and there is no stronger determinant of your fate than the OMSAS itself. Aspiring medical students have dug far and wide for answers that will lead them to the realizations of their dreams, but why fret about the quality of your resume when extracurricular opportunities lie waiting right at your distal phalanges?

P: Uh... okay. Maybe give an example?

K: Indeed I will. Can you believe that in my first-year Inquiry class, there was a painful lack of sufficient inquiring among my peers? I took it upon myself to define this condition as Hypoinquire Syndrome, collaborating with my 6 alter egos to publish a peer-reviewed research paper on the topic; it was simple as one of my identities was on *The Meducator's* Editorial Board.

I subsequently founded the Inquire Movement, blessing BHSc with profound thoughts and a perpetual inability to make team decisions—all in the name of promoting introspection in the personal development of today's youth.

BHScary: 4th Year Realizes How Many Group Meetings Could Have Been Zoom Calls Instead of Elaborate 11PM Hide-and-Seek Games with HSL Librarians

2021 Supplemental Application is to Write Supp App Questions

Kritik Replaces Entire BHSc Office

Health Sciences Musical Moves Online, Hires All-Vocaloid Cast

P: If the Inquire Movement is so famous now, what do you even do?

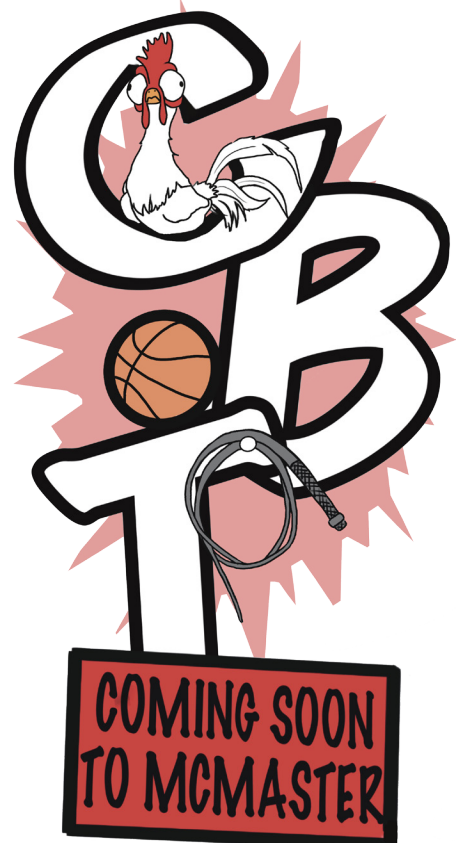
K: The treatment plan for Hypoinquire Syndrome involves a personal caregiver who incessantly refutes everything you say, asking, "Why?", "How do you know?", and "What can we learn from this?" As the only licensed caregiver, my role involves trolling people via DMs and intruding on conversations. I am thankful that FU has recognized my contributions; it's my belief if students follow my example on issues they're passionate for, they'll craft the perfect OMSAS application.

P: Well, Ms. Korr. Thanks for all the insight that you've had to offer.

And Now a Message From Our Sponsors

Tired of Trying Therapeutic Interventions That Aren't Even Listed in the Urban DS&M-6*?

The Student Swellness Centre is thrilled to announce that we are currently developing a new CBT program. CBT is becoming red hot within the therapeutic world, and McMaster wanted in on the action. Since CBT is such a broad field with a variety of methods, our innovative new program will house many kinds of experts so that we can erect positive responses in a diversity of consenting students above the age of 18. Stay tuned for signups!



*Urban Dictionary and Statistical Manual of Mental Dungeon Dragons, 6th Edition

This Haunts Me More Than My Anatomy Mark

CASPR the Unfriendly Ghost and O(uija) MSAS: This Scary Short Story Knows What You Did in the D-d-d-dark

This story was sent in by an anonymous contributor. We can only hope that it is purely a work of fiction, and that none of our readers see themselves in the horrors recounted here.

It's 4AM, and the house is quiet. The light from your 4K Ultra HD Monitor highlights the bags under your eyes as you type furiously on your keyboard. The buttons elude you — *click, clack, click, clack*. Cold sweat rolls down your face as you notice you've left an entire section blank. With only a week left, you're about to freak out, but you remember you still have the ouija board and human sacrifices that helped you write your healthsci supp app. You race down the hall into the closet and dig until you find the board. Blowing dust off the cover, you immediately feel a chill run down your spine.

Feeling faint, you open the lid and take the board back to your laptop. With a shaky voice, you ask, "What club should I join for a day to

put down in the extracurricular section on my OMSAS application?"

You let the arrow go and the pointer begins to move. Achingly slow, it crawls to the letter P. You begin to wonder what it could possibly be spelling out. *The Peptide Rights club?* The next letter is an R, and your options begin to dwindle. You exclaim to the unhearing wind, "What could it be?"

The horror sets in as the arrow continues to point. Oh God, no. It can't be. Say it ain't so!

But it's too late, the ouija board has spoken.

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Tears well up in your eyes as you realize that applications to join *The Procrastinator* were due last week. Your hopes for this cycle are dashed. Procrastination has been your downfall.

Calling All Gamers: Faculty-Wide Among Us Tournament But We All Have Imposter Syndrome and Lose

New Online Platform Proposed for Winter Term

In a shocking turn of events, the Faculty of Health Sciences has announced that starting next term, Inquir-Wii will be added as an online platform for professors to run their courses. While Microsoft Teams, Avenue2Learn, Kritik and Zoom will still be available, Inquir-Wii is expected to become the primary platform for online learning. Inquiry coordinator Barkaret Becord stated this morning, "The Faculty of Health Sciences has encountered numerous issues this term due to the transition to online learning, namely internet problems under suspicious circumstances and a general lack of engagement from students. Inquir-Wii will rectify these problems and provide the online learning experience that students deserve."

As stated on the BHSc website, Inquir-Wii requires that students purchase a VR headset and full console for labs, a TikTok-blocking software, and a Wi-Fi booster for a total of \$1025.00. Additional McMaster

package features can be purchased for \$7999.99, which includes the smell of the HSL washrooms, virtual meals complete with Centro cockroaches, simulated MUSC traffic, life-sized hologram projectors for Inquiry meetings, and a blocker for the TikTok-blocking software.

However, this announcement has been met with backlash from BHSc students who feel that this is another ploy for the faculty to get money. First-year student Ho Li-Fuk lamented, "There are too many damn platforms! Most profs couldn't even figure out how Teams works, and yet they add ANOTHER PLATFORM? I'M GONNA BE BROKE!"

Unfortunately, Ho was too overcome with rage to comment further. BHSc staff issued this brief statement in response to Ho's comments: "If you don't like it, then just participate in class and put us all out of our misery."

Feel Free to Use This in Your Portfolio

Do Not Listen to Your Peers: An Inquiry Exposé

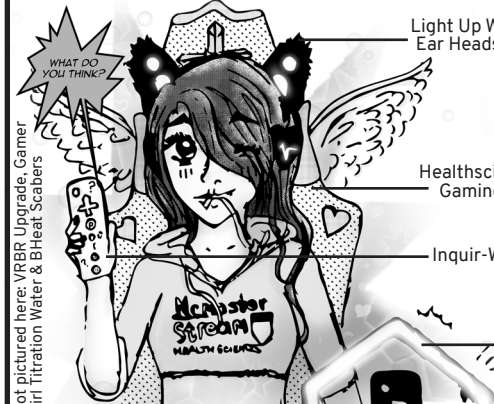
Are you tired of hearing the same "Inquiry is what you make of it" phrase from upper years? Do you want real answers? Well, look no further as The Procrastinator has you covered.

Inquiry is an experience unlike anything you have ever encountered before. In a mere, fleeting, three hours, it will lead you on a thrilling journey through all five stages of grief. Most of all, though, it will *not* leave you contemplating whether or not your GPA is worth the extra sleep you could be getting.

It is a common misconception that the facilitator is the enemy, that they are the ones leading you in a seemingly never-ending maze of unsolvable problems. Nay, we say! Who would not want to spend three hours talking about the same topic over and over again? To spend over a month trying to make decisions about making decisions? The facilitator shutting down every enjoyable, engaging conversation you have with your class is part of the experience! Fool, to think that you expected to actually have a productive conversation in Inquiry is simply hearsay! Perhaps you must look within yourself and realize that you were the problem all along.

It was simply revolting to hear the general population's opinion on Inquiry. "Boring," "I want to light myself on fire," "Send help," they say. Incompetent imbeciles. Perhaps if they had not spent all their money simping and buying V-Bucks, they would have been able to purchase the Inquir-Wii instead. Nothing comes without sacrifice, and the debilitating debt associated with the purchase is simply the cost of enlightenment. It is a small price to pay to spend an engaging three hours in Inquiry with our humble and reverent facilitators.

@ the facilitator reading this: plz just give me a 12 thx



Light Up Wolf Ear Headset

Healthsci Superfly Gaming Chair

Inquir-Wii

Benzene Ring Light

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Wondering what colour you should pick for your epic gaming chair, which has been ingeniously fitted with the latest in authentic MDCL Rollie Chair technology? No scope, no problem! Take our beast BHSuzzfeed quiz at bhscprocrastinator.com/mlgpro

*Products modeled by famed A2L module streamer, friend of AC, and McMaster iBiomed dropout Lokuwane

TIME TO GEAR UP AND GIT GUD, GAMERS

Not pictured here: VRBR Upgrade, Gamer Girl Titration Water & BHeat Scabers

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Inquiry into Work, Self, and Purpose

To adapt HTHSCI 3T03 to the online environment, course instructors have partnered up with *The Procrastinator* to launch BHSuzzfeed quizzes that will virtually tell you everything that you need to know about your fabulous self.

Do you miss waiting in line after class to pick up an iced coffee? Do you ALSO lay in bed, wondering what your life would be like if you hadn't traded your soul for a way into med school? Well, fret no more and take HTHSCI 3T03 2.0's inaugural quiz, *Your Williams Order Will Determine The Major you Should've Taken*, at bhscprocrastinator.com/williams



“MacSnitch” Snitches on Himself In Bizarre Twist

Yesterday, it was revealed that first year BHSc student Billy Arnold launched an elaborate scheme during the first OCAT to bring down his peers—only to have it blow up in his face.

Earlier this semester, an anonymous perpetrator by the elusive alias of “MacSnitch” sent waves through the first year cohort when he photographed students collaborating on a chemistry quiz that they were allowed to collaborate on. He later revealed that it was all a prank, causing hundreds to rejoin the group chats that they frantically left in the annual migration pattern that upper years have come to recognize as The Chemon Run.

Billy was inspired by the actions of this individual, and immediately began to hatch a plan. “When I look at my fellow Health Scientists, I only see competition. They are the only thing standing in my way of my dream of becoming a pediatric orthopaedic surgeon. I strongly dislike children.”

He decided to first target small course group chats- cheating hotspots. He quickly realized that he wasn’t actually in any, and when he tried to join one, he discovered that many found him “unlikeable.” He then resorted to making his own chat.

His group remained silent at the halfway point of the OCAT, so Billy decided that he had to provoke them. He sent a frantic message to the chat asking for help on a 9-letter word. One member eventually took pity on him, initiating many others to anxiously seek confirmation that their clues were also answered by “histamine.” Billy immediately screenshotted the text and sent it to the Cell Biology professors. Of course, he failed to realize that he himself was a part of the discussion he reported.

After receiving a score of zero and being ostracized by his peers, Billy decided that BHSc was not for him. Academic advisors recommended that he transfer to the University of Toronto, where his behaviour would be “par for the course.”

Lifesci Students Stage Digital Sit-In During BHSc Inquiry Class to Protest Program Equality

On October 7, 2020 at 2:30pm, over 100 Life Sciences Gateway first year students flooded the Zoom call of a HTHSCI 1E06 class. Determined to deconstruct systematic inequality in course workload by fighting for the right to pursue the same waste courses, Life Science students organized a sit-in demonstration within the most famous BHSc-exclusive course, Inquiry. “Health Sci or not, every student deserves the freedom to an obscene amount of free time,” declared lead organizer Bittyr Lee Rye-Jectid, in an emphatic message within the Zoom Chat.

Curriculum equality is not the only freedom that the Life Scis are fighting for, though. The Class of 2024 is calling upon McMaster University for better treatment compared to their BHSc counterparts. “A big part of justice is about equal funding,” explained

But Actually, Sex Work is Work and Coercion Isn’t Consent

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It is a truth universally acknowledged that HTH SCI 2F03/2FF3 is one of the most difficult courses in the BHSc program, in large part due to the sheer volume of content presented. The current COVID-19 pandemic has also made holding in-person labs impossible, causing BHSc students to suffer existential crises, as noted on many Reddit threads and Spotted at Mac posts wherein Health scis have been ranting about how jank the Bassett collection is. Non-Health sci students have also been commenting on this issue; Life sci student Bittyr Lee Rye-Jectid recently said “Finally! You health scis aren’t special anymore!”

Now, the Anatomy Department has decided to spice up the Bassett collection with some new photos taken from OnlyFans. Anatomy professor Sangela Cott released an announcement at midnight, “We’ve been hearing some troubling reports that our use of the Bassett collection has not been effective. Starting next term, we’ve decided to combine the Bassett collection with the popular anatomy website OnlyFans. Through randomization, we’ve sampled some of the

one protestor. “Why should the one percent hoard more wealth than everyone else, when that money could be redistributed to create valuable institutions that help as many students as possible? Every program deserves its own library, roach-free cafeteria, and lounge room, because we too need a safe space to play bad ukulele all day.”

Beyond amenities, equal funding would undoubtedly provide equal opportunities for non-BHSc students to create and manage their own program-exclusive extracurricular publications, too. “My friend and I wanted to start our own satirical newspaper called *The Plagiarizer*, if only the Department of Life Sciences could have provided us with more funding,” lamented Prihmed Keenir, another first year Life Sci.

most popular pictures on OnlyFans to use. We hope that OnlyFans images will help students gain a better understanding, particularly during the reproductive system unit.”

Current anatomy students were divided on this change; some felt that the inclusion of OnlyFans pictures would make labs more difficult due to many submissions using creative angles and lighting. Others believed that this announcement would not change the labs whatsoever since it was still just showing pictures. While this announcement was met with mixed feelings at first, chaos quickly ensued amongst anatomy students after Dr. Cott issued a follow up statement. Due to the abysmal results from the first midterm and the overwhelming number of offers from students to perform ‘The MDCL Bridge’ position with the professors in exchange for bonus marks (see Issue 11 for a detailed tutorial), anatomy students who are 18 or above can earn extra credit by submitting their own OnlyFans entries to be used in labs. Three minutes after this statement was released, the McMaster Campus Store ran out of webcams.

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