

BODACIOUS GOAL SUBMISSION

ORGANIZATION'S NAME

Korean American Pharmacy Student Association (KAPSA)

BOOTCAMP PARTICIPANTS

Name and Position: Michael Jun, President

Name and Position: Agnes Cho, Vice President

ADVISOR(S)

Name and Position:

Dr. Emily Han, Faculty Advisor

BODACIOUS GOAL NAME:

Revitalization of KAPSA Membership and Inter-Chapter Collaboration.

DESCRIPTION – IN A PARAGRAPH, HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE PROJECT TO SOMEONE?

KAPSA's engagement with the student body at USC Mann beyond the Korean American students has been inadequate. We're striving to push the organization to be more welcoming of multicultural backgrounds and to grow our membership so as to expand our activities. We aim to bring in our fellow Korean American student pharmacist groups from other campuses as well as our interdisciplinary colleagues such as the Korean American Medical Student Association (KAMSA) at the Keck School of Medicine.

WHAT ARE THE FOUR COMPONENTS OF THE PROJECT?

Structural: We must have an outline with dates and concrete obtainable goals. With realistic goals and dates in mind, achieving our project goal will be a matter of meeting deadlines and milestones.

Human resources: Open communication within and without the board will ensure everyone is on the same page regarding our goals and how we plan to achieve them.

Political: We must maintain an open and welcoming atmosphere to ensure equitable opportunities for all members. Conflicts must be openly discussed and resolved with a neutral and objective perspective.

Symbolic: KAPSA as an affinity group must exemplify providing an equitable atmosphere. This starts with our board members who must exhibit these values in how we engage with our cohorts.

HOW WILL YOU MEASURE SUCCESS?

Success will be measured by our membership numbers and member engagement and retention at our events.

Plans for success:

1. Plan an intercollegiate mixer amongst multiple campus' Korean American Pharmacy Student Associations (Currently scheduled to occur in the Summer.
2. Continue to follow up with Keck KAMSA and assist them in becoming recognized as an RSO where applicable. As of March 2026, Keck KAMSA is now a recognized RSO and we are actively in communication with their leadership for future collaborative efforts.
3. Continue to reach out and communicate with other KAPSA chapters for future collaboration.
4. Maintain strong communication and rapport with the California Korean American Pharmacists Association (CKAPhA). The CKAPhA President has designated our USC KAPSA to be the intermediary between CKAPhA and other Korean American student organizations across California campuses.

TIMELINE: OCTOBER TO MARCH

September 15th - return this form along with the communications plan you developed with your advisor(s)

September – October – personal meeting with Dr. Chase

December 1st – updated proposal submitted to Dr. Chase

February 15th - interim report due (use this form)

April 15th - submission of Bodacious Goal Final Report (on this form) along with Elevator pitches from both responsibility partners

May - celebrate and receive a certificate! Congratulations.

FOR INTERIM REPORT

WHAT HAVE YOU LEARNED ABOUT BEING A LEADER?

Being a leader is a constant learning experience. A significant portion of the responsibilities lie in managing expectations and mediating the different ideas and wants among the team members. The hardest part of being a leader lies in having to redirect the team's attention and efforts toward a collectively productive goal. Everyone comes to the group with their own idea of how they would like things to be run, but the leader's burden lies in finding a healthy compromise.

FOR FINAL REPORT

REFLECTION – WHAT DID THE FOUR FRAMES TEACH YOU ABOUT LOOKING AT A PROBLEM THROUGH DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES/FRAMES?

KNOWING WHAT YOU KNOW NOW, WHAT WOULD YOUR BODACIOUS GOAL BE IF YOU COULD START AGAIN?