Regional Mission

Support Canadian healthcare system in attaining improved population health, better patient experience, and lower costs by supporting the next generation of health leaders.

Connect student leaders to facilitate shared learning and sense of community

Build capacity for change by providing resources and training opportunities

Inspire students to become agents of change in healthcare

Timeline of Regional Growth

- 26 Chapters Started
- 22 Chapters Open
- 14 Chapters Active

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What additional support can IHI Open School and/or your Regional Leader provide to achieve your goals?

- Funding
- QI
- Projects
- Engagement
- Ideas
- Monthly Newsletter
- Recruitment
- Members
- Getting Started

Regional Engagement

Building Connections

- One-to-one video conferences with chapter leaders to discuss past challenges and future goals for their chapter
- 4/14 active chapters have had a 1-hour one-to-one video call
- Chapter leaders reported the call was helpful and suggestions would be shared and implemented with their chapter team
- Site visit to Toronto and York University chapters in November 2015

Regular Communication

- Email correspondence to connect chapters to resources and to each other
- Monthly Newsletters: Share Canadian chapter successes and challenges
- Sent to Chapter Leaders and Faculty Advisors from across Canada
- Include opportunities for events, scholarships, and conferences
- 40% (19/45) and 43% (20/47) engaged with the September and October newsletters, respectively
- Canadian Regional Facebook group created
- In 1.5 months: 13 members, 5 posts shared from 2 people, and 11 likes from 6 people

Regional Engagement with International Community

- Six Canadian chapter leaders attended the Student Organizing Leadership Academy (SOLA) at IHI office to learn skills in organizing & mobilizing
- Two chapters are participating in the international I-CAN Pledge-a-thon
- Canadian students will be attending IHI National Forum

Canucks at IHI Scholarship

- Organized by Dr. Michael Rachlis, University of Toronto Faculty Advisor
- Support 1.2 students from executive team of Canadian chapter to attend IHI National Forum (including registration, accommodation, and flight) and "Canucks at IHI" reception at the Forum
- Successful applicants will write an essay about their experience at the Forum to be highlighted in monthly newsletter
- Major sponsors include Canadian Medical Association, Ontario, British Columbia, Saskatchewan, and Alberta's Health Quality Councils

Annual Reports

Each year, active chapters submit annual reports reflecting on successes and challenges of previous year and goals for the coming year

Sharing 2015 Successes and Goals for 2016

Common goals reported:

- Implementation & evaluation of curriculum integration
- Create or develop QI Projects program
- Build strong inter-professional collaborator relationships

Other goals reported:

- Upgrade website
- Increase inter-chapter collaboration
- Revise the chapter!
- Increase Fundraising
- Develop Patient Shadowing program
- Improve Faculty advisor engagement
- Partner with university stakeholders
- Take the I-CAN course

Chapter Goals for 2016

- IHI Open School Canadian Region: Early beginnings for the newest region

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and Canadian Chapter Teams

Acknowledgements

- Address needs identified in Summer Annual Report, including funding, support for QI projects, and faculty engagement
- Elicit and measure feedback from chapter leaders to optimize communication strategy
- Consider partnering of chapters of varying experience that share similar goals – perhaps a Buddy Program

Future Plans

- University of British Columbia: QI Projects, Panel Speaker Event Series: Scholarship Fundraising Program
- QI Training Workshops
- Open School Curriculum Integration
- I-CAN Program chapter Teams

- Brock University: QI project supervisor
- University of Windsor: International Patient Safety, Educational, Quality Improvement Program

- Simon Fraser University: I-CAN Course Participant
- University of British Columbia: I-CAN Course Participant
- Regional Leader: University of British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Alberta's Health Quality Councils

- Mcgill University: I-CAN Chapter Participant
- University of Toronto: I-CAN Chapter Participant
- Queen's University: I-CAN Chapter Participant
- York University: I-CAN Chapter Participant

- University of Wisconsin: I-CAN Chapter Participant
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