

Federation of Canadian Dentistry Student Associations Dental Education & Career Development Committee (DECDC) Terms of Reference

Mandate:

In the first year of the Dental Education/Career Development Working Group, we noticed a gap in dental students' exposure to dental education/research activities and career development. Given that we are an organization dedicated to advocating dental education, it is important to have a committee dedicated to these fields.

Objectives:

1. Formulate a plan of action to provide dental students with the resources for their education and career development
2. Create a portal for dental students across the nation to benefit from academia and industry input
3. Provide advice to Board of Directors regarding all activities related to dental education, research and career development

Composition:

The Committee will consist of a minimum of 3 members of the Board of Directors. This committee will be chaired by the elected VP Research and Education.

Meetings:

The Committee will meet annually (minimum 4 times) by teleconference. Additional electronic communication methods may be considered and determined in consultation with the Chair and staff support.

Reporting/Accountability:

The Committee will report to the FCDSA Board of Directors following its Annual General Meeting and as required.

