GSC Governing Board Mtg.

14 January 2019 / 5:00 PM / GSC 204

Attendees

Agenda

- 1. Review and approve E-board minutes (Jan 7)
 - Approved
- 2. Vote in new voting members: Must attend (2) GSCGB meetings + meet stipulations of interested committee (programming, outreach, finance)
 - New members voted in: Aaron Springer (Computer Science), Daniel Alves (Computer Engineering)
- 3. Treasurer update:
 - Treasurer/Finance Updates:
 - i. Successful submission of SFAC funding requests. Thanks everyone!
 - Some SFAC proposals: building updates (ventilation), coffee & bagels event, furniture update, writing retreat, grad orientation
 - Will find out spring quarter
 - ii. To vote: Review funding proposal for Cantu Queer Luncheon with Finance Committee (Logan and Paloma)
 - Logan (from the Cantu Queer Center)
 - Currently, the Cantu Queer center hosts monthly luncheons for queer/trans grad students at the GSC. Hoping to expand programming (potentially board game nights, etc.) to accommodate higher attendance, but need more support for food.
 - Requesting funds for W19, S19 to pay for 3 lunches (\$350/quarter)
 - Past events (16-20 people) have cost roughly \$225
 each
 - The Cantu currently allots \$500/quarter for all of GRAD programming.
 - Status: Board approved \$700
 - Paloma (from the Queer Ecologies Research Cluster)
 - Would like to have a queer ecologies film series at the GSC
 - Running a test run this quarter
 - Asking for \$100 for each film screening to purchase food (4 screenings in W19) and tech support
 - Expected attendance: 20 people

 Status: Board approved \$400; asking for attendance sheet to support future funding requests

4. Outreach:

- How do we get more people involved in the GSCGB?
 - i. What are barriers/limitations to joining?
 - ii. What are motivations for joining and how do we use this information to increase membership?
 - iii. Expanding out programming (which can build relationships/partnerships to recruit more members) like increasing our arts/creative events; making joining more easily available; have takeaway flyers for how people to get involved with the GSC; increase people in the associates list; add it to the sign-in form

5. Grad Student Leadership Meeting with Admin/Staff

 Grads met with Lori Kletzer (VPDGS) and Jim Moore (Assistant Dean of Graduate Studies) to discuss what type of support the GSC and GSA may need; possible GSA/GSC E-board retreats to discuss pros/cons of potential reunification

6. Building Updates:

- Rodent/pest problem in Iveta.
 - i. Worsened due to grease-buildup over break
- o Bi-annual cleaning occurs at Iveta
 - i. Recommended quarterly cleaning
 - ii. Cafe Iveta agreed to have the fan cleaned quarterly

7. Writing Retreat Feedback

- Mondays will be hosted by Cyril
- People are interested in a writing retreat

8. Programming Updates:

- December Programming/Outreach Meeting
 - i. Scheduled all Winter Quarter Events!
- January Events
 - i. Coffee and Bagels (1/9)
 - ii. Crafternoon: Hand Stitching Purse (1/16)
 - iii. Karaoke (1/17)
 - iv. Wine Tour (1/19)
 - v. Nisene Marks Hike (1/26)
- Wellness Committee
 - i. Wellness week: Contributing ~\$600 from programming budget to events
 - ii. Wellness Committee Meeting Updates
 - Financial Health Series
 - Essential Oils DIY
 - ODEI speaker
 - Cultural Music Series?
 - FB advertising for Land of Medicine Buddha Wellness Event? No

9. GSC Credit Card: Coming soon!

Next Meeting

Governance Board: January 28

Executive Board: January 24