# **GSC Governing Board Mtg.**

### April 5th 2022 / 4:30 - 5:30 PM / Graduate Student Commons via Zoom

#### **Attendees**

Dori Weiler, Rachel Neuman, Zippy Connell, Ryan Pili, Claudia Castaneda, Allison Nguyen, Gagandeep Sachdeva, Ryan Van Haren

### **Zoom Considerations**

- 1. Please mute your mic when not speaking.
  - Press and hold the spacebar to temporarily unmute.
- 2. Voting mechanism
  - Motion will be typed into chat, voting members will type "yay" "nay" or "abstain" to vote.

## **Agenda**

- 3. Motion to approve executive board meeting minutes
- 4. Motion to approve this meeting's agenda
- 5. President:
  - Introductions for new attendees
  - Upcoming Elections for Executive Officer Positions
    - End of April advertisement
    - President
    - VP currently vacant
      - Zippy is on the ballot
    - Programming
    - Treasurer
- 6. Grad Div announcements
  - Updates on scheduling Housing panel?
    - No updates yet but an organizing meeting is scheduled
    - Don will ask Peter for an update for the GSC
- 7. Treasurer:
  - Iveta lease is still in negotiation
- 8. Programming:
  - April First Friday
    - Very fun event. 83 attendees
    - 4 gift cards to give to winners of races
    - Lower Oakes lawn was nice in good weather

- May First Friday
  - Cowell Provost House
    - Formal event
  - Catering estimate
    - Small plates
  - Schedule conflicts with John R. Lewis college dedication- upper quarry amphitheater (parking challenges?)
  - Prizes or games? Discuss with programming committee
- How'd You Get That Job
  - Alumni Outreach
  - Industry/Employers
  - Date
- Career Design Proposal from Remy Franklin
  - \$3k request went to Grad Div
    - 5 more sessions
    - Funding approved
    - Begins next week on Thursday
    - Tuesdays and Thursdays
    - Can GSC pay for food for attendees?
- Grad Peer Mentorship Program
  - Mentor Collective
  - Handshake connects alumni to students, but it has no former grad student filtering option
- Writing Together
  - Starting week 3
    - 9:30 to 11:30
    - Wednesday 2-4
    - Hybrid sessions
  - Food?
  - Claudia will be hosting from Zoom, Kelvin will be in person at GSC
- Psychology of writing
  - Tuesday next week
- 9. Vice President & Outreach:
  - Personal point-of-contact event coordinator at the department level
  - Coordinate with grad student coordinators
- 10. Vote in new voting members: Must attend (2) GSCGB meetings + meet stipulations of a committee of interest (programming, outreach, finance) to receive \$100
  - Joseph "Zippy" Connell
    - Physics department

- Programming Committee
- o Ryan "RJ" Pili
  - Psychology

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11. Building Updates:

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12. GradLab Updates:

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- 13. Other announcements:
  - Motion to provide food to in person governing board attendees
    - Dori motioned
    - Claudia Second
    - Motion passes unanimously
    - Will send out registration/food preference form ahead of next gboard meeting
  - o Maryfill is preparing to graduate
  - Aaron is graduating not long after
  - GSC has two new employees
    - Jacob Lopez
    - Anne Le
  - Grad intern next year.
    - 20 hour grad position, covers in state tuition and fees, \$30/hour

## **Next Meeting**

Governing Board: Tuesday May 10th, 4:30-5:30 PM Executive Board: Tuesday May 3rd, 4:30-5:30 PM