GSA Fall 2021 Executive Council Meeting

06 October, 2021

I. Check-In & Attendance

A. In attendance: Amy Cruz, Dawn Galindo, Ethan Post, Shahin Hossain, Kara Seidel, Joel Tyson, Jeffery Halverson, Ruchita Reddy, Ivan Perez, Akash Vartak, Zane Poffenberger, Masud Ahmed.

II. Reports

- A. E-Council Members
 - 1. President -
 - 2. Vice President -
 - 3. Treasurer Grant Emails, Website updates, Meeting with Isabel
 - 4. Historian
 - a) I have received Kara's email to update the website so that should be done by EOD today.
 - b) The update Amy and Dawn sent yesterday about Research Grant Application shall also be done EOD today.
 - c) The GSA calendar must be updated on the GSA home page.
- B. GEARS -
- C. Legislative Concerns -
- D. OGSL -
 - 1. Ivan gave a brief overview of his September Report wherein he stated that 24 sessions for September took place of which, majority were PhD students and only 1 student was a part-time student.
- E. GAAC -
- F. GSSC -

III. Business

- A. Discussion and possible motion to take to senate: Increasing PD Grant funds to \$1000
 - 1. Shahin proposed the idea of forming a special investigation team to understand the budget income and outflow and whether there really is a need to increase the PD grant.
 - 2. It was mutually agreed that some investigation into grants and usage is required by the GRP as well as by the E-Council.
 - 3. Motion to revisit this in the next meeting was set and passed with a majority.
- B. Retreat event:
 - 1. Food cost

IV. Open Discussion

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