**GSC Committee Meeting Form**

**Instructions:** Please complete this form and send it to the GSC president and web master/VP of communication no later than 48 hours after you attend any committee meetings or other meetings on campus where you represent GSC. This form will be made public on the GSC website for graduate students to review.

**Name (GSC members who attended this meeting, bold name of individual filling out report): Tara Young,** Trevor Harris

**Name of meeting/committee:** Graduate Council

**Meeting date:** 03/02/2017

**Start time:** 11:30 am

**End time:** 1:00 pm

**Brief summary of committee purpose:** Graduate Council includes Dean Reyes, deans and members from most/all colleges, and discusses issues involving graduate student life and policy.

**Meeting Summary/Main points of interest (include a bullet point list of any announcements for upcoming events, topics discussed, changes made, and relevant points here):**

* Provost Howard discussed the health care reform/reallocation would take at minimum 18 months to complete/get up and running and will cost 3-4 times what was estimated, therefore, they will wait to implement this until at least next year
* Provost Howard discussed wanting to have tuition waivers/scholarships for graduate students and said he has been “talking” about this for 30 years now
* There is an attorney available through the university to call 24 hrs/day about immigration issues and domestic travel in light of the recent presidential travel ban on immigrrants
* Provost Howard and Dr. Chris Brown said they will help support GSC provide alcohol at GRAS