**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): Jack McCoy**

**Name of meeting/committee:** Faculty Senate

**Meeting date:** 10/5/17

**Start time:** 4:00 pm

**End time:** 4:55

**Brief summary of committee purpose:** Faculty senate includes the provost, faculty, deans, and members from most/all colleges, and discusses issues involving faculty and student 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):**

* Introduction by ASNMSU about its mission, departments, officers, activities, services etc.
* Approval of several propositions. Very little discussion.
* New proposition for memorial in appreciation of contributions of Drs. Webber and Beebe. Approved.
* Proposal to merge 2 ½ departments into a new School of Teacher Preparation, Administration and Leadership. Approved.
* Proposition for experiential learning component in academic programs. Discussion on language. Want to avoid the rule being “required” verses “encouraged”. Further discussion on cost of proposition. Amended changing “Strongly encourage” to “encourage”. Approved.
* Proposition for reconfiguration of departments at NMSU Carlsbad.
* Proposal for reductions to teacher education programs of study.
* Proposal for memorial for Chancellor Carruthers.
* Proposal for revision to Student Academic Code of Conduct. ASNMSU in full support. Approved.
* Proposal to request faculty participation for Chancellor.
* Discussion on communicating senate business with departments. A possible post like the provosts post. Maybe email or social media.
* Diversity Council – assigning senator to meeting.