

General Meeting Minutes Agenda

Date

Date: 09/20/2016 Location: HJLC 126

- 1. Call to order / Welcome
 - a. 5:03pm
- 2. Secretary's Report
 - a. Minutes from last meeting (9/6)
- 3. President's report
 - a. Adam met with Graduate Council & Dean Reyes: suggest we celebrate student research, shed a spotlight on graduate students from each department. University communications to show case graduate students
 - b. Review GSC funding procedures on the GSC website
 - c. 2012 graduate school external review is available online and the GSC response. Graduate education doesn't appear to be part of the strategic plan
 - d. Adam, Trevor, and Tara will present this review and the GSC response to the Graduate Council.
 - e. GSC is on Facebook, please check out and promote the website
 - f. Recharter your GSO and under GSC. If you don't designate under GSC money does not get designated to GSC. There are links to rechartering on the GSC website.
 - g. Representing graduate students at Gradulicious, bring family
- 4. Treasurer's Report
 - a. Swagotom reviewed funding options: department, advisor, grant, graduate school, ASNMSU (40%), check with the symposium/meeting/conference, GSC
 - b. Budget: Typically GSC gets \$1000 per organization, with 22 organizations and got an extra \$3000 so the full budget for the year was \$25,000. With new bylaws (65% /35%) For fall: 16,250; Spring: \$8750
 - c. Current for fall: \$10,338
 - d. Swagotom suggests cutting funding bills by 25% during votes to make the money last for the semester.
- 5. VP report
 - a. Trevor met with Dean Reyes and the ICT project manager to get the application online. They predict the end of Oct to start working on the online application system. You can in on MyNMSU and apply to funding in the student tab.
 - b. There is a process to streamline getting reimbursed. Shooting for Spring semester.
- 6. VP of Activities' Report
 - a. Gradulicious: Oct 7 at 5pm in Preciado park
 - b. Suggestion for recycling: Jennifer in ODonnell Hall can contribute trash cans and recycling bins
- 7. Graduate Senator's Report
 - a. Next ASNMSU meeting is on Thursday, 30 bills
 - b. Suggest to submit bills ASAP
 - c. Keep State Great is on Saturday, please inform your GSOs, 2-3 hours of



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- d. RFP (request for proposal) committee is being set up for international health insurance. The committee will be going out to vendors so they can put up offers for health insurance for international students. Meeting TBA.
- 8. Updates and Announcements
 - a. Counseling center announcements (Adam and Amanda): Graduate student support group. 12:30-2 on Fridays, in Garcia Annex, rm 100. Grad students and non-traditional graduate students. Social support and resources around the community, if interested, pick up brochure or see website. To sign up, go to center and fill out paperwork, express interest for group counseling or individual counseling.
 - b. ASNMSU have 2 bills where the GSOs were not listed in GSC. Doctoral business Student Association. Suggesting to hold another finance meeting immediately after for the organizations that just got picked up by GSC.
- 9. Open Forum
 - a. Trevor's Speech Language Pathology GSO is having 50/50 raffle. Half the funds goes to the organization
- 10. Adjournment
 - a. 5:54pm