Graduate & Professional Student Government

ExComm Minutes | December 1st, 2015

5:30 – 6:30 PM 5th Wells Conference Room

“Advocating for an inclusive and empowered graduate and professional student community”

• Ben’s Updates (5:30-5:40)
  o Touting GPSG’s H&W committee, plans, concerns to Trustees (12/3)
  o Additional notes/mentions/campus issues to bring to that forum?

• Adrian discussing Awards improvements/additions/enhancements (5:40-5:50)
  o Brief summary of presentation to Assembly
    ▪ Discussion of the awards given out by graduate student governments at Big 10 schools
  o New ways to expand Awards and services provided to Grad Students?

• Next Assembly’s Resolutions in Hand (5:50-6:30):
  o For each resolution we’re bringing to the floor on Friday:
    ▪ Discussion, critiques, and possible amendments:
      • Addressing implementation challenges inherent to chosen language
      • Anticipating questions/concerns of the Assembly
      • Recommending changes if necessary with FINAL resolution copies due to potgpsg by Wednesday evening (12/2)
  o Skyler; Health Resolution Omnibus (will be split into three resolutions)
    ▪ Dining services and food on campus
      • Addressing lack of nutritional information in an accessible format
• Expanding options after current business hours in areas highly trafficked by graduate students

  ▪ Fitness
    • Marketing additional exercise options to graduate students
    • New facilities should take into consideration access to exercise facilities

  ▪ Healthy Benefits
    • Better access to ergonomic equipment for graduate students
    • Greater programing for optometric health for graduate students

  o Brittany
    ▪ Campus Violence Prevention Resolution (Grad Students)
      • Create mandatory training for those who are Title IX reporters
    ▪ Campus Violence Prevention Resolution (General Campus)
      • Consistent system for reporting crime
      • Make campus-wide surveys about sexual misconduct more widely accessible
      • “Healthy Sexuality” campaign

• Updates
  o Kyle
    ▪ Office of Sustainability is looking more for help with getting things going than new resolutions
  o Ben
    ▪ Working on spousal IDs

• Adjourn