GPSG Assembly Minutes
December 7 2018

Programming and Events
• Final social Hours Atlas 7-9pm
  o December 8th
• Spring
  o Professional Headshot event February
  o Grad Appreciation Week
    ▪ January
  o GPSG Gala
    ▪ IU auditorium tickets go out in January
    ▪ Happens in April

Diversity Council Members
• Names are listed on website
• Had 30 apps for 8 positions

Ambassador Positions
• 5 positions
  o parent/student, research, veteran, teaching, & student athletes
• Mass email happening in the Spring

Advocacy Committees
Awards
  o Money will be sent out to students soon
  o Travel, research, Yolanda Trevino student community service award

Benefits
  o Ongoing discussion and collaboration about Graduate Student Debt
    ▪ Currently working on a survey to launch in the Spring

Diversity
  o 3 projects
    ▪ eligibility of international license to rent IU fleet vehicles
      • only US license can use IU vehicles currently
    ▪ training for faculty, AI’s, TA’s to address diversity
    ▪ international guide for international students while they’re abroad and a package will explain what to expect in the US, IU, etc.

Sustainability
  o Resolutions coming up on transportation and sustainability master plan
    ▪ Read the Bloomington transportation plan

Health & Wellness
• Crimson Cupboard
• Campus food pantry
• Jan 17th volunteer call-out, 1st was in November with lots of students but mainly undergrads
• If someone needs emergency food aid then let us know
• Graduate Student Discussion Groups
• Starting next semester around February and subsequent monthly discussions

Resolutions

Decrease Caps & Gowns Costs
Only can participate in graduation if you buy the cap & gown
$87 by a certain date and then 117 later and you cannot keep the gown
price was most important in purchasing a cap & gown
want to reduce the price in some manner
moved and seconded to vote
39 yay 1 abstentions

Add/Drop fees
38 yay 2 abstentions

March 1 elections
President, Vice President, Treasurer
Mid March q