Graduate Student Council
General Council Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, October 7, 2014 @ 5:30 – 6:30 PM – Collis 101

PRESIDENT REPORT (Erin O’Malley)
- Welcome new GSC department representatives!
- Investiture Ceremony, June 13th, 3:30 pm @ BEMA
  o Grad Student Feedback
  o Look out for emails and Grad Forum Articles
- Homecoming Parade
  o A truck has been donated to use for handing out candy
  o 7:10 PM leaving
    ▪ Information is posted on Facebook for those interested in going
- Service Chair Elections
  o Processing applicants

DEAN OF GRADUATE STUDIES REPORT (Kerry Landers)
- Working to create a PhD program
- Providing programs that help with professional development

Upcoming Events
- Wine and Cheese Tasting - One Wheelock (Friday, October 10th, 8-10:30 pm)
- Indian Food Night - Tom Dent Cabin (Wednesday, October 15th, 6-8 pm)
- Travel Grant Due (Monday, October 27th)
- Pumpkin Carving - Location TBD (Friday, October 31st, 5-9 pm)
- Tailgate Brunch - Location TBD (Saturday, November 1st, 12-2 pm)
- Halloween Dance (Saturday, November 1st, 8 pm to midnight)
- Make Your Own Sushi - Tom Dent Cabin (Wednesday, November 5th, 6-8 pm)
- End of Term Pub Night - Location TBD (Saturday, November 22nd, 8 pm - midnight)

Executive Board Introductions

Vice President (Adrienne Perkins)
- How to vote using Robert’s Rule of Order
- Member-at-Large (vote)
  o Must attend meetings and volunteer for two activities/events/member projects
  o If two meetings are missed voting rights are restricted

Secretary (Sarah Decker)
- Approve minutes for those who were here last month
  o Motion made and unanimous approval

Student Life Chair (Howard Kim)

North Park Activities Coordinator (Perry Scheetz)

Grad Studies Activities Coordinator (Erin Brioso)
- Wine and Cheese event needs six sober monitors
• Indian Food event needs one sober monitor

Webteam Member-at-Large (Molly Croteau)
• Highlighted features of the Grad Forum website
• Asked for graduate students to send ideas for publication

Academic Chair (Chris Carroll)
• N3rd N!t3 speakers sign-up
• Travel Grant committee
  o Need members to sign-up to review applications
• IDTea is a great way to get the various graduate departments to mingle

SocialChairs (Jessi Goold & Chad Piersma)
• Halloween Dance
  o Sober monitors and set-up crew needed
• Looking for feedback about the Fall Semi-Formal
  o What worked and what didn’t work

Finance Chair (Shuen Hon)
• Budget Proposal
  o $65,740 – operation budget
  o $10,300 – block funding
  o $6,500 – 2014-2015 funding request budget
• Motion to pass budget made by Chris Carroll, seconded by Adrienne Perkins
  o Unanimous approval

Other Items of Business
• Diwali funding request
  o Requesting $500
    ▪ Motion made by Justin Richardson, seconded by Erin O’Malley
      • Unanimously approved
• One Dartmouth – Spencer
  o Trying to build a more community connected atmosphere on campus and within the graduated student body
• Voter Registration – Nick
  o Need volunteers to help register people to vote

Mix and Mingle with new GSC Representatives