For this meeting we will be addressing the following points:

I. Approval of last MoM
   ● Approved

II. Guest: Sean O’Melia from GAB
   ● GAB GSAW meeting this Thursday at 2pm
   ● Making sure budget is approved and that we are all on the same page
   ● Meet people for stipend discussion
   ● Will create form to ask for feedback about stipends

III. Meeting with the GPSC applicants
   A. Jam Aleem Nawaz Khan confirmed
      ● Angel Algarin- also present
      ● Engineering Master’s student and Public Health PhD student respectively
      ● Asked about why they applied for Graduate Senator/ GPSC
      ● What are their goals

IV. Discussion about GPSC open position
   ● Open position has three interested candidates
   ● Others dropped out or have not responded
   ● Discussion at Senate/ voting

-------- Other Business (Due to time restraints these will be addressed if we have time)--------

V. Briefing on the meeting with the UGS
   A. Travel fund - considering accommodation: discussion with the UGS
      ● Tabled for next meeting

   B. Proposal: funding for research
      ● Mitra is preparing a proposal

   C. Proposal: research fair
      ● Mitra is working with Chaz
• To work with Start Up FIU and Career Center
• Research investment
• [McNair undergraduate Fair collaboration proposed by Angel] Will not work/ different purpose

D. Stipend discussion and feedback
• Mitra and Nada have received various email complaints
• Stipends are not the same
• Must be set by the Deans
• Writing letters for October Dean meeting

VI. Updates on Travel Fund video
A. Diego ($750 - 3 weeks)
• Said that we did not book. Once we get a booking will be 3 weeks
• Going an alternative route
• Following up with Irene and meeting with Michelle about alternative

VII. Law Liaison for Competition Team
A. Discussion about Special Cases and SOP
• Tabled for next meeting

B. Finalize amount
• ASBO is okay with $400 per student
• Will have more feedback

VIII. Gradskellar
A. Overview of the Gradskellar at Law School
• Was successful
• Need to account for better layout of sign in table
• Need to account for at least 200 people in the future
• Probably only having a Gradskellar bi-monthly unless we can budget better
• Giving name stickers and GPSC having name badges for better identification

B. Upcoming Gradskellar at Stemple (150 serving - 1 hour: final confirmation)
• Tablecloth
• Looking at having a GPSC banner for more presence

IX. Discussion about our new Social Media
A. Responsibilities
• Tabled for next meeting/ group chat
B. Creation
- Nada will follow up with CSO on what the guidelines are when using FIU in the handle
- Nada will meet with Teresa to create it

X. GPSC name tags
- Will order soon with Teresa once new seat is filled.

XI. Discuss other Meeting Times (October, November, Etc.)
- Tabled

XII. Advisor Updates
- None

❖ Notes:
➢ Some concerns of graduate students as discussed with candidates during interviews:
  ■ Up to date post-doc opportunities and communication of them
  ■ International Student concerns
  ■ Wellness and Recreation
  ■ Barriers present when attempting to fill out applications, feedback form, or get information
  ■ Research funding
  ■ Lack of surveillance to know the problems/needs of students
  ■ Interactions with Faculty.

Next meeting: October 22nd @ 11:30 am
Meeting adjourned: 2:15 pm