Graduate Professional Student Committee

February 3rd, 2020 - Agenda Time: 1:00 pm Location: DM 233

Invitation sent to:

| Name | Email | Attendance |
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| Maryam Rafieifar | mrafi007@fiu.edu | Present |
| Angel Algarin | aalga016@fiu.edu | Present |
| Shahnawaz Rafi | srafi004@fiu.edu | Absent |
| Michaela Mills | mmill185@med.fiu.edu | Present |
| Marko Nikitovic | sbasga@fiu.edu | Present |
| Angelica Moncada | amonc002@fiu.edu | Present |
| Teresa Amador | tamador@fiu.edu | Absent |
| Michelle Castro | mimcast@fiu.edu | Absent |
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| SGA Speaker | sgaspeaker@fiu.edu | Absent |
| Christian Perez | cmiperez@fiu.edu | Absent |
| Allen Varela | alvarel@fiu.edu | Present |

For this meeting we will address the following points:

- Meet with Allen Varela, Coordinator of Academic Support Services for The Honors College and UndergradResearch FIU 2020 (URFIU 2020) members
 - a. Discuss a a joint event where all students can see what their peers are doing
 - b. GSAW?
 - c. Maryam explains GSAW and the agenda shared
 - d. Allen found that students want to do research but feel intimidated because of lack of experience or not aware of the first steps to conduct their own independent project.
 - e. Undergraduate research aligned it to the national framework initially
 - f. Graduate students could judge undergrads
 - g. Different categories determined by grad students for undergrad
 - h. FIU is trying to create an identity for undergraduate who create research
 - i. Honors college is not interested in doing the poster presentations the same day
 - j. Undergrad Conference in March 24
 - k. Social event that brings grad and undergraduate together
 - I. Undergrads can be volunteers
- 2. Open discussion

Meeting adjourned at