Graduate Professional Student Committee
November 25th, 2019 - Agenda
Time: 1:00 pm
Location: SGA Conference Room

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For this meeting we will address the following points:

1. GSAW
   - Students suggest to have more appreciation
   - Funds available:
   - Dates for the call for abstract:
   - Abstract submission deadlines:
   - Social: March 31st from 5 to 8
     - Decide the location of the social: Faculty club or frost museum (Angelica will email the museum for?)
     - Decide the social entertainer ideas (Rafi will research the options)
       i. Comedian
       ii. Magician
       iii. Band
   - Incorporate some student input (sticky notes)?
     (https://docs.google.com/document/d/1yKJ5cILzLTODP0iPSGrtZsHbAz2qbw6NdduigyxhmqM/edit?usp=sharing)

2. Discussion of budget
   - Galina: idea of use of a&s funds for emergency funds for graduate students
     i. She will create a survey or a way to show their financial constraints

3. Email from the Office of Admissions. Will be hosting an event on January 30th from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM in GC to promote all of the different Master’s programs.
   Are looking for the following:
   - Five to six graduate students that would be interested in being part of a student Q&A panel about their experience as an FIU grad school student
   - Two students that would like to be interviewed on their experience as a part of the promotional materials that we will be sending out to students (Quick interview, 4 to 5 questions on your program and academic experience with a photo. Preferably a humanities student and a STEM student to get differing perspectives)
4. Angel’s attendance to APPC meeting about proposed cell phone policy
   ○ Examples they were giving were pointing towards disrespect to the speaker if phones are used
   ○ Angel will email them thanking them and including our thoughts on it

5. Changes in the Graduate School policies (Valentina’s question to Angel)
   ○ Ask Dr. Kos (UGS) about the changes that were voted in for graduate policies

6. Open discussion
   ○ Bill on graduate senators clarification
   ○ Resolution on the grad student - advisor expectations by Galina

Unfinished business:

7. Discuss if we want to change GPSC to include more graduate students

8. Offering funding to GAB for an event. Email them?

Meeting adjourned at 2:07 PM

Next Meeting: 12/02/2019