



**Graduate Student Association Spring 2020 Board Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, 3rd of March 2020 – 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm
Student Union, 3rd floor, Presidential Suite**

- I. Call to Order**
President, Cassie Aaron, called the meeting to order at 5:46PM
- II. Roll Call**
 - A. Voting Members Present:** Maggie Stack, Brenna Leon, Ariana Huesias, Cassi Aaron, Alma Valencia-Escobar, Jennifer Parker
 - B. Non-voting members:**
 - C. Voting Members Absent:** Andres Elvira, Kelsey Bajet, Quincey Penn, Cristina Rodriguez
- III. Approval of Previous Minutes:**
 - A. https://docs.google.com/document/d/1IDG5IOiVpEUeiJTh3g0k1Z3FaymEv--DL5RH_fYN8vY/edit?usp=sharing**
It was moved and seconded to approve the GSA board meeting minutes of 2/25/20.
 - A. Leon/Stack** **CARRIED**
- IV. Approval of Agenda:**
It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda for today's meeting.
 - A. Stack/Leon** **CARRIED**
- V. Public Comment: None**
- VI. Presentations: None**
- VII. Old Business:**
 - A. Leadership Mixer:** Chips and salsa were good, low attendance, possible duplicate event for leadership even
 - B. Election for AS Rep - Satya wondering about his status**
 1. Satya approved as UC Rep
 2. Send Satya Jen's email
 - C. Writing Workshop - Cassie to connect with Jasmine**
- VIII. New Business**
 - A. March Study Sessions**

1. Will only have one session on Thursday, March 19th from 7-11 pm in Metzli
2. Will do 1 coffee, 1 tea, and 1 pastry platter

B. Game Nights

Thursday, March 26th in Metzli from 7-10 pm

BYOG - Bring your own games

IX. Reports

A. President - Aaron

B. VP of Finance - Huesias

1. Approved for \$5,000 by FAC!

C. VP of University Affairs - Valencia-Escobar

1. Graduation stoles can be processed through Ambre. The only downside is that they would not be personalized (with "GSA" on one side and the position on the other side). Still waiting for the response to the options we have for personalized stoles. What is our budget?
2. Carl Silva will remain the Graduate Student Representative for AL!! There was a conflict with his class schedule previously but is on board now. Yay!
3. I met with the Co-President of the organization for the College of Education, Gi Gonzales, on 3/10 and the Grad Student Rep for the College of Education will added to their election poll for next year's officers. This will definitely bring awareness to our position. I will be attending their next meeting on 3/16 at 7pm.
4. I emailed PSFA, Sciences, and Human Sciences and cc'd Steve. Waiting for response.
5. Sophie Yulin (the new Graduate Student Rep for Public Health) had her first meeting with Dean Madanat on 2/26.

D. VPs of Programming - Elvira

1. No report

E. VP of Public Relations - Leon & Rodriguez

1. Will send Jen newsletter updates tonight
2. EOP Summer Bridge Mentor Position
3. Would like to post more job opportunities

F. VP of Social Change - Stack

1. Dean Radhika event - she wants to push until April/May due to coronavirus
 - a) Other women for panel, recommended by Welter:
 - (1) Karen May-Newman
 - (2) Rebecca Lewison
 - (3) Kathy Pucher
2. Cap and gowns for students
 - a) Alumni Association said they don't have a "sponsor a graduate" program

b) You can join the alumni association for a special offer of \$400, which gives you a \$85 gift card to Aztec Shops to cover cap and gown → but this is a lot of money for students??

3. School of Public Health collaboration

a) Dr. MacDonald speaker event

G. A.S. Representative -

H. Senate Representative - Penn

1. No report

I. Social Media Correspondent - Rodriguez

1. Study Sessions - Can advertise

2. Received email about A.S. Grad Student Academic Experience - cant advertise!

3. Let Cristina know what other things to post!

a) GSA Game Night

b) EOP Summer Bridge Job Posting

c) Career Peer Job Posting

d) UCSD Career Symposium

J. Secretary - Bajet

1. See Jeff Moore email - reached out for funding

2. Career Services opportunity-

<https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/#inbox/FMfcgxwHMGGpzxZxDvtpkrWBqktgksnC?projector=1>

3. UCSD Career Symposium -

<https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/#inbox/FMfcgxwGDWsqWrpPfNskLDihVnWSfSnJ>

4. Will send updates to include Quincey's profile on the website

K. Grad Council Rep - Leon

1. Grad Council was cancelled, will resume on April 9th

X. Announcements: None

XI. Adjournment

It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 6:41PM.

CARRIED