

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL STUDENT SENATE

April 17, 2019 | HUB 332



CALL TO ORDER

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Rankin & Associates: Campus Climate Survey
5. First Reading: Resolution in Support of Mandatory Bystander Training
6. Q Center Petition for Non-Academic Seat
7. Memorandum on Summer Work Policy
8. Elections Update
9. SAGE Day on the Hill Update
10. UPASS Presentation
11. Upcoming Events
12. Composition Survey Results
13. Executive Reports
14. Announcements
15. Adjournment

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Non-Academic Seat Petition

University of Washington Q Center

W Non Academic Seat Position: Q Center

In Favor

Opposed

Abstain

Campus Climate Survey

Rankin & Associates

pollev.com/gpsspoll



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Please enter questions you have for Rankin & Associates regarding the Campus Climate Survey

Top

First Reading:

Resolution in Support of Mandatory Bystander Training

Memorandum:

Summer Work Policy for GPSS Officers

Elections Update

Michael Diamond
& Frances Chu

Monday, April 22, 2019, 5:30pm: Last day to file nomination to Elections Committee Chair

Wednesday, April 24, 2019: Absentee ballots available online

Wednesday, May 1, 2019, 2:30pm: Electronic absentee ballots due and paper absentee ballots available

May 1, 2019, 5:30pm: Officer elections and paper absentee ballots due

All candidates must attend the Elections Meeting!!!

SAGE Day on the Hill Update

Kelsey Hood, VP
External

Attendees:

- Kelsey Hood, VP of External Affairs and 2019 SAGE Political Director
- Giuliana Conti, President
- Brittany Whitley, Policy Director
- Abbie Shew, Organizing Director and **2020 SAGE Political Director!**

Meetings:

- more than 80 scheduled for SAGE day
 - 6 for State day including Rep. Jayapal
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Topics Discussed:

- Student Finance
- Campus Sexual Misconduct
- Immigration
- Mental Health
- Federal Research Funding

To see full copies of the 2019 SAGE white papers, see the most recent posting on the GPSS website!

U-PASS Presentation

Monday, April 22nd | University Transportation Committee (UTC) Meeting

- Time: 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Location: Gerberding Hall 142

Monday, April 22nd | U-PASS Advisory Board Committee Meeting

- Time: 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.
- Location: Gould 208-J

Friday, April 26th | Transportation Services Public Hearing

- Time: 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.
- Location: HUB 145

Monday, May 6th | U-PASS Advisory Board Meeting

- Time: 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.
- Location: Gould 208-J



Upcoming Events

THIS Friday from 9:30-6:00!

Please share with your constituents.



There will be food and drinks!



GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL

ACADEMIC CONFERENCE

APRIL 19TH, 2019

9:30am-6pm in the HUB &
Intellectual House

Inter (connected)

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Dori Krupanics

"Interference: Surviving Globalized Corporate
Power Engineered by U.S. Imperial Ambitions"

**Free conference
attendance!**

First 100 students to
RSVP for the full day
conference will
receive a free
lunch!

For registration
& more information:
gpss.uw.edu/conference

Upcoming Events

Schedule of events:


- Coffee and check-in - 9:30
- Keynote - 10:00
 - Intellectual House
- Session 1 - 11:00-12:30
- Lunch - 12:30-1:30
- Session 2 - 1:30-3:00
- Session 3 - 3:00-4:30
- Reception - 4:40-6:00

9:30 - 10:00	Coffee & Check-in at Intellectual House		
10:00 - 10:45	Keynote Address at Intellectual House		
	Room HUB 332	Room HUB 334	Room HUB 337
11:00 - 12:30	<p>Session A.1 Chair: Nicole Jarvis</p> <p>Where East and West Meet: Comparison of Cultural Scripts Manifested Through Religious Imagery in Contemporary Discourse of English and Ukrainian Lidiya Oryshchuk (Slavic Languages and Literatures)</p> <p>Myanmar's Puzzling Patterns of Peace and Ethnic Violent Conflict Seth Kane (Jackson School of International Studies/Ph.D.)</p> <p>Familias Soñadoras: Forms of Engagement & Educational Dreams in a Rural Latinx Immigrant Farmworking Community Henedina Tavares (Education Policy, Organizations and Leadership)</p>	<p>Session B.1 Chair: Zhiyun Ma</p> <p>Graduate Students Interceding Institutional Diversity Meshell Sturgis (Communication), Anjuli Joshi Brekke (Communication), Erin Lee (MPH-Health Services), Brian J Evans (Dance), Andrea Delgado (Comparative Literature, Cinema and Media)</p>	<p>Session C.1 Chair: Yue Shi</p> <p>Greener Than Them: Environmental Perceptions and Racism Ellen Ahlness (Political Science)</p> <p>Understanding and Advancing Natural Resource Management in the Context of Changing Ocean Conditions Katie Keil (Marine and Environmental Affairs)</p> <p>Blackfish in Crisis: Advocating for an Endangered Population using Data Visualization and Social Media Erin Cote (Museology)</p>
12:30 - 1:30	Lunch in HUB 250		
1:30 - 3:00	<p>Session A.2 Chair: Meshell Sturgis</p> <p>The Economic Argument for Social Justice: How Higher Education and Social Justice are Interconnected Lana Hutzar (School Psychology/College of Education)</p> <p>What Org Charts Tell Us About Power and Belonging Njeri Thande (UW Evans School of Public Policy and Governance/MPA)</p> <p>STEM-ulating Diversity Through Hip Hop Tamuka Chidyaisuku (Biochemistry)</p>	<p>Session B.2 Chair: Taina Lorenz</p> <p>Experiencing Inspiration in the Art Museum Nicole Jarvis (Museology Graduate Program)</p> <p>Worried Notes and Troubled Light: Music and Hegel in Mondrian's Aesthetic Philosophy Emma McIntosh (Art History/Masters Practicum)</p> <p>Souvenirs and Travel Guides: The Cognitive Sociology of Grieving Public Figures Daniel Nolan (Sociology)</p>	<p>Session C.2 Chair: Si Jia Li</p> <p>Intersectionality of Primitive Living Situations and Systemic Sexual Behavioral Norms Influences Salience of Defensive Calls David Schruth (Anthropology)</p> <p>Prey Partitioning Among Sympatric Canids Yue Shi (Biology)</p> <p>Early Ossification of the Nasal Septum in Midface Deficient Pigs Michael Baldwin (Oral Health Sciences)</p>
3:00 - 4:30	<p>Session A.3 Chair: Juliana Cantarelli Vita</p> <p>Interpersonal Relationships within a University Marching Band Taina Lorenz (Music Education)</p> <p>Finding a Voice: Understanding the International Graduate Student Experience in Graduate Student Government Zhiyun Ma (Leadership in Higher Education, College of Education)</p> <p>Forming Study-Communes: Deflecting Availability and Elaborating Collective Study Gust Burns (English)</p>	<p>Session B.3 Chair: Seth Kane</p> <p>Interdisciplinarity, Interconnectedness, Intersectionality, Interactivity: Building Spaces for Dialogue, Growth and Networking Through the Case Study of the Brazilian Researchers and Scholars Group Juliana Cantarelli Vita, Flávia Kappos, Larissa Prates, Lucas Colluso</p> <p>Exploring the Efficacy of Private Transportation Partnerships During Emergency Response Situations Leah Loo (College of Built Environments/IPM)</p>	<p>Session C.3 Chair: Katie Keil</p> <p>A Multiscale and Multidimensional Approach to Brain Computer Interface Si Jia Li (Bioengineering/PhD)</p> <p>Context Matters: Weighted Recalibration for Improved Clinical Utility of Cardiac Risk Scores Anu Mishra (Biostatistics PhD)</p> <p>Supporting Users with Visual Impairments in UX: An Interdisciplinary Look at Thoughtful Communications and UX Design Jess Testa (Communication Leadership)</p>
4:40 - 6:00	Cocktails and Mingling in HUB 250		

Upcoming Events

Student Loan Repayment Info Session

- Tuesday, April 30 3:00-4:00 HUB 332
- Partnering with Financial Aid



**STUDENT LOAN
REPAYMENT**

**INFO
SESSION**

**JOIN GPSS & THE OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL
AID TO LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR OPTIONS FOR
STUDENT LOAN REPAYMENT PLANS.**

HUB 332

DATES TUESDAY APRIL 30TH, 2019
3-4 PM



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Upcoming Events

Other Upcoming Events:

Golfing with Grads

- Friday, May 17 2:00-5:00 UW Golf



Committee Events:

S&P Lunch & Learn with Sarah Myhre

- Thursday, April 25 11:30-1:00 GPSS Office

S&P White Paper Project Wrap Up

- Thursday, May 30th (tentatively) HUB 332

DivCom Celebration Event

- Late May

Additional Campus Events



DISSERTATION WRITING RETREAT

*WRITER'S BLOCK ON YOUR DISSERTATION?
STRUGGLING WITH PLANNING OR STRUCTURING YOUR PROJECT?
TROUBLE MAKING TIME TO WRITE?*

The OWRC's Dissertation Writing Retreat might be just what you need!

The retreat will bring together a group of graduate students during the interim between Spring and Summer Quarters to work on their dissertations with a supportive group of tutors.

- The retreat includes:
- Daily consultations with a writing tutor
 - Targeted workshops on topics related to the academic and emotional challenges of dissertation project
 - 4 to 5 hours of focused writing time
 - An encouraging writing environment

When: June 17 - 21, 2019
9:30 AM to 4:30 PM daily

Application materials:
Submit your materials using this link
<https://tinyurl.com/y5fsep3>

Where: The OWRC
Odegaard library room 121

Applications are due:
Wednesday, April 24th, 2019 by 5:00 PM

RETREAT PARTICIPANTS WILL BE SELECTED BASED ON OUR ASSESSMENT OF PROGRESS, DIFFICULTIES, AND EXPERIENCE OF THOSE WHO WILL GAIN THE MOST FROM OUR APPROACH

Questions? Email Tait Bergstrom (taitb3@uw.edu) or the OWRC (owrc@uw.edu)



ESPORTS ARENA GRAND OPENING

Monday, April 15
VR DEMO DAY
11:30am-2:30pm

Tuesday, April 16
TOURNAMENT TUESDAYS: APEX LEGENDS
6:30pm

Wednesday, April 17
CAREERS IN GAMING:
KRISTINA HUDSON, WIN
2:30-4:30pm

Thursday, April 18
RIBBON CUTTING
12:30pm

Friday, April 19
RSO GAME NIGHT
4:30-7:30pm

ALL WEEK
5 HOURS FREE PLAY
W/HUSKY CARD

PRESENTED BY
Coca-Cola
ORANGE VANILLA



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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 | 7:30PM



SATURDAY, MAY 11 | 7:00PM

TICKETS STARTING AT \$22
(WHILE SUPPLIES LAST)

ENJOY A \$10 CONCESSIONS VOUCHER WITH EACH TICKET

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Dingo

June 7

SO
much
fun

GPSS rulez

COMPOSITION SURVEY RESULTS

EXECUTIVE REPORTS

Treasurer

Robby Perkins-High

Upcoming Special Allocations Events

- [KSA x KSU Culture Night](#) - April 20
- [Desi Dhamaka](#) - April 20
- [Khmer New Year's Show](#) - April 27

Travel Grants

- Applications for Summer (6/5 to 8/31) are now open, submit by May 15th!

SAF Budget Hearing this Friday



Secretary

Amy Gabriel

Me, preparing for
a 5-hour interview
on Friday



Eta Tau Eta Health Career Banquet: The Future is in Our Hands

Saturday, May 4th 5:00pm-7:00pm HUB 145

Dinner is complimentary!

- Eta Tau Eta at UW is a pre-health service club helping those living in disadvantaged situations in the PNW
- Banquet allows students interested in health careers to network with health professionals
- Inviting grad students to get their insight on grad school

GPSS DivCom Advisory Council

Know any student leaders working to advance diversity, equity and inclusion in their department or organization? Tell them to contact me!

Submit Nominations

Future candidates! Send me (gpssec@uw.edu) your packets by **next Monday, 4/22** at 5:30 p.m.



Me,
watching
GoT this
Sunday...

VP External

Kelsey Hood

UW will be hosting the WSA Spring General Assembly on June 1st

Focuses on updating bylaws and electing the 2019-2020 Executive Board

Memo on Conference Travel Costs

Robby and I will be working on a new memo to help increase transparency about travel costs and consistency for future budgets



OLYMPIA UPDATE



- **In Fiscal Committee**
 - Pursuing Mental and Behavioral Health Professions (SB 5635)
- **In Rules Committee**
 - Affordable Health Coverage (E2SHB 1523)
 - Behavioral Health Innovation and Integration Campus (E2SHB 1593)
 - Title IX Task Force (ESHB 1998)
- **Passed Opposite Chamber**
 - Religious Accommodations (SSB 5166)
 - Affordable Health Coverage (ESSB 5526)
 - Eliminating Barriers to Reproductive Health Care (2SSB 5602)
- **Bills That Died/Are NTIB**
 - State Need Grant (E2SSB 5393)
 - Comprehensive Sex Ed (ESSB 5395)
 - Student Vets Mental Health (SSB 5428)
 - Student Loan Refinancing (2SSB 5774)



VP Internal

sorry I missed my dog today

Sydney Pearce



Student Safety Advisory Board

- Have any campus safety concerns? Let me know!
- Don't forget to download the SafeZone app

Liaison Opportunities

Provost Advisory Committee for Students (PACS)

- Fridays, 3:30-5:00 PM

HUB Board of Representatives

- Thursday, May 23rd, 3:30-5:00 PM

Student Technology Fee Committee (STF)

- Mondays 3:30-5:00 PM

Student Regent Selection Committee

- Sunday, April 21st, 11:00 AM-1:00 PM (optional)
- Saturday, April 27th, 2:00-5:00 PM (mandatory)
- Sunday, April 28th, 2:00-5:30 PM (mandatory)

International Student Health Insurance Plan Committee (ISHIP)

- Friday, April 19th, 2:30-4:00 PM (last meeting)



President

Giuliana Conti



Student Leader Long-Term Planning Recommendations

The following information presented to the Board of Regents during April, 2019, represents a joint set of recommendations and feedback on behalf of the of the tri-campus student government Presidents toward the university's long-term financial and academic planning. This information is intended to inform and encourage the UW administration's progress toward these topics and serve as a benchmark in the coming years for both UW administration as well as incoming student leaders.

Common Recommendations Between the Boards

Given funding constraints, what value must be delivered to convince students that tuition expenses are justified?

- Career preparation and professional development opportunities
- Resources for maintaining personal well-being (food, mental health)

What is most successful about the University's current operations from the student perspective?

- Extracurricular activities
- Individualized resources for diverse populations and interests

Which are the most important areas of improvement from the student perspective?

- Funding, funding, funding! With regard to even allocation across campuses and notoriously underfunded programs
- Increased mental health and wellness resources
- Career and professional development resources and training

What would students like the Board, administration, and faculty take into consideration as they plan for the next thirty years?

- Diversifying the student, staff, and faculty populations
- Transparency and inclusion of students within decision-making processes
- Affordability of educational and living expenses
- Accommodation of and support for the tri-campus growth beyond the minimum, especially with regard to space
- The availability of personal and professional student resources increase the likelihood of success
- Student safety, health, and well-being are pivotal for academic and post-graduation success
- We will carry this University's name and legacy, we need to be cared for now so that we may adequately care for the next generations

ASUWS Priorities

- Humanities emphasis for non-humanities majors
- Providing the capacity for all students to explore their academic interests
- Ability to build a network of professional connections
- Greater support for long-term career planning
- Critically assessing the balance that the University must maintain between its world-class ranking and its commitment to the community as a public university

GPSS Priorities

- Mental health resources and training across campus
- Funding availability for Master's programs
- Work and communication boundaries for grad students
- Faculty advising standards and training
- **Involvement of grad students in decision making processes**
- Match cost of living with job/funding/TA/RA opportunities
- Caregiver/child care practical and financial needs
- Arts and Humanities funding availability

ASUWT Priorities

- Career workshops, Internship opportunities, integrate training/internships into courses
- Alumni networking in students preferred field
- Need for increase number of career fairs and more employers
- Transportation services, getting in and around UW Tacoma
- Increasing student life on campus
 - Building a HUB/student recreation center
- Maintain 24/7 access to the library
- Affordable and accessible childcare for student parents
- Defining the student experience at UW Tacoma

ASUWB Priorities

- Long term Health & Wellness Resources and Food Services.
- Increase support in funding for clubs on-campus.
- Student Services with a focus on mentorship and career readiness
- Diversity, Disability, and Mental Health resources for students.
- Locating information and opportunities on-campus; on our website and main communication channels.
- Financial Aid & Scholarship Communication; cost of living and not paying for resources we already have.
- The funding distribution across the three campuses.
- Providing more student space for students on-campus.
- Defining the student experience at UW Bothell.

Executive Senators

Jacob:

- Will be at PACs (Provost Advisory Council) tomorrow to speak about UW's chemical safety guidelines
- SAF (Student Activities Fee): Food Pantry & UW Rec

Michael:

- Reach out sooner rather than later with any elections-related comments, questions, or requests!

Jackie:

- If you are interested in helping with selecting the next student regent, please let us know!



GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL

ACADEMIC CONFERENCE

Inter (connected)

APRIL 19TH, 2019

*Food & drinks will be provided

PROGRAM & REGISTRATION:

gps.uw.edu/conference



ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GPSS meetings are every
other Wednesday @ 5:30 PM
in HUB 332**

Next Meeting | May 1

ADJOURNMENT

THANKS FOR COMING!

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