#### UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

## GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL STUDENT SENATE

February 6, 2019 | HUB 332



Let's Talk: 2-4 Thursday Mary Gates 134E

Crisis Clinic 866-427-4747

## CALL TO ORDER

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approval of Agenda
- 3. Approval of Minutes
- 4. Student Legal Services
- 5. Executive Senator Election
- 6. Upcoming Events
- 7. Graduate Arts Council
- 8. Diversity Committee Updates
- 9. Services & Activities Fee Breakout Session
- 10. SafeZone App
- 11. Elections Committee Update
- 12. President's Poll
- 13. Officer Reports
- 14. Announcements
- 15. Adjournment

## APPROVAL OF AGENDA

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## STUDENT LEGAL SERVICES

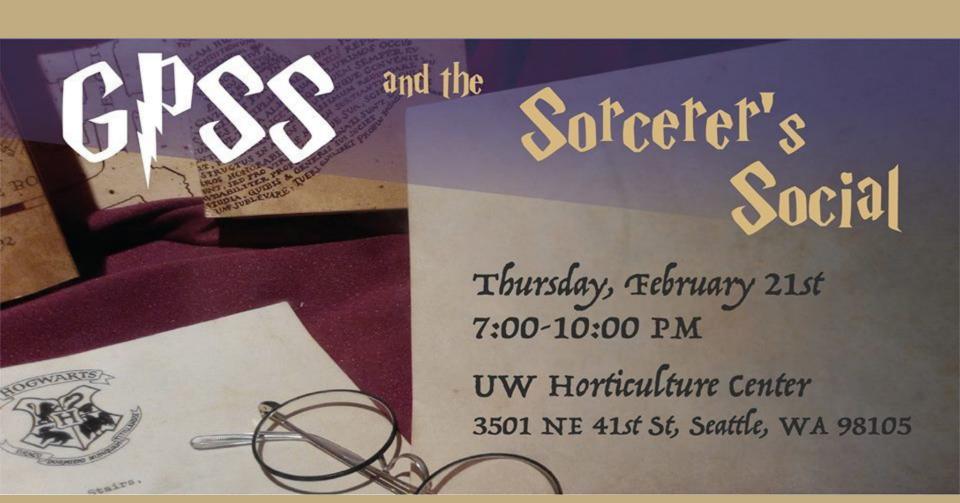
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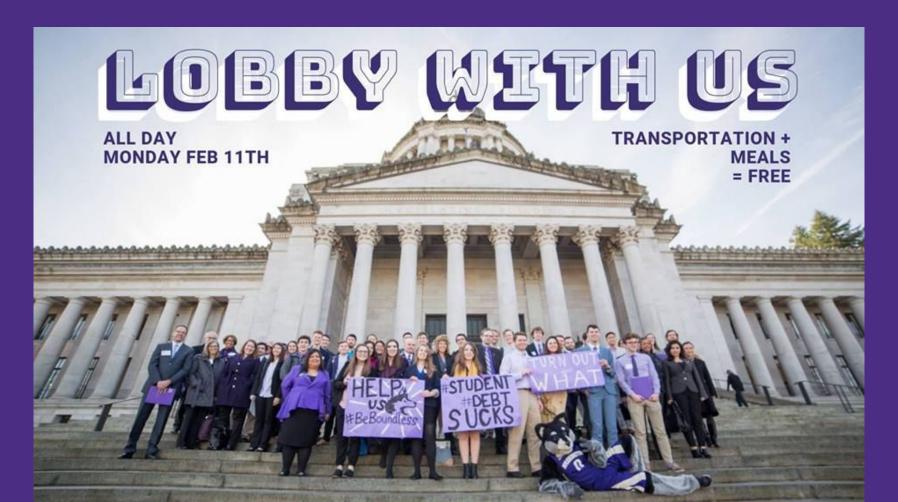
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## EXECUTIVE SENATOR ELECTION

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**



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## GRADUATE ARTS COUNCIL

#### **Programs**

The Department of Dance
The School of Music
The School of Drama
The School of Art + Art History + Design
The Center for Digital Arts and
Experimental Media - DXARTS

#### Mission

To bolster the presence of the arts on campus, and create opportunities for networking, communication, and collaboration between artists and scholars.

## GRADUATE ARTS COUNCIL

- Goals and reasonings
  - Create future cohesion between the graduate programs and the local arts community, otherwise isolated from students.
  - The current atmosphere of UW Arts Division has created isolated departments. This committee would allow graduate professionals to build bridges across campus.
  - This committee has been formed in order to address the current lack of communication and collaboration between arts programs on this campus.
  - Given the precarious nature of funding through sources such at the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) and National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) we think it's extremely important that artists and scholars are well organized and able to share resources
- First intended action items
  - Arts Networking Events
  - Building a website/digital network for promoting arts events and facilitating collaboration
  - Arts Career Fair
  - Campus and Community Arts Showcase and Symposium
- Preferred budget \$2000 which is commensurate with the funding of the Science and Policy Committee
- Officer structure Co-Chairs, Secretary, Treasurer

## DIVERSITY COMMITTEE UPDATES

## **Praxis Conference** 2019

Anti-Racist Pedagogy: Visions and Practices for Institutional Change

Friday, February 22 9:00am-3:00pm

Cascade Rooms, Haggett Hall University of Washington, Seattle Campus

#### For more information visit:

https://english.washington.edu/teaching/praxis -2019

## SERVICES & ACTIVITIES FEE (SAF) BREAKOUT SESSION

## WHAT IS SAF?

- Student fee for non-academic services
- Allocated by a 9 person committee each year, comprising 5 undergrad and 4 graduate representatives
- Budget of ~\$19 million annually
- SAF units
  - ASUW
  - O GPSS
  - Campus Sustainability Fund
  - Counseling Center
  - D Center
  - o ECC
  - Hall Health
  - Health and Wellness
  - The HUB
  - o Q Center
  - Student Legal Services
  - Student Parent Resource Center
  - UW Daily
  - STLP
  - Veteran Life
  - UW Rec
  - wəłəb?altxw Intellectual House

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

How can GPSS incorporate more representative student voices in the SAF decision-making process?

What process should GPSS use to appoint its representatives for next year?

How would you like to be informed about SAF related decisions and policy items?

## **UW SAFEZONE APP**

#### STAY SAFE ON UW SEATTLE CAMPUS

DOWNLOAD SAFEZONE - THE UWPD SAFETY APP



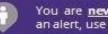
#### What is the UW Police Safety App?

SafeZone® uses the latest technology to put safety in the hands of the UW community by giving you direct access to the fastest safety assistance wherever you are.

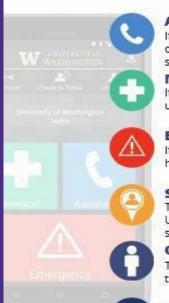
The app is available for all UW students, faculty and staff.

The UWPD Safety App is your portal to safety while you're at UW Seattle Campus





You are never tracked unless you send an alert, use the safety timer, or check in



#### Assistance

If you have general, non-emergency questions about campus safety services

#### Medical

If you or someone near you needs urgent medical help

#### Emergency

If you feel threatened, need urgent help or witness a crime in progress

#### **Safety Timer**

To voluntarily share your location with UW Police for a virtual guardian service on the UW Seattle campus

#### Check In

To voluntarily report your location to the UW Police while you're on campus

#### **Safety Resources**

To access safety information relevant to your time at UW



## ELECTIONS COMMITTEE UPDATE

Chair: Frances Chu (chuf@uw.edu)

## PRESIDENT'S POLL

### W Why did you become a GPSS senator?



## What are issues you have heard around campus concerning graduate students?

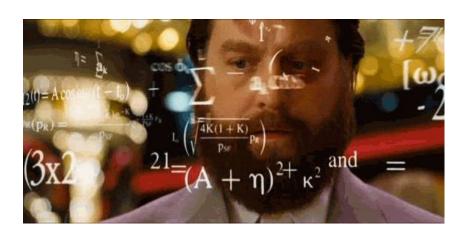
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## OFFICER REPORTS

### **TREASURER**

Robby Perkins-High

#### **BUDGET SEASON!!!!!**





### **SECRETARY**

**Amy Gabriel** 

#### NSLDC this weekend!

- National Student Leaders in Diversity Convention
- San Francisco, CA

#### Composition Survey Update

- Final editing
- Plan to distribute before 2/20

#### Judicial Committee Opening

- Need 1 more for quorum!
- Meets as-necessary

#### Resolutions 101



## Resolutions 101

Monday Meetings + Wednesday Workshops



[WEEKLY] Monday: 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Make an appointment with **Amy** to meet 1-on-1 and chat about your resolution idea! We can discuss topic, scope, research strategies, partnerships, audience, etc.

[SENATE WEEKS] Wednesday: 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Join **Giuliana** and your fellow senators to workshop ideas for resolutions! Brainstorm ideas together, connect with resolution sponsors, and get peer feedback on drafts.

# VICE PRESIDENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

Kelsey Hood

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**



## Session 2019

Progress on Our Priorities

#### Huskies on the Hill

- Training Friday, 2/8
- LOBBY DAY Monday, 2/11

#### **Graduate Student Loan Options**

- SSB 5774 State student loan refinancing program (testified in support)
- Meeting scheduled to discuss grad specific loans offered through the state

#### Mental Health and Wellness

- SB 5428 Student veterans mental health (testified in support)
- Working with the WSA for a statewide ask

#### Sexual Assault

 Working with an office to drop legislation addressing Title IX problems

#### Health Insurance

 SCI working on a resolution with an internal and external ask

#### VICE PRESIDENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

Sydney Pearce





What do you envision for the future of education?

<u>by Globant</u>

### **PRESIDENT**

Giuliana Conti



- Childcare
  - Are you a parent? gpssea@uw.edu
- ADA Accommodations
  - Sports and performances
- Administrative meetings
  - Dean Barnes of the Law school
  - Faculty Senate
- Academic Conference
- Graduate Fellowship Task Force
- Campus-wide financial census



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**Next Meeting** | February 20

## **ADJOURNMENT**

# THANKS FOR COMING!

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### W Have you registered for Huskies on the Hill?

