CALL TO ORDER
AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Officer Elections
5. Bystander Training Second Reading
6. Session Update
7. SAF Allocation Discussion
8. Executive Senator Vacancy
9. Upcoming Events
10. Executive Board Reports
11. Elections Results
12. Announcements
13. Adjournment
APPROVAL OF AGENDA
APPROVAL OF MINUTES
2019 - 2020
GPSS OFFICER ELECTIONS
PRESIDENT
GIULIANA CONTI
VICE PRESIDENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS
➢ IMPROVE STUDENT ENGAGEMENT AND REPRESENTATION

➢ ESTABLISH MORE CONSISTENT COMMUNICATION

➢ CONNECT STUDENTS TO THE UNIVERSITY AND THE RESOURCES THEY NEED
TAMMY SENIOR

1. IMPROVE STUDENT ACCESS TO RESOURCES
   - Graduate School Resource Fair
   - Mental Health Resources & Health Insurance

2. STUDENT FEEDBACK
   - Student Senate
   - Purposeful Department Surveys

3. INCREASE GPSS COMMUNICATION
   - New Website Maintenance
   - Social Media Campaign & Blog Upkeep
   - ASUW Collaboration

Experience. Passion. Resources.
VICE PRESIDENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
Objectives for next year

• Start immediately with the current VP of External Affairs to ensure a seamless transition

• Meet with 8 of the 17 ranking members of the House College & Workplace Development Committee over the summer, foster old relationships and build new ones

• Analyze UW Climate Survey results to inform our legislative agenda. Present the legislative agenda in early November to give us a valuable head start when the legislative session starts in January

• Examine Huskies on the Hill participant data to identify underrepresented student groups. Pinpoint barriers to participation and find solutions so more parents, students with disabilities, undocumented & international and trans and gender non-conforming folks are represented in our advocacy day.

Dean Allsopp for Vice President of External Affairs
Building relationships, empowering communities and speaking truth to power

Qualifications

○ Current Senator representing the Evans School of Public Policy
○ 2 years experience working in public education in Washington State
○ Lobbying efforts in Olympia, trained student advocates to use their voices
○ Policy Analysis as the Legislative Intern for Seattle Councilmember Deborah Juarez
○ Current member of the Evans Curriculum Advocacy Team, a collaboration of students and professors making progress towards an anti-racist pedagogical approach to public policy scholarship
Maggie Dunham Jordahl
Vice President of External Affairs

Priorities:

• Advocate for health care/mental health
• Create and advocacy for 2018-19 GPSS agenda
• Leverage an equity & diversity framework for decision-making

Processes:

• Summer – connect, engage, transition
• GPSS Legislative Agenda
• Leverage an equity & diversity framework for decision-making

Fall
• Olympia!

Summer
• connect, engage, transition

Winter
• Olympia!
Kenneth W. Rice
Candidate for Treasury

“Stability and Building Community”

Goals

- **Fiscal Transparency** – disclosing financial procedures, allocation of funds, and an open decision-making process.

- **Equity** – mirror our commitment to diversity and reach out to underrepresented departments about funding opportunities; travel grants and special allocation funds.

- **Inclusion** – improve inclusion on committees for underrepresented communities and departments; remove barriers to inclusion for student-parents.
Trevor Smith for GPSS Treasurer

Energetic, Approachable, Positive, Curious, Values-Driven
SECRETARY
- Grow the Diversity Committee Advisory Council to steer the Diversity Committee and Provide Accountability
  - Raise Student Awareness of the Diversity Committee and Advisory Council
  - Connect Departments and Programs with Relevant Diversity Resources
  - Foster Inclusion within the GPSS and Improve Accessibility
  - Support Current & Incoming GPSS Senators
**Student Engagement**
★ Increase engagement between senators, students, and GPSS  
  ○ Virtual engagement - recording meetings

**Diversity Committee**
★ Work with diversity leaders across campus  
  ○ Solidifying what “work” looks like

**Senate representation**
★ Continuing with creating non-academic seats
★ Increase department involvement with GPSS  
  ○ Focused efforts on reaching out to underrepresented departments

*How can Divcom promote its effort across the graduate school?*
Katsi Peña

• 1st year Evans Student
• Running for GPSS Secretary
SECOND READING:

Resolution in Support of Mandatory Bystander Training
WE DID IT!!!

- Awaiting the Governor’s Signature
  - Behavioral Health Innovation and Integration Campus (E2SHB 1593)
  - Workforce Education Investment (E2SHB 2158)
    - SLR
    - SNG (WA College Grant)
  - Religious Accommodations (SSB 5166)
  - Affordable Health Coverage (ESSB 5526)
  - Eliminating Barriers to Reproductive Health Care (2SSB 5602)

- The Fight Continues
  - Comprehensive Sex Education
  - Pursuing Mental and Behavioral Health Professions
  - Student Veterans Mental Health
  - Title IX Task Force
SAF Updates- IMA Pool & Locker Room Renovation
IMA Renovation- Funding Options

If completed from FY20 - 23, the project will cost ~$23M

1. Reserve Funded Only
2. Reserve Funded + IMA Fee Increase ($1-$3)
3. Reserve Funded + New Loan ($7?)
SAF Updates- 2020
Allocations

SAF Committee Website
Which funding option would you prefer for the IMA Pool Project?

Reserve funded only

Reserve funded & $1-3 fee increase

Reserve funded & new loan

I don't think this should be funded by SAF at this time.
Do you have any additional questions or comments on this project for SAF or UW Recreation?
Executive Senator
Vacancy
GPSS Upcoming Events

What do we say to being done with great GPSS events?
GPSS Upcoming Events

- Golfing with Grads
  - Friday, May 17 2:00-5:00
  - UW Golf Range

Visual approximation of Stephanie golfing
GPSS Upcoming Events

- Spring Sendoff
  - Friday, June 7th 2:00-5:00
  Sylvan Grove

Better graphic to come. Thanks, Robby
EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORTS
Upcoming Special Allocations Events
- **Polynesia Day** - May 3, 8a - 3p
- **Matsuri 2019** - May 4, 5p - 9
- **Micronesia Night** - May 11, 6p - 10
- **Night Market** - May 11, 5:30p - 10:30

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

SAF Budget Hearing last Friday
Still working with Rankin & Assoc. to develop survey

DivCom Advisory Council

Updating records for 2018-19

Transition docs
LAB Wants You!

Now that the 2019 session is over, the Legislative Advisory Board is gathering input for the 2020 legislative agenda. Weekly meetings are held on Wednesday from 1-2 in HUB 314. If you have a conflict but still want to participate contact gpsspol@uw.edu.

Upcoming Memos

- Officer and Staff Conference Travel Costs
- Graduate Student Lobby Day 2020
VP Internal

Sydney Pearce
ELECTIONS RESULTS
ANNOUNCEMENTS
GPSS meetings are every other Wednesday @ 5:30 PM in HUB 332

Next Meeting  |  May 15
ADJOURNMENT
THANKS FOR COMING!

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