

Graduate School Student Council

8/31/2021, 11:00 AM. Virtual meeting on Google Meet

Attendance: Ana Mejia-Bautista, Sofia Tortora, Joao Moreira, Sailee Chavan
GSSC members met virtually to plan orientation events for new incoming students

Call to order: Ana Mejia-Bautista called the meeting to order at 11:00 AM

Motion: The Graduate Council discussed a total of 5 Orientation events for the month of September (one event per week). First four events specifically planned for the new incoming students. Last event will be a communal event that will include current and new students.

Motion was moved by Ana Mejia-Bautista and seconded by Sofia Tortora

Motion: First event: Orientation day followed by Block party organized by the Student Council.
Our new students along with the Student Council members will get together for a Happy Hour dinner.

Motion was moved Ana Mejia-Bautista and seconded by Joao Moreira

Motion: Second event: Activity Fair followed by dinner at Dinosaur Bar-B-Que. Students will meet at Downstate or meet SGGS members directly at the restaurant.

Motion was moved by Sofia Tortora and seconded by Ana Mejia-Bautista

Motion: Third event – Late lunch at Chavela's followed by Paint night hosted by Student Council at Downstate.

Motion was moved by Sofia Tortora and seconded by Joao Moreira

Motion: Fourth event – Dinner with new students. Restaurant TBD

Motion was moved by Joao Moreira and Seconded by Ana Mejia-Bautista

Motion: Fifth event – Picnic at Brooklyn Bridge with all the students (new and current PhD students) starting at 4:00 PM.

Motion was moved by Ana Mejia-Bautista and Seconded by Sofia Tortora

Adjournment: Ana Mejia-Bautista adjourned the meeting at 12:30 PM.

Motion was carried unanimously.

Secretary Signature:

