

GSSC Meeting Minutes February 2025

Graduate School Student Council Meeting

02/12/2025 1:00 PM. Graduate Student Lounge BSB 3-114B

Attendance: Riley Morrone (President), Scott McElroy (Vice President), Syamantak Mukherjee (Secretary), and Molly Leitner (Treasurer)

GSSC members met to plan our upcoming meeting with the Dean of Graduate Studies and plan the upcoming meeting with the Graduate School Administrative staff and December graduate school events.

Call to order: Riley Morrone called the meeting to order at 1pm.

Motion: Riley Morrone moved to discuss the agenda for the meeting with the Dean of Graduate Studies. Motion seconded by Molly Leitner. We will speak to the administration regarding updates on the pre-existing payroll issues being faced by many graduate students. We will also be discussing the budget issues we are facing with the Office of Student Life for which Adam Burgman has offered to help. We will also have a conversation regarding the MD/PhD program and its admission and faculty committee. We would also speak to the administration about our concerns regarding federal funding. We will also discuss the logistics of Annual Research Day.

Motion: Molly Leitner moved to discuss special events for the School of Graduate Studies. Motion seconded by Scott McElroy. Motion unanimously approved. We did not host any event last month owing to the aforementioned budget issues. Motion unanimously approved.

Motion: Riley Morrone moved to discuss the March event for graduate school students. Seconded by Syamantak Mukherjee. Due to budget issues, we will not be hosting any event for the month of March. Motion unanimously approved.

Adjournment: Riley Morrone adjourned the meeting at 2pm.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Syamantak Mukherjee". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Secretary Signature