




GSO EC Meeting Minutes 2023-2024
July 14, 2023
Meeting @ 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Present:

- President: Adithya Muralli
- Vice President: Stephanie Torres
- Treasurer: Disha Ghoshal
- Secretary: David O'Donoghue
- Speaker of the Senate: Robert Wadolowski

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 4:32 PM

Points to be discussed:

- Approval of Minutes:
 -  EC_Meeting_Minutes_06-02-2023
 - *Minutes approved without objection.*
- Reimbursement Issues and Reform
 - *Vice President Stephanie Torres is working with GSO Controller Connie Thomas and Treasurer Disha Gosha to create a proposal for reimbursement reform. This will include simplifying and clarifying the language of applications and reviewing funding lines.*
 - *The Executive Committee specifically considered changes that could be made to the Fitness and Recreation funding line, including:*
 - *Providing group fitness programs instead of offering individual reimbursements*
 - *Continuing to offer fitness center memberships, but on a first-come, first-served basis.*
 - *Capping fitness reimbursement at \$100 per student, which, given the budget, would make this available to 300 students.*
 - *The EC also considered relocating funds that are currently allocated to reimbursement lines to other areas of the GSO budget, including Productions.*
 - *The Executive Committee considered ways to ensure that Professional Development Funds were not being abused, specifically focusing on:*
 - *Ensuring that PDF funds are used for relevant expenses.*


- *The EC agreed to invite Monique de la Beij to future EC meetings.*
- Email use policy
 - *President Muralli reminded the EC to always “reply all” when replying to emails where the President is copied.*
 - *President Muralli also asked the EC to copy him on all important emails sent to university staff.*

Updates:

President:

- Media GSO, ISA stipends updated to \$5000 for academic year 23-24
 - These stipends were approved in the budget.
- GSA (Alexandra) removed from payroll, Graduate school will take over this position
- Interviewing candidates for Administrative Manager position

Vice President:

- Proposed changes for recruitment
 -  Proposal for changes to the existing reimbursement process
 - Collaborating Connie and Disha to reform the process.
- Updates on clean up for the GSO office
 - Shelves are built in the lounge closet.
 - Production supplies and decorations have been moved to lounge storage.
 - Monique is still sorting office supplies.
 - Aiming for the final date to be August 1st.
 - Will send pictures

Treasurer:

- None.

Secretary:

- Emailing current Senators about continuation.
- Will begin recertifying or electing senators for 2023-2024.

Speaker:

- Working on census with Monique/FSA
- Upcoming DTA committee for spring applicants - updating rubric, will hopefully announce winners in a month or so

Meeting Adjourned at 5:52 PM