



Graduate Student Senate
General Assembly Meeting
Agenda
November 5, 2019

The University of Iowa
Graduate College
205 Gilmore Hall
Iowa City, IA 52241
(319) 335-3260

1. **Call to Order General Assembly Meeting—6:00pm** – Peter Miller
2. **Introduction of Senators** (2 mins.)
3. **Graduate College Update** – Dean Keller (5 mins.)
4. **Presentation by UI Collegiate Recovery Program** – Karen Grajczyk (10 mins.)
5. **Reports**
 - a. **President Report** – Christian Bako (5 mins.)
 - i. Graduate College Strategic Plan, SWOT matrix activity @ next meeting
 - ii. Committee work / standard operating procedure (SOP) documents
 - iii. GSS Cortado Coffee Hour & AMS/GSS Coffee Break
 - b. **Other officer reports** (5 mins.)
 - c. **COGS Report** – Rachel Maller (2 min.)
 - d. **GPSG Delegates Report** – (3 mins.)
6. **Old Business**
 - a. **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes** (1 min.) – Christian Bako
7. **New Business**
 - a. **New Social Media Manager Position** – Christian Bako (5 mins.)
 - b. **Food at Exams and Committees Resolution** – Ellen Kiser (2 mins.)
 - c. **Office of Outreach and Engagement Resolution** – Caroline Cheung (2 mins.)
8. **Committee Meetings** – (10 mins.)
9. **Adjournment** – 7:00 PM

Announcements

- a. **Next Travel Funds Application Deadline – November 8th**
 - i. The next [GSS Travel Fund application](#) deadline is Nov. 8, 2019 by 11:59 PM. This round of applications is for conferences occurring between October 1, 2019 and January 1, 2020.
- b. **Future Travel Funds Application Deadline – January 17th**
 - i. After November 8, the next [GSS Travel Fund application](#) deadline is Jan. 8, 2020 by 11:59 PM. This round of applications is for conferences occurring between November 1, 2019 and February 29, 2020.
- c. **Next General Assembly Meeting – Tuesday, December 3, 2019**
 - i. The next Graduate Student Senate general assembly meeting will take place on Tuesday, December 3rd, 2019 from 6:00-7:00PM at the Old Capital Mall conference center (UCC-2520D).
- d. **GSS Cortado Coffee Hour**
 - i. Do you like coffee? Do you like cookies? Do you like meeting graduate students from other departments? If so, please join GSS at Cortado Coffee & Café (26 S. Clinton Street) for a series of weekly “coffee-breaks” for ALL graduate students. Coffee and cookies will be available for free from 2:30-3:30 on alternating Tuesdays and Wednesdays during the Fall semester. Next coffee hour is scheduled for Tuesday, November 12th from 2:30 to 3:30. Please share our [Facebook event\(s\)](#)!
- e. **AMS/GSS Coffee Break**
 - i. GSS is now partnering with the Association of Multicultural Scientists (AMS) to host a weekly coffee break. This event happens each week on Tuesday at 10:00 A.M. in MERF 3112 on the west side of the river. Coffee, doughnuts, and fruit will be available. Everyone is welcome, come and go as needed!



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2019-2020 Graduate Student Senate
Roster of Elected Positions

Executive Officers:

President	Christian Bako	christian-bako@uiowa.edu
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Christian Bako	christian-bako@uiowa.edu

Webmaster:

Sarah Kelly	sarah-m-kelly@uiowa.edu
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Roster of Appointed Positions

Committee Chairs:

Graduate Success Committee		
Graduate Teaching Committee		
International Students Committee	Anup Poudel	anup-poudel@uiowa.edu
Jakobsen Conference Committee	Evan Krasner	evan-krasner@uiowa.edu
Service and Social Committee		
Travel Funds Committee	Jennie Liu	yujia-liu@uiowa.edu