

**GSBA All Staff Meeting**  
**16 Nov 2017 | 8pm**  
**Loyola Dining Room**

- I. Roll Call (2 Minutes)
  - a. Lauren, Seth, Brad, Kyzyl, and Athena absent
- II. Words of Affirmation (2 Minutes)
  - a. WoA Box
    - i. In the office – USE IT!
  - b. Emma has been working hard on several events
    - i. Emma’s event was very well organized
  - c. Caitlin working hard and has a lot on her plate
  - d. Ryan responds to email in 2 seconds
  - e. Char and Lauren for the sexual assault/violence video
  - f. Brad brought Ryan cheese-its
  - g. Ryan Meza; being welcoming
  - h. Dani holding everyone accountable
  - i. Ryan Meza and Kyz for emails and videos
  - j. Joey for always having his door open and for being available
  - k. Alice giving Rani candy every 1:1
  - l. Alice and Connor; 1:1 at FroYo
  - m. Alice for taking Christina, Brady and Madison to NACA
- III. President’s Update (2 Minutes)
  - a. Professional Development Fund
    - i. If someone wanted to apply for conference/buy a suit, they can get funding (also for MCAT, LSAT, etc.). University was on board! Hoping for at least \$150,000 for 150 students to use next year.
  - b. Trustee/Regents Meeting
    - i. December 7<sup>th</sup>, Thursday. Overall student affairs and different issues, particularly regarding diversity and inclusion. A lack of understanding on the trustee/regents level, so giving speech to help paint the image of issues on our campus.
  - c. Spokane Gives
    - i. Meeting with Spokane mayor this weeks. Wants to make it a competitive, compassionate city. Logan clean-up typically, but we are open to more ideas for what our service project for Gonzaga is. Any ideas for a large-scale service event! Report in January for what that is going to look like.
  - d. GSBA Reconfiguration
    - i. Introducing a new cabinet level position; Director of Health and Safety. We have done a lot of programming for Title IX, but this doesn’t fall under Lauren’s by-laws so should we add this position to continue to develop.
    - ii. Possibly reconfiguring how Senate works. As it operates now – elected by class issues. Might not be the most effective model! Potentially changing that model to incorporate senators based on issue area; remove class senators but senators regarding diversity and inclusion, sustainability,

health and safety, etc. That way, they can campaign on issues that they care about. Will also incentivize people to run! Start the change and mesh the branches of GSBA.

IV. Cabinet Updates (15 Minutes)

a. Vice President

i. Class Reps:

1. Jordan has a Second Harvest Volunteer Event on December 9. Sign up for a shift if you want via the GSBA Facebook page!
2. Kyz and Ryan are planning a Winter Wonderland event, and they are trying to make it educational too.

ii. I pledge video

1. We are thrilled to have filmed over 50 students, faculty, and administrators. We hope this video has instilled a sense of belonging amongst survivors and allies on campus.

iii. Moving forward: I am currently helping senate draft a permanent executive appointed position, titled the "Health and Safety Director."

iv. I'm also trying to see if Sodexo would be open to having Bulldog bucks work for Uber! This would help promote safety on campus especially for students who are at risk at night in the Logan Neighborhood.

b. Speaker of the Senate

i. Health and Safety committee working with Emma

ii. John Wheeler met with Marlin today to talk about a variety of housing issues.

iii. Governance will start creating a plan with an exec staff member as the chair for each committee.

iv. Program to link senior/junior nursing students with freshman/sophomore students.

c. Treasurer

d. Chief of Staff

i. Updates – polos for new members in tomorrow afternoon. Nametags should be in anytime?

ii. Planning winter retreat. Estimated 11am-5pm in the Wolff Auditorium, 1/27 mark your calendars. Thinking about a fun event afterward; snow tubing vs. ice skating.

iii. Highway cleanup → another service event, possibly working with local high school student government/ASB

iv. Appointed position: elections commissioner and business senator position. So far 0 applications, but hoping to get a few by tomorrow.

v. As I have a lot remaining in the budget for office morale, think it would be fun to have a holiday party or secret santa. More info to come on that, let me know if you have ideas.

V. Director of Finance

a. Kim is sending clubs to Sam to discuss \$\$

b. Change in legislation

VI. Director of Campus Events

- a. NACA (National Association College Activities) last weekend; found new performers for coffeehouse!
  - b. Need volunteers for Second City (an improv group from Chicago; a comedy show) – sending out an excel sheet/doodle.
- VII. Director of Diversity & Inclusion
- a. Shout out to Emma for two events in a row.
  - b. Event on masculinity; senators and exec staff working together!
  - c. Diversity monologues committee; applications open now. A part of diversity week (March 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>; lecture, diversity screening, diversity monologues, movie showing, cross-cultural Olympics, day of service)
- VIII. Director of Clubs & Organizations
- a. Seth; working on outdoor basketball courts on campus (looking into old documents)
  - b. Possibly changing Seth's position (by-laws)
  - c. 9 clubs approved first cycle, 4 people applied second cycle
- IX. Director of Communications
- a. Comm. squad is thriving; second city promotion
  - b. Char finished video which was wonderful!
  - c. Sander working on updating computers
  - d. Off-campus meeting pushed back to next month
- X. Advisor Updates
- a. Alice
    - i. Keep personal conversations appropriate
    - ii. LaRena is out tomorrow
    - iii. Signature line for everyone's by-laws; due December 1<sup>st</sup> (first strike if not)
  - b. Joey
    - i. Z-core apps due tomorrow at midnight
    - ii. Spike Nites tomorrow is a blanket/indoor camping
    - iii. Printers are only for work
    - iv. Accessible to study for finals, however must leave when custodial asks you to leave
    - v. Two new staff members; Ashley Seick (club accountant), Matthew Baker (club coordinator, advising class reps)
- XI. General GSBA Updates
- a. Anna; just finished second green fund cycle. All day conference on 12/1!
    - i. Funded another group looking into new prototype for sustainable energy on campus.
    - ii. New email; monthly students will be getting a sustainability newsletter.
    - iii. Working on project to eliminate use of disposable plastics in zag dining.
  - b. Ryan M.
    - i. Anna emailed John Wheeler about distributing water bottles to RA's to track down their residents. Caitlin and Ryan also going to put them in storage unit.
  - c. Weekend Events
    - i. Roller-skating 10pm-midnight this Saturday, transportation providing
    - ii. Purchasing 50 tickets to a play! Talk about how they want to advertise it.

- iii. Candlelight concert put on by GU concert. Buying a bunch of tickets for students! 12/1
    - iv. Pajama Part-Tea 12/9
  - d. Ryan N.
    - i. Social media campaign
    - ii. Events to engage students
  - e. Char
    - i. Matthew and Char serving on cabinet to find new administration on presidents cabinet
  - f. Emma
    - i. 30% students report hearing biased incidents/microaggressions. Organizing event next semester with a member of res life: calling in vs. calling out.
- XII. Campus Climate Survey (5 Minutes)
  - a. Anna
    - i. Asked to speak at Washington/Oregon sustainability conference to incorporate social justice and sustainability (intersectionality)
    - ii. Try to add social justice component to green fund.
  - b. Sam
    - i. Teachers on campus are happier on tenure then those who are not.
  - c. Caitlin
    - i. Show faculty we care somehow at Winter Retreat
  - d. Rani
    - i. How are we targeting people who are on the margins? GSBA stands for Gonzaga Student Body Association; supposed to represent everyone. What are we doing and what can we do better.
    - ii. In Campus Climate committee. Having focus groups to talk about next steps and solutions. Send excel sheet in weekly update.
  - e. Emma
    - i. 30% have received exclusionary conduct. Rani and Athena are being inclusive of all identities on campus. Sometimes, we may have a blind spot with political views.
  - f. Carlo
    - i. We are servants to greater GU population. Read through the survey to identify how you in your role can serve others. Still can cultivate a sense of belonging on this campus.
- XIII. Topics of Concern
- XIV. Role as student leaders
  - i. Expectations Contract (5 Minutes)
    - 1. First three months: good!
    - 2. Improvement: office hours, deadlines with EOM reports, more inclusive as a branch with senators (winter retreat).
    - 3. Good things; good publicity, staying within budget for the most part, good communication/functioning well as a team, successful events
- XV. Goal Check-Ins (10 Minutes)

- XVI. Looking Forward (5 Minutes)
  - a. About 3 weeks left in semester. Elections for next GSBA held in February; only a couple months left in our roles. How can we efficiently use time left in our roles.
- XVII. Hot Goss/Rumor Mill (5 Minutes)
  - a. SubCo is closing at end of school year
    - i. No more cookie night 😞
    - ii. Might do swipe per station
- XVIII. Adjournment
  - a. 9:10pm