



## Senate Minutes

GSBA Senate  
April 16th, 2018

- I. Roll Call
- II. Approve Minutes – Rafa moves to approve the minutes, Jack seconds, majority in favor, minutes approved
- III. Approve Agenda – Rafa moves to approve the agenda, Liz seconds, majority in favor, agenda approved
- IV. Open Forum
- V. New Business
  - A. Professional Development Grant By-Laws
    - Adds appointing people to professional development grant committee as a responsibility of the president
    - Liv moves to make the first reading the final reading, Rafa seconds, majority in favor, first reading is final reading
    - Trent moves to call to question, Rafa seconds, majority in favor, voting begins, majority in favor, bill passed
- VI. University/Executive Report
  - A. President
    - Regents meeting
      - happy with GSBA's work this year
      - Wondered about low voter turnout
    - Presented to all regents – explained professional development grant; gathered more donations
  - B. Vice President
    - Logan Neighborhood cleanup 4/21 from 8-1; breakfast in Hemm from 8-9 & lunch from 12-1; Link: [www.gonzaga.edu/zvc](http://www.gonzaga.edu/zvc) sign up! Be there!
- VII. Committee Reports
  - A. Finance – approved requests
    - SPLC – for posters and stickers for Lisa brown talk
    - Men's ultimate frisbee – sectional tournament travel costs funded at 25% because asked for funding after purchase
    - A sigma phi
    - GEO to have Zagin Wagon open during event
  - B. Governance – clarifying requirements for class cabinet meetings
  - C. Health and Safety – Sexual assault awareness week; went to at least 1 event instead of committee meetings
  - D. Student Development

- Be Heard – 4/16 asked about a Gonzaga app
- Next week – 4/25 check if it's your week to table

#### E. Academic

- Met w/associate dean of business school - moving forward to work on student advising system for freshmen and sophomores to create more guidance opportunities
- Academic integrity policy – debate on potential consequences for student that was plagiarized from; Should this student be punished?
  - No defined language or consequence for person plagiarized from
  - Tough part is you think that they might be giving ideas or inspiration and don't realize that people are plagiarizing
  - Should be able to collaborate on some assignments
  - Should be some language that discourages because there can be obvious circumstances
  - If malice involved, then bad. if trying to give guidance and someone cheats, intentions were good, shouldn't be punished
  - Might feel pressured to give papers/assignments to others
  - Helping everyone grow, sharing ideas, too harsh of a policy will discourage collaboration and learning from others
  - Have policy that distinguishes between types of assignments
  - Some assignments the answers will be shared because someone needs help figuring out how to do a problem
  - For math how do you know if anyone cheats because all need the same answers
  - There will be an investigation into these incidents but where to draw the line between what is malice and what is not
  - Go after the copier, not the original writer/student
  - People will often discuss questions then write similar answers but do their own work
  - If people can't prepare for all possible test prompts alone, then there's a lot of work for one person
  - Professors often encourage working together and splitting up questions
  - Intentions matter
  - Have professors be clear about when to work together and when to work alone
  - Purpose of policy – to make policies more uniform
  - What are other Jesuit schools doing?

#### VIII. Announcements

- Lisa Brown - 4/25 in Wolff @ 8PM, put on by SPLC
- Jazz Concert – 4/22 in Hemm from 2-3PM

IX. Adjournment – Braxton moves to adjourn, Liz seconds, majority in favor, meeting adjourned

## Attendance

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>4/16/18</u> <u>(P/NP)</u>
Braxton Difuntorum	On-Campus Senator	P
Gabriella Hanselman	On-Campus Senator	P
Ebbisa Endale	Off-Campus Senator	P
Olivia Moorer	Off-Campus Senator	P
Nhan Ta	International Senator	P
Scott Peltomaa	TVRAS Senator	NP
Olivia Asato	Arts & Sciences Senator	P
Sophia Troeh	Arts & Sciences Senator	P
Ben Shenk	Education Senator	NP
Michael Janney	School of Business Senator	P
Isabelle Lada	Nursing & Human Physiology Senator	P
Trent Smiley	Freshman Senator	P
Marlin Jones	Freshman Senator	NP
August Corppetts	Freshman Senator	NP
Madison Schultz	Sophomore Senator	P
Tess Allen	Sophomore Senator	NP
Giulianna Pendleton	Sophomore Senator	P
JamesDaniel Valle	Junior Senator	P
Elizabeth Van Drimmelen	Junior Senator	P
Kate Bredenberg	Junior Senator	P
Rafael Castellanos-Welsh	Senior Senator	P
Jack Hurley	Senior Senator	P
Aizley Hansen	Senior Senator	P