



PRESIDENT REPORT (Christopher Carroll)

- New GSAC (Sara Perz-Hintz) and TDI reps
- GSC General Council: Dept. representative nominations now open
 - Nomination form on the GSC homepage. Please run.
 - Next academic year should be very active, more worthwhile involvement. Please nominate new people, first years, yourselves.
- Funding Requests
 - 3rd Annual Celebration of Biomedical Research at Dartmouth Poster Session
 - Open to graduate students, postdoc, and faculty to provide idea of the extent of research at Dartmouth. Oct 26th, joint event by various departments across Dartmouth. Concern for the amount (asking for \$1000).
 - Motion to amend to \$500 (3 abstaining, 17 for, 0 opposed). Passed
 - Fund 500 (2 abstaining, 18 for, 0 opposed). Passed.
 - Graduate Soccer Club: Fall Recreational Event
 - Have ~30 active members. Was not able to send in block funding (asking for \$500).
 - Motion to amend amount to 300 (concern regarding lack of detailed plan)
 - Motion to amend amendment, to ask for end-of-term event (2 abstain, 18 for, 0 opposed). Passed.
 - Amended amendment \$300, with request for end-of-term report. (1 abstain, 19 for, 0 opposed). Passed.
 - Diwali –Hindu Festival of Lights
 - 4-part program. Requesting \$400 to cover the requests. (0 abstain, 20 for, 0 opposed). Passed.
- Thank you from the GSC Exec to all outgoing general council members!

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT (Patrick Bedard)

- Department Reps - Please update your graduate students on the future of housing @ Dartmouth.
 - Send any housing concerns or anecdotes to gsc.vp@dartmouth.edu.
- Part-time Students / Student-Employees - Upcoming community resources survey, potential for Student Life Committee involvement.
 - Send any concerns or anecdotes to gsc.vp@dartmouth.edu
- Formation of Ad-Hoc Committees - if interested, make sure to run for a Dept Rep spot!
 - * Graduate Student Housing Advisory Ad-Hoc Committee
Need to be a driving force.
 - * North Park Alternative Transpiration Ad-Hoc Committee
People want better transportation, look if can have student-run service.
 - * Graduate Student Organization Resources Ad-Hoc Committee
Taking more formal approach, communication with the administration.

COMMUNICATIONS REPORT (Dong Woo Shin)

- Approve meeting minutes for Sep (20 for, 0 against, 0 abstain). Passed.

FINANCE CHAIR REPORT (Katharine von Herrmann)

- Block Funding; their requests were over-looked. Moving \$2000 from buffer money.
 - Epicurean Society, request \$1000. (20 for, 0 abstain, 0 against)
 - Dartmouth Agility Club, request \$1000. (18 for, 0 abstain, 2 against)
- Finance Report
 - September total \$5337.69 spent, account balance \$80,428.37
 - Grad office determines the rate for annual activity fees.

ACADEMIC CHAIR REPORT (Analisa Goodmann)

- Date of ID Tea hosted by Department of Physics and Astronomy will be October 25 from 1:00-3:00 in the atrium of Wilder Hall (PandA)!
 - Laid-back event for the community, learn about the hosting department, and start inter-disciplinary discussions.
- N3RD N!T3 on October 19 from 7:30-9:30 in the GRAD Lounge.
- Upcoming library events
 - Managing professional identity online, on Oct 25, 11-12p. Black Visual Arts 301.
 - Tools about copyright Oct 26, 2:30-3:30p

SERVICE CHAIR REPORT (Sally Demirdjian)

- LISTEN Lebanon: Oct 14 (Sat)
 - Need 5-6 volunteers, 10AM-1PM
 - Sort through donations and help with organizing
 - Breakfast will be provided
- Haven Dinner, White River Junction: Oct 17 (Tue)
 - 5-6 volunteers, carpooling.
 - Dinner prep starts 4:30PM, served at 6:30PM. Time commitment about 2 hours.
 - Dinner for 25 people + volunteers
- Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF:
 - Donate money, department rep volunteers needed
 - Boxes at check-in for Halloween Dance (Oct 28), depending on department. Tally after event.
 - Department with most donations wins free social (\$150)

STUDENT LIFE CHAIR REPORT (Eileen Martinez)

- Let's Chat! Date: Nov. 16th @ the graduate student lounge starting at 6pm. Food and drinks provided.
 - Come talk to other grad students across all disciplines. Social event afterward.
 - Theme, suggestions? Email Eileen.

SOCIAL CHAIR REPORT (Bryan Neumann, Colin Sheehan)

- Thank you for a successful Fall Semi-Formal
- Stats of the Fall Semi-Formal
- Halloween Dance Saturday, Oct 28th @ 1953 Commons time TBD

- Attendance by program affiliation. 210 bands given out. 106 affiliations.
- Med school: reluctant to provide funds for co-sponsored event (Halloween dance).
- GSC banner?
- New spring event: “around-the-world”, with different cultural groups.

GRADUATE STUDENT ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR REPORT (Sara Perz-Hintz)

- Any ideas? Let Sara know!
- OCT EVENTS:
 - Apple picking, cohosted. Sat 10/7
 - Candelight yoga, grad lounge. Register via FB Tue 10/17
 - Haunted Corn Maze, Riverview Sun 10/29, 7:30-9p.
- NOV EVENTS:
 - Comedy night at Grad lounge
 - Green drinks (sustainability)
 - White River Junction Foodie Walking Tour
 - DIY Spa Products Night at Grad lounge (11/9) limited to 40.
- IDEAS for Nov/Dec Events:
 - Wreath making
 - Goal setting workshop
 - Salsa workshop/dance night

GRADUATE HOUSING ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR REPORT (Rachel Borg)

- Apple Picking at Poverty Lane
 - Sat. October 7th @ 1pm
 - Meeting at Maynard Lot for carpool
 - First bag of apples on us!!
- Grad Soccer Game
 - Food & Beer to follow
 - Tues. October 10th @ 5:30pm
 - Sachem Fields

GRADUATE STUDIES (Kerry Landers)

- N/A

FLOOR

- GWISE planning to have an all-female conference event, looking for 7-10 people to be a committee and arrange this.