

**Graduate Student Association  
Monthly Meeting Minutes  
March 1, 2019: Noon-1:00PM  
UC River Room (300)**

- I. Welcome by President.
- II. Roll Call: E-Check In at <https://tinyurl.com/GSAeCheckin>
  - a. General Assembly Members Present: Courtney Peters, Joacy Mathias, Punit Kedia, Tristan Sweatt, Darien Sproesser, Aashis Sapkota
  - b. Executive Board Members Present: Mahbubul Hasan, Maurice Goldstein, Jennifer Tatara
- III. Introductions and approval of February meeting minutes.
- IV. Presentations from the GSA Officers

**GSA President, Mahbubul Hasan**

  - a. Presented and discussed the GSA Survey outcomes
  - b. Discussed Student Research Forum March 25
  - c. Discussed Graduate Education Week and GSA Interdisciplinary Research Roundtable on March 27
  - d. Provided an update on GSA Professional Development Seminars
  - e. Discussed ideas for GSA commencement for graduation
  - f. Conferred about IJM speaker and fundraising for upcoming hearing
  - g. Advised to apply for Summer 2019 travel grants

**GSA Vice-President, Aubrey Toldi (Presented by Mahbubul Hasan)**

  - a. Green committee: advised to look out for an email.

**GSA Treasurer, Maurice Goldstein**

  - a. Presented ideas for fundraising
  - b. Discussed potential ideas to apply for Student Event allocation (SEA) funding for Fall 2019
  - c. Discussed possible social events: murder mystery, board games, etc.

**GSA Parliamentarian, Monica Bester (Presented by Mahbubul Hasan)**

  - a. Previous meeting minutes were approved

**GSA Secretary, Jennifer Tatara**

  - a. Went over and received feedback on voting guidelines for GSA student of the month
  - b. Asked for GSA student of the month nominations to be emailed by 3/25
- V. SGA Update - Maurice Goldstein
  - a. Tristan Sweatt discussed SGA updates and upcoming events
- VI. Guests
  - a. Tristan Sweatt from SGA discussed previous meeting outcomes and upcoming events

- b. Punit Kedia discussed the upcoming Lightning Talks event during Graduate Education Week

VII. Announcements

- a. GSA Election Commissioner for GSA 2019-2020 upcoming election
- b. GSA Volunteer Registration Form Due 3/15
- c. The monthly meetings for all college representatives are mandatory.
- d. Please share the meeting flyers with respective departments through social media pages and networks.
- e. Sign up for sub committees at <https://tinyurl.com/GSAuofmsurvey2019>
- f. The next GSA full meeting is April 4<sup>st</sup> at Garibaldi's pizza at 12pm-1pm.

VIII. End of the Meeting