Graduate Student Government Meeting Minutes

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GSG Meeting 5/1/2019

Time meeting was called to order: 12:01 P.M

Approval of meeting minutes 4/17/2019 Approved by majority

Amendment to the GSG constitution:

- For increased accuracy of representation by senators, wordings; program or graduate program will be replaced with unit or degree offering unit as utilized by the graduate school
- Total number of senators may increase and for some units number of representing senators may decrease based on the number of students represented per unit
- There is also a change in section 3 where there is a change in how an unit’s representative is appointed

Amendment to constitution Vote:

- A voting was carried out to amend the constitution of the GSG, 22 senators voted yes while 1 abstained. A copy of this shall be attached.

President:

- The president discussed about moving future GSG senate meetings starting fall 2019 to the Memorial Union citing its central location and ease of attending for all graduate students
- Due to absence of some committee members in committee meetings, due to timing issues the president recommended the use of zoom for meetings if a member is unable to be there physically
- The interest from the quasi fund which is an investment established through an endowment was planned to be used to fund activities by the GSG

GSG Spring 2019 Grants:

- There was an increase in the total number of proposals that was funded 70% and 100%
- Past grants officer Michael Wilczek will be volunteering for the summer
• Expense reports are due by May 31st
• There have also been plans to make grants electronic due to the lack of grant readers

Treasurer: 
N/A

Secretary:
N/A

OPD officer:
N/A

Vice President:
N/A

Grants officer:
N/A

Meeting Adjourned: 12:58 P.M