



Graduate Student Council Meeting Minutes

1005 Student Center

12pm, 8/30/04

1. Nominations for Secretary and Treasurer positions

- a. Kevin McIntire read duties and responsibilities of each position as stated in the GSC bylaws (<http://www.kumc.edu/student/GSC/Bylaws.htm>)
- b. Secretary (Article IV, Section 6) – Eric Vidoni nominated himself for the secretary position

- i. Alan Zidek made a motion to vote Eric Vidoni into office; Christina Newport seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed

- c. Treasurer (Article IV, Section 7) – Neal Alcalay nominated himself for the position of treasurer

- i. Alan Zidek made a motion to vote Neal Alcalay into office; Erica Perryn seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed

2. Library committee

- a. Karen Cole was not present
- b. Kevin McIntire described some of the major functions and focus of the committee last year and this year
 - i. Library/ITC integration
 - ii. Selection of new/online journals
 - iii. Addressing on-line access issues
 - iv. Each basic science department will have their own library liaison

- c. Christina Newport and Shweta Parab volunteered to be on the committee for the 2004-2005 school year

2. Community Outreach committee

- a. Kevin McIntire read from Article IV, Section 9 of the GSC bylaws in describing the committee

- b. Two primary focuses are looking for funding for philanthropic organizations and finding volunteers for different philanthropic projects.
 - c. Ramsey McIntire (rmcintire@kumc.edu) is chair of this committee for the 2004-2005 school year
7. Selection of departmental representatives
- a. Anatomy – Neal Alcalay
 - b. Biochemistry – TBD
 - c. Pharmacology/toxicology – TBD
 - d. Microbiology – Jessica Kueker
 - e. Physiology – TBD
 - f. Pathology – TBD
 - g. IGPBS – TBD
 - h. Preventative Medicine – Natalie Reed
 - i. Nursing – Brenda Hollander
 - j. Hearing and Speech – TBD
 - k. Dietetics – TBD
 - l. Physical Therapy – TBD (will be elected Friday, September 3rd)
 - m. Occupational Therapy – Shweta Parab
 - n. Health Policy and Management – TBD
8. Student Governing Council (SGC) representatives selection
- a. Medicine (2) – Nick McWilliams and one TBD
 - b. Allied Health (2) – Kevin McIntire and one TBD
 - c. Nursing (2) – TBD
 - d. Other (2) – TBD
9. Student Research Forum (SRF) – Thursday April 7th and Friday April 8th, 2005
- a. Nick McWilliams and Rohan Gandhi are this years co-chairs
 - b. Looking for keynote speaker nominations/suggestions. The keynote speaker will be selected from the nominations at the next meeting, to be held on Wednesday, September 15th at noon in SON B011.
 - c. Still looking for committee chairs and members, especially workshop and help with fundraising.
10. KUMC Street Fair (<http://www2.kumc.edu/students/sgc/streetfair/>)
- a. September 25th, 2004 from 10:30-2pm at the 36th & Rainbow parking lot
 - b. Funds raised this year will go to the JayDoc free clinic and Rosedale Middle School
 - c. Need volunteers to help with set up, take down, booths, rides, manning tables, etc
 - d. Basket donations
 - i. Basket donations are major source of money for the fair
 - ii. Silent auction format
 - iii. GSC has donated a basket in the past and would like to donate again
 - 1. Will have a meeting in the next week or so to come up with more ideas about what the theme of the basket will be and what all will go into it
 - 2. Brenda Hollander suggested donating multiple baskets or a basket and other items for the grab bag portion
 - 3. Christina Newport made a motion to approve up to \$250.00 for basket items and purchases for the treasure hunt and to have a meeting to decide details about the basket
8. Pulse Development Committee
- a. Kevin McIntire read duties and responsibilities from Article IV, section 9 of the bylaws
 - i. Maintain the KUMC GSC website, post all meeting attendance and minutes at the

- b. Kevin McIntire and Neal Alcalay volunteered to serve on this committee for the 2004-2005 school year
8. Other committees
- a. Graduate Studies Travel Fund (1) – TBD
 - b. Kirmayer Fitness Center – TBD
 - c. International Exchange – Shweta Parab
 - d. Student Health Outreach Team (SHOT) (2) – TBD
 - e. Student Technology Committee (2) – Natalie Reed and TBD
 - f. Student Wellness – TBD
 - g. SEAD – TBD
 - h. Library Committee – Christina Newport and Shweta Parab
9. Announcements
- a. Introduction of Marcia Jones as Karen Stanze’s replacement
 - b. Student Wellness Presentations
 - i. Student Insurance questions – to be held Tuesday, August 31, 2004 and there will be a repeated session held in a few weeks
 - 1. Sara Honeck and Dean Knoll will be there to address specific student insurance complaints and questions
 - c. Student Governing Council (SGC) meeting
 - i. Thursday, September 2nd, 5 -7:30pm, 1005 Student Center
 - ii. <http://www2.kumc.edu/students/sgc/home.asp> (website)
 - d. Next meeting – TBD but likely Wednesday, September 22nd or Friday, September 24th
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