

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
GENERAL MEETING AGENDA**

December 1st, 2022 7:00 P.M.

Zoom Conference Call

<https://oklahoma.zoom.us/j/97996963479?pwd=MDRPTWIDY2NuRksrTFkYVBFZjJxQT09>

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Call to Order: 7:00 pm

Mission Statement: Graduate Students at the University of Oklahoma have a number of unique concerns and interests requiring a voice separate from the usual instruments that express the will of the faculty and of undergraduates. For this reason, the Graduate Student Senate of the University of Oklahoma Student Government Association was established in 1987 to represent all Graduate Students and to serve their needs.

Reading and Approval of the Minutes (minutes from previous meeting:

<https://www.ou.edu/content/dam/sga/common/GSS/minutes/2022/11-17-22-GSS-Minutes.pdf>

Senator Hamilton (82), seconded by Senator Walton (85)

Officer Reports:

- Chair: Meetings will still be Thursdays next semester. January 26 is our first meeting date of next semester I believe.
- Vice-Chair: Nothing to report. Good luck to everyone as you finish the semester!
- Secretary: Nothing to report. Be on the lookout to congratulate Claire once she finished her comprehensive exams!

Committee Reports:

- Academic Affairs: We took feedback on the survey from the GSS chair and made relevant edits. Also, our committee decided to reach out to other committees to collaborate and prepare one survey on behalf of GSS. Due to time constraints this semester, we will collaborate and try to publish the new survey at the start of next semester.
- Development & Philanthropy: nothing to report, please tell students in your department about the bins for the food drive.
- External Affairs: We are continuing to work on the grad student wage survey, and are working with the undergraduate congress to cosponsor the wage act.
- Internal Affairs: nothing to report
- International Student Affairs: Nothing to report. There is no pending legislation for the general meeting to approve. Have a great holiday and see everyone next year!
- Public Relations: Discussed previously created and new ideas for graphics. Received committee graphics and slowly releasing them on social media. Food bin pictures came out great. New graphics: volunteer through the sign-up sheet.
- Sustainability: nothing to report
- Ways and Means: Discussed about future plans ==> shifting to the Spring 2023 semester. Also, please reach out to students in your department that are receiving grant awards for this semester to see if they have been contacted by SBSC.

Student Concerns:

Special Orders:

Old Business:

New Business:

Announcements:

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Senator Gibson (110), seconded by Senator Norris (112).

Adjournment:

Time: 7:18 PM