

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
GENERAL MEETING AGENDA
September 26th, 2024 7:00 P.M.**

Zoom Conference Call

<https://oklahoma.zoom.us/j/93638222663?pwd=dFpKQUZOK2Q1U1oxV0lMUy9FUkRZUT09>

Call to Order: 7:02 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 the Approval of the Minutes: (minutes from previous meeting:

<https://www.ou.edu/content/dam/sga/common/GSS/agendas/2023/9-7-23AgendaGSS.pdf>)

- Senator Rodriguez (61), seconded by Senator Nazari (40)

Officer Reports:

- Chair:
 - Nothing new to report.
- Vice-Chair:
 - Nothing new to report.
- Secretary:
 - Please submit your committee reports if you have not already done so.

Committee Reports:

- Academic Affairs:
 - Senator Sukumaran (64): Nothing new to report.
- Development & Philanthropy:
 - Senator Edwards (11): Planning our first happy hour this Thursday or two weeks from this Thursday. We are also planning a canned food drive to begin after OU/TX and it will be a competition.
- External & Legislative Affairs:
 - Senator Ryan (98): Nothing new to report.
- Internal Affairs:
 - Ashlie Mendoza (118): Nothing new to report.
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- International Student Affairs:
 - Senator Shodunke (58): Nothing new to report.
- Public Relations:
 - Senator Merchant (81): Would like to begin recognizing excellent grad students each meeting.
- Sustainability:
 - Senator Smith (10): Nothing new to report.
- Ways and Means:
 - Senator Chiareli (119): Grants are open until October.

Student Concerns:

Special Orders:

Old Business:

New Business:

GF24-05 Auxiliary Allocation 2 Act of 2024-2025 (Rec of No Rec) & GF24-06 Auxiliary Allocation 3 Act of 2024-2025 (Rec of No Rec)

- Motion to move GF24-05 & GF24-06 to floor as a block by Senator Chaireli (119), seconded by Senator Triemstra (9)
- Author, Schonfield, Chair, SGA Budget Committee: The purpose of this act is to appropriate the funds of the University of Oklahoma Student Government Association to the organizations mentioned within
- Author yields time for questions.
- Senator Chiareli (119): Motion to pass via unanimous consent.
- No objections.
- Motion passes.

Announcements:

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Senator Mendoza (118), seconded by Senator McNeese (77).

Adjournment:

Time: 7:08 PM