



12/07/16 Open Meeting Agenda

Time Start – 6:35

Election

At-large Rep for masters students

- Jen, G4 in philosophy.

Appointed positions: **if interested, reach out to us!**

Parliamentarian

Social Coordinator

Unionization Update

Jack – at large rep for the natural sciences and an union organizer. After election, a lot of challenged ballots (greater than 1200) which ranged from wrong location, wrong name to people who were not on the list. Working at NLRB to resolve remaining challenges. There will be a number of challenged ballots where university and NLRB will not agree but after we count the ballots, if the number challenged ballots remaining are greater than the difference in the vote, they will have to go to hearings.

Some people may have received emails asking for proof of working from the union. Please fill that out so that your vote can count.

No initial counts of the unchallenged ballots have been done.

Committees:

HUIT

Friday, December 9 12pm

Science Center 142.02-AcademicTechnology

FREE PIZZA!

Agenda: (in progress, please let Laine (stranahan@fas.harvard.edu) know if you have items you'd like to add)

- Review of Appathon Held on Oct 8 &9
- Runner Up team was from GSAS
- TF Allocation process
- Update on CATS

Group of people with students, IT people, and upper level people who make decisions. Can provide input/feedback to the group from a grad student perspective. Also looking for a new co-chair as Laine is graduating so attend if you are interested.

Harvard College Safety Committee

Once a month on the third Thursday in Strauss Hall, 3-4pm

Any input? Email Jackie Yun: jyun@fas.harvard.edu

-In February, they are talking about bike safety and they would like input about it.

Dean's Meeting

-Talked generically about the election results. The dean's would like to emphasize that they agree whole-heartedly with the statement put out by Drew Faust. Any inappropriate or hateful language is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. There were some concerns about safety generically in Cambridge/Boston at large. This is a topic that will be discussed at safety committee meetings. If you have any concerns you should reach out to the GSC or to Jackie Yun.

Announcements

January@ GSAS Mini-courses

You can now register for any course!

<http://gsc.fas.harvard.edu/2017-mini-courses>

GSG and DGSO Winter Funding Allocation -- Harvard Graduate Consulting Club did not attend. Budget passes.

Open Floor

International student survey will be sent out soon .

HGC president – met with Drew Faust about safety on campus.

Voted on a resolution to change Harvard calendars listing Columbus Day to Indigenous People's Day. This made it to Drew Faust's desk and so we may hear about this soon.

Lectures that Last – Every year, ted style talks. Looking for 1 GSAS professor still. Any help organizing this would also very welcome too!

Harvard Masquerade Ball – Feb 11 is the prospective day. Interested in planning or performing, let HGC know!

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Time End – 6:56