GSC Open Meeting

February 7, 2018

6:30 p.m.
Treasurer’s corner

Note to all student group leaders: Reimbursement for events funded through Fall 2017 awards MUST be requested by 2/23/18. Any Fall 2017 funds not requested by this date will not be reimbursable.

Please write to Jan (treasurerharvardgsc@gmail.com) if you have any questions.
Mentoring Awards

- NOMINATE ONLINE: gsc.fas.harvard.edu/mentoring-award
- Nominations for 2017-2018 will be accepted through March 30, 2018.
- Winners announced in April 2018.

Honor Your Mentor
GSAS students, do you know a faculty member who deserves to be recognized for outstanding mentoring?
Commencement Marshals

- NOMINATE ONLINE: gsc.fas.harvard.edu/commencement
- by March 30, 2018
- Marshals will be announced in mid-April.

Eight outstanding graduate students from GSAS/SEAS will lead their class into Harvard Yard for Commencement. Do you know a student who deserves to be one of the eight?

Degree recipients from November, March, and May are eligible for selection. Nominations may be submitted by faculty, department administrators, and students. You can even nominate yourself!
Conference Grant Selection Committee Recruitment

Need one student volunteer

- Two meetings this semester
  - Thursday, February 22nd 8-9 am
  - Monday, April 23/24, 8-9 am
- Great for students interested in applying in the future or previous awardees

Reminder:

Winter applications due this Friday, February 9!
Discussed rates for students AY19

- Student Health Fee
  - A 3% increase for AY19 was submitted to the University as part of the annual Budget Letter distribution by the Office of Financial Strategy and Planning.

- Student Health Insurance Plan
  - Proposed an increase of 7.5% for AY19, a 1.5% decrease from the initial guidance of 9%

Formation of a Spouse and Dependent Health focus group
GSC Tax Talks

Longwood Tax Talk (Domestic students):
Thursday, March 1st, 5:30-7pm in TMEC 250

Cambridge Tax Talk (Domestic students): TBD

International Student Tax Talk: TBD

Learn all about your taxes from certified public accountant Robert Underwood.