

COGS Full Council Meeting
November 15, 2023
Chittenden 110 & Zoom
6:30 pm-8:30 pm EST

START: 6.28 PM

Attendees: AFRE, ANS, BAE, CSUS, ENT, FW, FSHN, FOR, HRT, PSMS, PKG, ENG, LIN, PHL, THR, RW, MBA, CSD, JRN, EAD, KIN, TE, BME, CHE, ME, EPI, HM, CMB, CMSE, GEN, GLG, MTH, MMG, NEU, PHY, PSL, PLB, PRIME, NUR, OM, PHARM, ANP, EC, GEO, HDFS, PLS, PSY, HRLR, SOC, VM, AGSA, MANRRS

Non-Voting attendees: Dr. Allyn Shaw AVP (SLE), Dr. Stefanie Baier (Graduate School), Dr Hima Rewal (Graduate School), Dr. Julie Rojewski (Graduate School), Dr Kathryn Naber (MSU center for Survivors), Doug Gage (Office of Research & Innovation), Deanne Arking, Haeyon Chun (alt KIN), Amie Musselman, Pres Jeffery, VPIA Chamoun, VPEA Kaur, TRES Roberts, SEC Kitcher, PARL Amaniampong, EVENT Cardino, DoEA Pyram



1. Time to fill out committee reports.
2. Standing Rules
 - a. Welcome of New Members
 - b. Guide to Robert's Rules of Order
 - c. Guide to iClicker
3. Approval of the agenda
 - a. Motion: Rep Aziz
 - b. Seconded by: Rep Patano
4. Consent agenda
 - a. Approval of October meeting minutes
 - b. 23-FS-16: GSO event funding
 - c. 23-FS-17: Committee appointments
 - i. Motion: Rep Aziz
 - ii. Seconded by: Rep Patano
 - iii. Votes:
 1. Yes=44
 2. No=0
 3. Abstain
5. External Speakers
 - a. Kathryn Naber (she/her) (naberkat@msu.edu) – Center for Survivors
Dr. Naber did a presentation on the service the Center for Survivors provides to students, which includes crisis services (counseling), free and confidential therapy, the MSU sexual assault health care program, etc.
 - b. Doug Gage (he/him) (gage@msu.edu) – VP of the Office for Research and Innovation

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VP Gage outlined some of the Office for Research and Innovation roles. For instance, support for organization and scholarly programs, support for graduate students, ethics and policies in the conduct of research

6. Remarks from Student Life and Engagement (SLE)
 - i. Upcoming Thanksgiving Unity Dinner
 - ii. Student safety during vacation, students traveling.
 - iii. December Graduation

7. Remarks from the Graduate School
 - i. Visit the Graduate website for Resources for Graduate career service development.

8. New Business
 - a. 23-FS-18: Allocate interest to Eboard fellowships
 - i. Motion: Rep Aziz
 - ii. Seconded by: Rep Patano
 - iii. Votes:
 1. Yes = 47
 2. No = 1
 3. Abstain = 1

 - b. 23-FS-19: Approval of the SRR/GSR document
 - i. Motion: Rep Pearce
 - ii. Seconded by: Hill
 - iii. Votes:
 1. Yes = 46
 2. No = 0
 3. Abstain = 2

 - c. 23-FS-20: Adding a proof of attendance requirement for COGS Professional Development awards
 - i. Motion: Rep Aziz
 - ii. Seconded by: Rep Pearce
 - iii. Vote:
 1. Yes = 47
 2. No = 1
 3. Abstain = 0

 - d. 23-FS-21: Sponsoring the Chavez-Huerta Celebration
 - i. Motion: Rep Baisley
 - ii. Seconded by: Rep Pearce
 - iii. Votes:
 1. Yes = 48
 2. No = 0
 3. Abstain = 0

 - e. Discussion about an upcoming resolution regarding the Israeli-Hamas war
 - i. Motion: Rep Stanley
 - ii. Seconded by: Hill



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9. Executive Reports
10. Committee Reports
 - a. Graduate Academic Conference tentative date 9th March 2024
 - b. Still considering Keynote Speaker
11. Upcoming Events
 - a. 12/5, COGS Coffee and Connection @ Grand Traverse Pie Co., 9-10 am
12. Representative's Privilege
13. Adjourn
 - i. Motion: Rep Hill
 - ii. Seconded by: Rep Aziz

END TIME: 8.46 PM



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