GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION
Council Meeting Agenda
Student Union room 208 A, B & C
Monday, May 2, 2016, 2:00 – 3:30pm

ROLL CALL

School of Allied Health
Health Physics
Timothy Thatcher
Kinesiology
Joshua Bailey
Physical Therapy
Vacant

College of Engineering (cont.)
Electrical & Computer Eng.
Carlos Camacho
Mechanical Engineering
Sogol Pirbastami

School of Nursing
Nursing
Maria Poggio

College of Science
Chemistry
Kyle Bowen
Geoscience
Amanda Gentry
Life Sciences
Amanda Prisbrey
Mathematical Sciences
Chase Ashcraft
Physics & Astronomy
Vacant

College of Fine Arts
Architecture
Audrey Bardwell
Art
Wendy Chambers
Film
Javier Hernando
Music
Vacant
Theatre Arts
Stefanie Resnick

College of Business
Accounting
Brittany Stuck
Business Administration
Li Zhang
Economics
Kaiyang Wu
Management Information Systems
Dixidha Devarajan

College of Hotel Administration
Hospitality Administration
Lenna Shulga

Law School
Law
Adrian Viesca

College of Liberal Arts
Anthropology
Cheryl Anderson
English
Vacant
Foreign Languages
Theresa Farmer
History
Stephen Bohigian
Political Science
Rafael Oganesyan
Psychology
Mirae Fornander
Sociology
Matthew Le Claire

School of Community Health Sciences
Health Care Administration & Policy
Jeffrey Wan
Public Health
Laura Gryder

Executive Board
President
Surbhi Sharma
Vice President
Meghan Pierce
Secretary
Ariel Rosen
Treasurer
Terri Thomas

School of Dental Medicine
Dental Medicine
John Silvaroli

College of Education
Educational & Clinical Studies
Dominique Tetzlaff
Educational Psychology & Higher Education
Rebecca Gates
Teaching & Learning
Daniel Murphy

College of Urban Affairs
Communication Studies
Vacant
Criminal Justice
Breanna Boppre
Environmental & Public Affairs
Edith Gonzalez Duarte
Journalism & Media Studies
Nicole Santero
Marriage & Family Therapy
Sarah Hechter
Social Work
Emily Paulsen

College of Urban Affairs
School of Hotel Administration
Vacant

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1. PUBLIC COMMENT
Public comment will be taken during this agenda item. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until
the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. Comments will be limited to three
minutes per person. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record, and naming
the college or organization they represent. The chair may elect to allow additional public comment on a specific agenda
item when that agenda item is being considered. In accordance with Attorney General Opinion No. 00-047, as restated
in the Attorney General’s Open Meeting Law Manual, the chair may prohibit comment if the content of that comment is
a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of this body, or if the content is willfully disruptive of the meeting
by being irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational or amounting to personal attacks or
interfering with the rights of other speakers.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
Request is made for approval of the following meeting minutes:
• April 4, 2016 Council Meeting

3. SPEAKER(S)
• James Ratigan, Associate Vice President of Alumni and External Relations
• Luis Valera, Vice President of Government Relations, Diversity Initiatives and Compliance
• Monica Garcia, UNLV Assistant Sustainability Coordinator

4. BUDGET REPORT

5. GPSA / CAMPUS-WIDE COMMITTEE REPORT
• Board of Regents / Nevada Student Alliance
• GPSA Activities / Community Service
• GPSA Government Relations
• GPSA Publications
• GPSA Sponsorship
• Top Tier
• UNLV Sustainability Council – request committee member (contact Monica Garcia, UNLV Assistant Sustainability
  Coordinator). Meets monthly.
• Campus Engagement Presidential Debate

6. OLD BUSINESS
• Update: 2016 - 2017 Student Health Insurance Rates
• GPSA Council acknowledgement

7. NEW BUSINESS
• Lifetime Transcript Fee
• GPSA Summer Council – election of representatives
• Creation of Urban Sustainability Department

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS
• Refreshments offered in Graduate Student Commons (LLB 2141): May 4 – 8 from 7:30am – 10:00am and 4:00pm –
  6:30pm
• GPSA Emergency Sponsorship applications for funding research and conference travel are due the 20th of each
  month. Applications must be submitted prior to travel. More information available on the GPSA website.
8. **ANNOUNCEMENTS (continued)**

- Recognition of Spring 2016 Graduates
  - Law School Commencement - Friday, May 13th, 10:00am at the Artemus Ham Hall
  - Dental School Commencement - Friday, May 13th, 5:00pm at the Artemus Ham Hall
  - Graduate College Commencement – Saturday, May 16th – Ceremonies at 9:00am and 2:00pm at the Thomas & Mack Center
- GPSA Summer 2016 Council vacancies – College / School of: Allied Health; Community Health Sciences; Hotel; Liberal Arts; Nursing; Urban Affairs
- **Presidential Debate**, October 19, 2016 – Call for Volunteers
  - General Debate Volunteers – needed to direct traffic, give campus tours, staff Ask Me Booths, and work the debate watch parties. These volunteer positions are open to any UNLV student, faculty or staff and do not require an application or background check for security clearance. [Sign up](#) on the 2016 Presidential Debate website
  - Student Debate Hall / Media Center Volunteers – work with the Presidential Debate Commission and National and International Media providing administrative and technical support. Students need to apply, have a faculty/staff reference (brief form), and be able to pass a background / security check conducted by the Commission on Presidential Debates. View more details and [complete the application](#) by clicking the Sign Up to Volunteer button on the 2016 Presidential Debate website

9. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

10. **ADJOURNMENT**

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GPSA Summer 2016 Council Meetings • 10:00 – 11:30am • Graduate Student Commons (LLB 2141)
Monday, June 6, 2016; Monday, July 11, 2016; Monday, August 1, 2016