Graduate and Professional Student Association

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| GPSA 71st Assembly Meeting | Wednesday, April 28, 2021 | 6:00 PM | Zoom |

**Actions Items:**

* Send items for newswire to Alex
* Delegates should read your Robert’s Rules to make sure we streamline meetings

**Business Conducted:**

* Confirmation of the following individuals for positions listed:
	+ Jennifer Jackson – GPSA Faculty Senator
	+ Ama Agyapong – At-Large Delegate
	+ Frankie Urrutia-Smith – College of Liberal Arts Delegate
* Passage of the following legislation:
	+ Bill 71-02 – GPSA Communications Intern
	+ Bill 71-03 – Orientation Materials
	+ Bill 71-04 – Welcome Back Picnic
	+ Bill 71-05 – Writing Boot Camp
	+ Bill 71-06 – Night of Remembrance
	+ Resolution 71-01 – Addressing the safety of our trans community at Penn State University
	+ Resolution 71-02 – Letter of support for BRIDGE (RIDEPass Issue)

**Agenda**

1. Meeting called to order at 6:03 PM
2. Roll Call – See Appendix I
3. Approval of Past Meeting Minutes from 4/14: Approved by motion and second
4. Adoption of the Agenda, motioned and adopted
5. Open Student Forum
6. Special Presentation: **Katherine Yeaple, State Collge Borough Council Member**
	* 1. **Rescheduled to Fall due to technical difficulties**
7. Executive Officer Reports
	1. President – **Schönn Franklin**
		1. Since we last spoken, had meeting with meeting of the office of the director of the Board of Trustees, was an orientation meeting
		2. Meeting with Sara Thorndike, VP of Financial Affairs, Chief Investment Officer Joe Cullen, with regards to divestment from fossil fuels
			1. Their sentiment was that Penn State has not invested in fossil fuel companies in years and don’t foresee future investment, but also don’t see a complete divestment, BoT will be deciding factor on that
		3. Alumni Association director meeting, introduction, nothing substantive discussed
		4. Fee Board orientation is complete, will elect a chair on Friday
		5. Friday: meeting with Pres, VP of Admin, VP of Student Affairs, Chair and Vice Chair of BoT and some staff, will be orientation but also area for us to discuss topics of concern to our constiutents
		6. **Questions:**
			1. **Julia -** Sara Thorndike says no full divestment, does she suggest partial?
				1. Said that we would not divest directly, won’t come out with a statement is due to fear of backlash from Assembly, donors, etc, but in the background there has been action to better address environmental concerns
			2. **Claire** – how does Sara’s statement have relevance to divestment?
				1. Won’t invest further
	2. Vice President – **No Report, vacant**
	3. Treasurer – **Matt Billups**
		1. Still concluding and completing events from the 70th Assembly, fiscal year for this budget will end during the summer
	4. Secretary – **Alex Zhao**
		1. Please let me know if mispronouncing delegates’ names or if delegates enter the meeting after attendance has been taken.
		2. Committee chairs please send him attendance records after each committee meeting.
		3. Sending out the newswire tomorrow, please submit any event announcements or graphics by noon.
	5. Faculty Senate – **Star Sharp**
		1. Last faculty senate meeting was yesterday, it is clear that we have a racial problem on campus
		2. President and Provost gave reports but did not provide detailed information
			1. President – diversity has increased at all ranks of the university (deans, students, staff) except for faculty ranks, want to continue shared governance of faculty hiring faculty
			2. Both President and Provost feel like they’re doing everything they can with regards to diversity
		3. School is slated to take place in-person as much as possible
			1. Accredidation body says we cannot go back in a way that’s more hybrid, since we are an in-person campus
			2. Star asked about getting exception to this policy, Provost/President will ask
			3. No mandatory COVID-19 vaccine requirement, President doesn’t want to make mandatory requirement
			4. Plans A, B, and C also exist in cast of contingencies
		4. Intercollegiate athletics lost $45m in ticket sales
		5. Star recommends that everyone gets vaccinated if possible
		6. **Artemio** – additional items Faculty Senate took
			1. Gendered language removed from course descriptions etc
			2. Approved second part of More Rivers to Cross report (2nd part about Commonwealth Campuses)
			3. Additional steps from report will be taken
		7. **Questions**
			1. **Brooke –** Is there going to be requirement for students who live on campus to get COVID-19 vaccine?
				1. Penn State has not mentioned any such requirement
			2. **Claire** – Coalition for a Just University having meeting tomorrow to present how the University’s finances work, including potentially athletics
			3. **Jalen** – will there be any mask requirements in place for the fall?
				1. Mask and social distancing requirements will still in place, might be closer than 6 feet for social distancing
		8. Star wants to thank Alex and Schonn and everyone since this is her last GPSA meeting (**Julia**/**Schonn** – thank you Star and Artemio for all your work)
	6. Graduate Council – **Claire Kelling**
		1. Student Caucus held transition meeting, Claire was reelected as chair, nothing additional to report
8. Confirmation of Presidential Appointment – GPSA Faculty Senator (Jennifer Jackson)
	1. Student in College of Education, has done a lot of work at the college level and has a lot of work and experience even outside of her college
	2. **Speech** – From Florida, graduated from USF, taught middle school science before coming to graduate school, have been involved in various leadership roles even before coming to Penn State, received a variation of different awards for service in teaching. Here at Penn State, elected as new VP for College of Education Graduate Student Council, very passionate about outreach and service. Very excited to hopefully be part of GPSA as a new Faculty Senator. I feel like I have a wealth of knowledge and are prepared for this position.
	3. **Questions**
		1. **Claire –** Could you give a brief description of your student role on the Faculty Senate?
			1. Liaison between members of the graduate student population and the Faculty Senators, making sure that you represent students in a just way and effectively communicate with the population of students
		2. **Yasha** – Could you describe some problems you know graduate and professional students are facing on campus?
			1. Due to COVID, making sure you have access to resources like funding and academic resources, also mental health resources, lastly having a supportive network around you at all times, helping with out administrative issues like visas etc
		3. **Yasha (follow up)** – In this role, you’ll have constituents of very diverse backgrounds (racially, gender and sexuality, etc), could you describe any experience you have advocating in these positions?
			1. My experience as a teacher, students coming from all different types of backgrounds, as a teacher you need to position yourself in a way to service the needs of your students
		4. **Claire** – How do you plan to get feedback from students at Penn State?
			1. In a variation of ways, putting out regular Google surveys, being a VP for the College of Education GSC, willing to create alliances with others across the colleges to make sure we are in regular communcation with students about their needs
	4. **Discussion**
		1. **Claire** – clarification: what happens with minutes? Do you have to motion to executive session?
			1. Have to motion to go into executive session, otherwise discussion will be in minutes
		2. **Eli** – motion to vote on the candidate, seconded by **Katie**
	5. **Faculty Senator Confirmed 23-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
9. Confirmation of Presidential Appointment – At-Large Delegate (Ama Agyapong)
	1. Served in previous Assembly
	2. **Speech:** In department of Material Science and Engineering. Want to continue what I was doing previous as an At-Large Delegate and Advocacy committee. I believe there were a lot of things that were left undone that I want to continue going forward. There were also some things I wanted to get done, including bridging the gap between At-large delegates and individual delegates of the different colleges in terms of meeting the needs of students and moving forward the agenda of the GPSA. In terms of my other previous experience, I used to be the co-chair of the EMS graduate council for 2 years, currently president of the Material Research Society, very passionate about the work that the Advocacy committee was doing, want to finish the agenda from the last Assembly.
	3. **Questions**
		1. **No questions**
	4. **Discussion**
		1. **Claire –** are there more appointments after this?
			1. Just one more for Liberal Arts
		2. **Eli** – Ama has done a lot of great work on Advocacy and Diversity committee
		3. **Claire** –Ama has been a great member of the Assembly as well as a great member of the Advocacy committee, she has really stepped up
		4. **Ashley** –echoingthoughts of fellow Advocacy and Diversity members in terms of stepping up with legislation and contacting people
		5. **Nico** motioned to confirm**, Eli** seconded
	5. **At-Large Delegate Confirmed 23-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
10. Confirmation of Presidential Appointment – Liberal Arts Delegate (Franke Urrutia Smith)
	1. **Speech** – from Utah, went to Utah State, president of History Department’s History Club, served on the board of several nonprofits
	2. **Questions**
		1. **Julia –** What committee do you want to serve on?
			1. Community Outreach, want better rounded experience as graduate students and this can help our lives
		2. **Yasha** – what are some issues students face at Penn State
			1. COVID – mental and physical health resources, some colleges in History department need support with classroom teaching responsibilities (how to teach, dealing with racist students)
		3. **Niladri** – what kinds of programs would you like to pursue?
			1. Working with local libraries to bring in volunteers and scholars
	3. **Discussion**
		1. Motion to vote to confirm, seconded
	4. **At-Large Delegate Confirmed 24-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
11. Bill 71-02: GPSA Communications Intern
	1. **Schonn:** Past few Assemblies have had communications intern, this year’s bill keeps the funding the same as the previous year, work about 6-15 hours per week, hours approved by Treasurer, has various duties and responsibilities as outlined in the bill to assist the GPSA and executive board, $15/hr wage, financial impact for next fiscal year to be $3250-$3750
	2. **Questions**
		1. **Yasha** – Are we advertising this to just undergrads?
			1. No, will be advertised to undergrads, grads, and professional students
		2. **Yasha** – are we using the term “intern” instead of “communications manager”?
			1. Open to change
		3. **Ama -**  will the committees be able to utilize communications manager
			1. Yes of course
			2. **Alex** – communications manager/intern has always been available to committee chairs
		4. **Isabel** – delegates cannot fill this position, correct?
			1. Yes, open to anyone not in the GPSA currently
		5. **Ama -**  in the past was there overtime protections in case the manager needs to go over the hours per week?
			1. Our allotment is for $3750, if there needs to be more then we need to pass another bill
		6. **Niladri** – one more instance of intern to remove
		7. **Claire** - motionto make Communications Manager consistently capitalized throughout, seconded, no objections
	3. **Discussion**
		1. **Claire** – motion to add “and 70th” to line 13 page 1, and make “th”-s consistent, seconded, no objections
		2. **Nico** – Is Natalie graduating (from chat: Yes), in that case thank you for all that you’ve done
		3. **Julia -**  motion to make line 11 page 1’s money amount consistent by adding a comma, seconded, no objections
		4. **Yasha -**  motion to change every instance of intern to communications manager, seconded, no objections
		5. **Claire** – motion to vote on roll call, seconded, no objections
	4. **Bill Passed 24-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
12. Bill 71-03: Orientation Materials
	1. **Sandeep:** Bill is essentially for the acquisition of items for the orientations. It looks like all of the orientations will be in-person, so we will be essentially giving the new graduate and professional students some promotional items. Each person will get a bag, a pen, a clip, and a webcam slider. The orientations will be the graduate school student orientation, international student orientations, and each department’s orientation
	2. **Questions**
		1. **Claire –** Any consideration on not doing the webcam sliders? They might not be used very often
			1. Not extremely attached to the webcam sliders, if it isn’t used a lot it can be taken out
		2. **Niladri –** Could we add letter openers instead of webcam sliders? Those are pretty useful
			1. Can be included as an amendment afterwards
		3. **Yasha -**  If orientation is in person, we’d need a table runner, motion to add as line item and adjust total, seconded
			1. **Question from Claire** – What’s the table runner for?
				1. For if we have a booth, Terry says we need to buy a new one
				2. Why?
			2. **Objection from Claire**
				1. **Alex –** table runner has old logo I believe
			3. **Yasha withdraws motion**
		4. **Julia** – motion to include “and professional”, add comma on line 8, both seconded and no objections
		5. **Matt** - We can decide on a new table runner once we go back to the office
		6. **Frankie** – Where did the estimated amount come from?
			1. When the orientations were in-person, we always estimated about 1250 students, there were some extras from previous years, the estimate of 1000 students is because of that (the extras) essentially, there will likely be fewer people as a result of COVID-19 as well
		7. **Star** – University is quite strict with using outdated logos etc, it’s possible that if it’s an outdate logo they might be cracking down on branding
		8. **Sandeep** – motion to change “71th” to “71st”, seconded, no objections
		9. **Sandeep** – motion to replace webcam sliders with letter, we could include the letter openers if we want again, but not sure of cost or if we want to include due to plastic, also to change line 18 to reflect new total cost
		10. **Niladri** - I think the letter openers could be useful and we get a lot of mail, and letter openers can be handy, motion to include letter openers, seconded
			1. **Claire** objects due to potential plastic waste, **Niladri** withdraws motion
		11. **Ama -**  do we need to add more things to give students?
			1. Up to the body
			2. **Ama** – what we have is enough
	3. **Discussion**
		1. **Ama -** Motion to vote on bill, seconded, no objections
	4. **Bill Passed0 24-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
13. Bill 71-04: Welcome Back Picnic
	1. **Nico**: this bill wasn’t something we had a chance to put on this year, but it’s a common event we have during years when there isn’t a global pandemic. We had discussed this earlier in the programming committee but didn’t know if it would be possible or responsible to hold such an event, credit to Jocelyn Delgado, the former chair of Programming for a lot of work done here, specifies that pizza comes from a local State College business
	2. **Questions**
		1. **Julia** – will there be a gluten free option for pizza?
			1. Would be happy to amend to include
		2. **Ama –** any discussion about requiring vaccinations to attend, and if so, would this encounter issues with students’ rights?
			1. Have not discussed vaccination requirement, I think we would be in the clear for requiring, but that discussion would best be held when the University has an official policy or lack thereof
		3. **Ama** – if we were to pass this bill, could we go back and amend this?
			1. The bill is mostly about making sure it’s properly funded and publicized, we won’t need to go back and amend it
		4. **Julia** – are the paper products going to be compostable/good for the environment
			1. Pizza grease precludes recycling but not necessarily composting, not familiar with local options in that regard
		5. **Travis** – has the location been discussed?
			1. One of five different parks, will pick park that is reasonably close, Sunset and Tudek Park are on the list
			2. **Star** – you should reserve park pavilion soon
	3. **Discussion**
		1. **Ama -**  Calvary also rents spaces although it is a Church
		2. **Julia -**  motion on line 11 page 2 to include “with a gluten free pizza option”, seconded, no objections
		3. **Star -**  Calvary has several locations but Harvest Field is not accessible
		4. **Alex –** In the past we’ve used Sunset Park because it’s walkable and close to campus
		5. **Megan –** Motion on lines 12 and 13 to remove “Wegman’s” to allow for potentially more local options when the time comes, seconded, no objections
		6. Bill motioned and seconded to vote by roll call
	4. **Bill Passed 23-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
14. Bill 71-05: Writing Boot Camp
	1. **Niladri -**  Graduate Writing Boot Camp gives students an opportunity/time and location to gather and write. What they can write on includes options like their dissertation, papers, or other work, includes a special presentation every week. This has been pretty appreciated in the graduate student community
	2. **Questions**
		1. **Julia -**  Will people be able to attend remotely if they are uncomfortable attending in-person?
			1. We can but the reason for all of this is for people to come to campus, would prefer an in-person event to a virtual one at this time
	3. **Discussion**
		1. **Ama** – we are representing the entire graduate and professional students, there should be an option for those who would not be comfortable attending in-person, motion to have an online/virtual group in conjunction with the in-person event
			1. Agree that we should have a remote setting, you run the risk of the entire setting going remote, prefer to have an option to ask for remote session
		2. **Julia** – while Irving’s has gluten-free options, those options are not available to those who have allergies, could we add another option for those with allergies?
			1. I can look for restaurants that conform to the allergy issue
		3. **Ama –** we held this virtually this year, so the groundwork has already been done, still believe that there should be an online option, people will come to the in-person option
		4. **Julia –** motion to change “catered by Irving’s” to “catered by a local restaurant
		5. **Alex** – set up separate virtual session that does not have the lunch
		6. **Ama –** motion to add that virtual version will be held in the nature of the situation, seconded, no objections
		7. **Niladri –** amend language to clarify one in-person, one virtual session, seconded, **Nico** makes friendly amendment to reword
		8. **Julia –** will virtual attendees get food?
			1. Yes, only difficulty would be people not in State College, but if person is joining from State College we will provide food
		9. **Star –** statement of support for what Niladri has done in the past with the virtual events, program will go over just fine, this will make the GWBC more inclusive
		10. **Ama -**  wants to know state of **Niladri**’s motion in order to offer a potential revision, **Niladri withdraws motion**, **Ama** motions to change language about virtual/in-person sessions for clarity, seconded
		11. **Julia -**  motion to double number of participants but cut the number of days in half, seconded, no objections
		12. **Niladri –** motion to add one volunteer to get back to original total number of participants, seconded, no objections
		13. Motion to vote by roll call, seconded
	4. **Bill Passed 21-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
15. Bill 71-06: Night of Remembrance
	1. **Julia –** Event usually held by UPUA but more recently coordinated between 4 student governments to honor Penn State students who have passed away over the past year. This year’s event will honor those who passed away in the past 2 years because last year’s event was cancelled due to COVID-19. The bill is funding a livestream from WPSU for families who are not able to travel to Penn State, there will be an in-person event tomorrow that is smaller. Livestream cost evenly split across all student governments
	2. **Questions**
		1. **No Questions**
	3. **Discussion**
		1. **Eli –** Motion to bold “State” in title of bill, seconded, no objections
		2. Motion to vote by roll call, seconded, no objections
	4. **Bill Passed 21-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
16. Resolution 71-01: Addressing the Safety of our Trans Community at Penn State
	1. **Yasha** – want to also give credit to Emory Robertson. There has been an uptick in stigma, rejection, and discrimination throughout the course of the past few years, and trans students at Penn State have been facing increased transphobic events throughout PA, leaving these events without condemnation is a problem. Trans students already face additional challenges on top of navigating their work. Issues include costs for legal name changes, which are a barrier to a significant number of trans students. UHS has also had issues including deadnaming students and having very gendered forms.
	2. **Eli –** several students have been told within 48 hours that their insurance will no longer cover gender affirming surgeries, UHS has said that if attempting to pay out of pocket (for expensive surgery) without confirmation from United Healthcare insurance then insurance will use that as reason to reject reimbursement.
	3. **Yasha -**  additional recommendations to make Penn State and UHS more trans-friendly, including more resources, training, the ability to change pronouns and names on departmental websites, among other items listed in the resolution
	4. **Questions**
		1. **Schonn** – should trans be capitalized?
			1. Fine to keep it lower case
		2. **Julia** – it was my impression that they do have counselors trained specifically in sexual assault and trauma, is this not the case?
			1. Went over each of these points with Brian Patchowski, even though they do have staff, it is hard to get appointments, especially an issue since you need the letter of support from CAPS
		3. **Nico** – what tense are these actions supposed to be in? Is it supposed to be imperative?
			1. Present tense, otherwise don’t remember
	5. **Discussion**
		1. **Nico –** motion to amend to change to “single user” for bathrooms, seconded no objections
		2. **Ama –** motion to change Zoom to include other online video/virtual conferencing software, seconded, no objections
		3. **Julia –** motion to add “additional” to hiring CAPS staff recommendation, seconded, no objections, motion to add comma, seconded, no objections
		4. **Frankie –** should we specify what improvements to trans healthcare access we are looking for?
			1. Could be good to just be trans affirming healthcare
		5. **Frankie** – might want to add other online platforms for pronouns/gender accommodation
		6. **Yasha** – motion to add “future online platforms including but not limited to” to accommodate additional platforms, seconded, no objection
		7. **Frankie –** motion to add “of” to title, seconded, no objection
		8. **Julia –** motion to make language in recommendations consistent and to also change “reevaluating” to “reevaluate”, seconded, no objections
		9. **Julia –** motion to amend grammar, seconded, no objections
		10. **Eli –** motion to amend language based on severage paragraphs, for line 38 and other parts, seconded, no objections
		11. **Ama –** I assume this includes LionPath but does this require changing your name legally?
			1. No there is a process in place
		12. **Julia** – motion to amend recommendation number 12, seconded, no objections
		13. **Eli**  - motion to amend line 17 on last page, seconded, no objections
		14. **Ama** – motion to amend language for clarity, seconded, no objections
		15. **Julia** – motion to amend language for clarity, seconded, no objections
		16. **Yasha** – motion to add language for clarity, seconded, no objections
			1. **Nico objects, objection not sustained 17-1-1 Yes/No/ Abstain**
		17. **Ama –** motion to clarify language
			1. Objection from **Sandeep**, motion withdrawn
		18. **Ama –** motion to amend recommendation 11, seconded, no objections
		19. **Sandeep –** motion to change recommendation 6
			1. **Yasha objects**, motion withdrawn
		20. Motion to pass resolution by roll call, seconded, no objections
	6. **Resolution Passed 19-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
17. Resolution 71-02: Statement of Support for the BRIDGE Diversity Alliance
	1. **Sandeep -**  contacted by BRIDGE Diversity Alliance a few weeks ago regarding issue with eligibility for RIDEPass, which is a financial burden on individual students if they are not eligible. Expanding the eligibility would also have benefits for environmental reasons, and BRIDGE is calling on the administration to expand RIDEPass eligibility for financial and environmental reasons
	2. **Questions**
		1. **No questions**
	3. **Discussion**
		1. **Julia –** motion for language clarification changes, seconded, no objections
		2. **Eli –** motion to vote by roll call, seconded, **Julia objects**, withdrawn
		3. **Julia** – motion to add “and professional” to several locations, seconded, no objections
		4. **Eli** – motion to vote by roll call
	4. **Resolution Passed 19-0-0, see Appendix II for details**
18. Reports
	1. Speaker of the Assembly – **Sandeep Krishnakumar**
		1. Want to say thank you to everyone for all your work this evening
	2. Advocacy and Diversity – **Shah Soligné**
		1. Nothing to report
	3. Professional Development – **Niladri Sekhar Mandal**
		1. Met last time, Niladri elected chair, will meet next week to be plan and be ready for fall (including being ready for GWBC), if you have any suggestions, feel free to message us on Slack
	4. Programming – **Matt McGee**
		1. Nothing to report
		2. **Alex –** please send attendance records
	5. Community Outreach – **Julia Kelliher**
		1. Blood drive in early June to help promote
	6. Internal Development – No report
19. Liaison Reports
	1. **Star** – Work on behalf of the US embassies, visa issues should be cleared up for students coming from Asian countries in time for the fall
	2. **Julia** – Student Leader Roundtable, President Barron wants to make it easy for students to get vaccine first then incentivize (ex raffles, vaccine to enter Beaver Stadium)
	3. **Eli** – COVID-19 student advisory board, concerns from members about Board of Trustees not representing the student body in terms of diversity and potentially having a joint statement
		1. **Schonn** – will have meeting with BoT potentially to discuss diversity goals
20. Judiciary – The Honorable **Samuel Altland**
	1. Nothing to report, read your Robert’s Rules and make sure we streamline meetings
21. Student Trustee – Bryan Culler
	1. Not in attendance
22. Advisor – Adam Christensen
	1. Welcome to new appointees, thank you to Artemio, Star, Natalie for your service
23. Comments for the Good of the Order
	1. **Schonn** – moving forward, grammatical changes and questions for clarifications can be done prior to the meeting, thank you Star, Artemio, Natalie
24. Meeting adjourned at 9:38 PM

**Appendix I**

U= Unexcused Absence E= Excused Absence P= Present L= Late

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| Schönn Franklin | P |
| Alex Zhao | P |
| Matthew Billups | P |
| Ali Watts | L |
| Jennifer Jackson | P |
| **Judiciary** |  |
| Sam Altland | P |
| Emily Lesher | A |
| **Graduate Council** |  |
| Claire Kelling (Science) | P |
| Katie Warczak (Liberal Arts) | P |
| Jalen Jeter (SIA) | P |
| Hannah Nolte (Engineering) | P |
| **Assembly** |  |
| Travis Russell | P |
| Ashley Smalls | L |
| Elham Rahimi | P |
| Yasha Duggal | P |
| Nico Terry | P |
| Seongryeong Yu | E |
| Sandeep Krishnakumar | P |
| Lauren Katch | P |
| Niladri Sekhar Mandal | P |
| Haroula Tzamaras | P |
| Brooke Mattern | P |
| David Desmet | P |
| Matt McGee | P |
| Maria Isabel Da Silva | P |
| Julia Keliher | P |
| Nora Tucker | P |
| Frankie Urrutia-Smith | L |
| Sherif Olanrewaju | P |
| Shaheed Soligné | P |
| Megan Minnich | P |
| Eli Fields | p |
| Ama Agyapong | L |

**Appendix II**

U= Unexpected Absence E= Excused Absence A= Abstain Y=Yes N= No

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| **Office** | **Name** | **Attendance** | **Faculty Senator (Jennifer Jackson) Confirmation** | **At-Large Delegate (Ama Agyapong) Confirmation** | **Liberal Arts Delegate (Frankie Urruttia Smith) Confirmation** | **Bill 71-02** | **Bill 71-03** | **Bill 71-04** | **Bill 71-05** | **Bill 71-06** | **Resolution 71-01** | **Objection to motion to change language, Yes = trans affirming, no = trans healthcare** | **Resolution 71-02** |
| **Graduate Council** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Graduate Council | Claire Kelling (Science) | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | **E** | **E** | **E** | E | E |
| Graduate Council | Katie Warczak (Liberal Arts) | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Graduate Council | Jalen Jeter (SIA) | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | E | E | E | E | E | E |
| Graduate Council | Hannah Nolte (Engineering) | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | E | E | E | E | E |
| Graduate Council |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Assembly** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Agricultural Sciences | Travis Russell | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | E | E | E |
| Agricultural Sciences |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Art & Architecture |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Communications | Ashley Smalls | L | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Earth and Mineral Sciences | Elham Rahimi | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | E | E | E |
| Earth and Mineral Sciences |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eberly College of Science | Yasha Duggal | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Eberly College of Science | Nico Terry | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | N | Y |
| Eberly College of Science |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Education | Seongryeong Yu | E | E | E | E | E | E | E | E | E | E | E | E |
| Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Engineering | Sandeep Krishnakumar | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Engineering | Lauren Katch | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Engineering | Niladri Sekhar Mandal | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Engineering | Haroula Tzamaras | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Engineering |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health and Human Development | Brooke Mattern | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | A | Y |
| Health and Human Development | David Desmet | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Information Sciences and Technology | Matt McGee | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Inter-Collegiate Degree Program | Maria Isabel Da Silva (Isabel) | P | Y | Y | Y | E | E | E | E | E | E | E | E |
| Inter-Collegiate Degree Program | Julia Keliher | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Liberal Arts | Nora Tucker | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Liberal Arts | Frankie Urrutia-Smith | P | X | X | X | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| Liberal Arts |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nursing | Sherif Olanrewaju | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| School of International Affairs | Shaheed Soligné (Shah) | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| School of Law | Megan Minnich | P | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| School of Law | Eli Fields | p | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| School of Law |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Smeal College of Business |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At-Large Delegate | Ama Agyapong | P | X | X | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y |
| At-Large Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At-Large Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At-Large Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At-Large Delegate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Yes (Y) | 23 | 23 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 23 | 21 | 21 | 19 | 17 | 19 |
|  |  | No (N) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|  |  | Abstain (A) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|  |  | Veto | No | No | No | No | No | No | No | No | No |  | No |