



Ontario Institute for Studies in Education
Graduate Students' Association

OISE GSA Council Meeting

Date: November 13, 2025

Time: 6:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID:

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Attendance

OISE GSA President	Ahmet Su
OISE GSA VP Academic	Carolyn Oei
OISE GSA VP Finance	Matida Daffeh
OISE GSA VP Internal	Yuou Sheng
OISE GSA VP Events	Meilin Ma
APHD DSA Rep	Zein Abuosbeh
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CTL DSA Rep	
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LHAE DSA Rep	Mandy Nelson (President)
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SJE DSA Rep	Christine Apiot
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SAS PSA Rep	
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DPE PSA Rep	
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ISA Rep	Selcuk Emre Ergut
MTSA PSA Rep	Vanessa Gayle (President) Faduma Elmi
OISE EDI Standing Committee	Jacob Flindall, Skade Fernando, Megan Ali
OISE Sustainability Standing Committee Co-Chair	Simran Suri, Catherine Montgomery
GSA General Member	
GSA General Member	
Guest Alumni	
CUPE 3902 Union Unit 7 Lead Steward	

Agenda & Minutes	
1. Meeting Called to Order	- The meeting was called to order by Chairman Yizhe Chi at 6:05 pm.
2. Vote to Approve the Agenda	- The agenda for the meeting was presented to the attendees. - Motion: Carolyn - Second: Ahmet - Vote to Approve: 8. - Vote Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0
3. Agenda Item to discuss Operating Budget and Vote to Approve GSA Operating Budget	- Agenda Item regarding Operating Budget including vote. - Motion: Vote to approve budget. - Second: Jacob Flindall - Vote to Approve: 17 - Vote Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0



4. Donation from UTGSU on behalf of OISE BIPOC Thesis Group	Deliberation regarding donation from UTGSU. - Motion: Vote for approval Matida - Second: Ahmet Su - Vote in Favor: 14 - Vote Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0
5. Update from VP Academic Carolyn Oei regarding 2026 Graduate Student Research Conference	- Agenda Item regarding update on the 2026 Graduate Student Research Conference. Awareness only - Motion: None - Second: - Vote to Approve: - Vote Against: - Abstentions:
6. General Inquires	- Points of Inquiry from participants: Ahmet Su - End of Year Gala and Winter Social. - Motion: Vote for Venue Snake and Latte. - Second: Mandy Nelson - Vote to Approve: 15 - Vote Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0 - Motion: Vote for Event Date: Dec 5 - Second: Meilin Ma - Vote to Approve: 11/16 - Vote Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0 - Motion: To start gala committee - Second: Jacob - Vote to Approve: 10 - Vote Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0
7. Adjournment	- Motion to adjourn the meeting - Second: Megan - In favor: 14 - Against: 0 - Abstentions: 0 - The meeting was adjourned by __Chi__ at 7:15 pm



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