

Graduate and Professional Student Government (GPSG)

Senate Agenda

January 17, 2023 — 5:30 to 7 p.m.

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A. Call to Order – Speaker Wilkho (5:30 pm)

- a. Attendance
- b. Roll Call – VPI Farmer

B. Previous Minutes (Approved) – VPI Farmer

C. Special Presentation (mins)

- a. No Report

D. Reports of Officers, Advisors, and Administrators (2 mins)

- a. Administrative Reports
 - i. Graduate and Professional School - Dr. Morgan Schweller
 - 1. [Research and Presentation Travel Award](#) (for travel March 1st-May 31st) – Deadline 02/01/2023 11:59pm CT
 - 2. **Save the Date! Graduate Community of Scholars – Dinner & Dialogue** – Tuesday, March 21st 5pm-9pm
 - 3. **NEW Grad School eNewsletter** launched today! – [January eNewsletter](#)
 - 4. [Upcoming Award Deadlines](#)
 - a. The Association of Former Students Distinguished Graduate Student Award – Deadline 02/17/2023 5pm CT
 - b. Texas A&M Distinguished Dissertation Award – Deadline 03/06/2023 5pm CT
 - c. Montgomery Award – Deadline 03/24/2023 at 5pm CT
 - ii. Advisor—Mr. Robert McCaffery, Division of Student Affairs
 - 1. No Report
- b. Executive Reports **(2 mins)**
 - i. Dahlia M. Taha, Student Body President
 - Etiquette
 - Student Affairs Chair Position

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- ii. Manthan Admane, Student Research Week Director
 - SRW 2023-
 - Abstract Workshop
- iii. Annaliese Halstead, Director of Marketing
 - No Report
- iv. Executive Committees
 - No Report
- c. Legislative Reports **(2 mins)**
 - i. Rohan Singh Wilkho, Speaker & Executive Vice President (gpsg.evp@tamu.edu)
 - 1. No Report
 - ii. Dalvin Dunn, Vice President of Finance
 - No Report
 - iii. Nick Farmer, Vice President of Information
 - No Report
 - iv. Nirmitee Mulgaonkar, Vice President of University Affairs (gpsg.vpua@tamu.edu)
 - Student Affairs Co-Chair Position:
<https://gpsg.tamu.edu/committee-co-chair-application/>

E. Reports of Committee Chairs (2 mins)

- a. Advocacy Committee
 - i. TBA, Student Affairs Chair
 - No Report
 - ii. Yaswant Devarakonda, Legislative Affairs Chair
 - No Report
- b. Community Committee
 - i. Alexis Benedict, Programming, Service, and Recruitment Chair
 - No Report
 - ii. Amon Cox, Diversity, Inclusion & International Student Affairs Chair
 - Event rebrand: Bring Your Own Research. January 25th, [signup](#)
- c. Scholarship Committee

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- i. Natalie Vest, Research and Grants Chair
 - 1. No Report
- ii. Jake Stukenberg, Awards and Professional Development Chair
 - Travel Award App Launch: Jan 20 at 1pm

F. Committee Meetings (20 mins)

a.

G. Old / Pending Business (60 mins)

- a. [GPSG Bills 56.01 and 56.02.pptx](#)
 - i. [GPSG.B.56.01](#): Constitutional Amendment to define proportional senator allocation for colleges/schools in GPSG Senate (30: 3 + 25 + 2)
 - ii. [GPSG.B.56.02](#): Ensuring Senator Accountability: Re-defining steps for Senator Removal and defining office hour responsibilities for the GPSG Governance Board in Bylaws (30: 3 + 25 + 2)

H. New Business (mins)

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I. Announcements

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J. Adjournment

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Want to be listed on the GPSG Senate agenda?

Email Rohan Singh Wilkho—GPSG.evp@tamu.edu—by 5:00 p.m. on the Friday preceding each Senate meeting.

Please submit announcements or send topics to be considered on the floor via the [Bill Template](#) or [Resolution Template](#).

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