

Graduate Student Council (GSC) Meeting Minutes

Date: October 28, 2025

Time: 8:20 PM – 8:49 PM

Attendees: Amen, Raza, Sharareh, Sina, Taylor, Tiana, Alice, Shavelle

1. Upcoming Event Coordination

- Coordinated volunteers for the event scheduled for Wednesday at 3:30 PM.
- Amen noted a few schedule changes for volunteers.

2. Three Minute Thesis Workshop

- Scheduled for November 19.
- Discussion to continue at next week's meeting.
- This is a competition-style event; members will assist in preparing and organizing it.

3. UMKC Counseling Services Event

- Lead: Sina.
- Purpose: To hear how other graduate students manage stress and to receive advice from counseling staff.
- Scheduled for Thursday, October 30.

4. ISAO Communication

- Danae from ISAO should be updated on all upcoming events so they can be included in the ISAO newsletter.

5. GSC Newsletter

- Next issue to be sent on Monday, November 3.
- Goal: Distribute newsletters on the first Monday of every month.
- Members encouraged to suggest events relevant to graduate students.

6. Social Media Outreach

- Amen advised Taylor to increase social media activity and not be limited by provided prompts.
- GSC Executive members will help generate and share content ideas.

7. SAFC Budgeting

- Alice has reached out to Kyle regarding SAFC budgeting meetings and is awaiting a response.

8. Roo After Dark Event

- Raza suggested GSC participation in the Roo After Dark event as a promotional opportunity.
- Contact: Alisha.
- Amen will handle the booking.
- Event Date: November 14.

9. Leadership Development

- Amen encouraged members to lead future meetings to help develop leadership and facilitation skills.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:49 PM