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## **Meeting Agenda**

Fall 2021 | Noon - 1 PM Monday, November 8, 2021

## **Zoom Meeting**

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- I. Call to Order @ Noon
- II. Last meeting's minutes approval
  - a. Minutes approved.
- **III.Executive Officer Reports** 
  - a. President: Janina Deisenrieder
    - Email sent out with clarification regarding the grant distribution, any questions?
    - Voting form student symposium sent out, please vote by Friday, 11/12 by 5 pm
      - Email us if you have trouble accessing the form.
  - b. Vice President: Komala Shivanna
    - Student symposium update (changing categories, potentially receiving \$2500 from VPR)
      - Discussed the Student Symposium budget and talked about categories to include during the symposium.
  - c. Secretary: Hannah Holbrook
    - COVID-19/Sustainability Meeting: Thursdays at 8 AM over Zoom
    - Send me your senator profile if you have not already

- All senators need to be actively participating in at least <u>one</u> committee.
- d. Treasurer: Isuru Waduge
  - Club Grants will be received in the next upcoming days.
- e. OPD Officer: Danielle Gabrielli
  - Maine Veterans Home Christmas Project
    - 150 veterans get stocking on Christmas morning. They have things like crossword puzzles, toothbrushes, toothpaste, ect.
    - There will be a box outside of the GSG office where items will be collected; more information in the GSG newsletter.
- f. Board of Trustees Rep: Ameya Karapurkar
  - Applications OPEN for BoT Position: <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd0vFqGcFB1BANW">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd0vFqGcFB1BANW</a> <a href="eigPV5pZqvw87A5N0D-7TfbnZx6b9TdFxCDA/viewform?usp=sflink">eIV5pZqvw87A5N0D-7TfbnZx6b9TdFxCDA/viewform?usp=sflink</a>
  - Tenure of 2 Years
  - Appointment not by election but by Scott.
  - Need to submit a letter of intent.
  - Feel free to reach out to Ameya Karapurkar if you're interested in the position and have any questions about the responsibilities of the position.
- g. Grants Officer: Meetha James
  - All decision letters sent out.
    - Sent out decisions on Club and Individual Grants sent out.
  - Now working to update instructions about grants. Already put new dates on the website.

- Still updating interactions and application form; will be on the website in the next couple of days.
- h. Deputy Grants Officer: Robert Jarrett
  - Individual Grants
    - Requests: 38 Applications, total of \$28,118.36
      - a. 28 Degree-Related
      - b. 10 Travel-to-Present
    - Awards: 32 (84%) applications for a total of \$22,086.12 (78%)
      - a. 5 Applications were Disqualified
      - b. 1 Application Withdrawn
      - c. Breakdown
        - i. 14 Awards at 100%
        - ii. 11 Awards at 95%
        - iii. 4 Awards at 90%
        - iv. 1 Award at 75%
  - Club Grants
    - 10 Applications, total of \$4,705.00
  - Total Funding Awarded: \$26,791.12
  - Grad School is collecting coats for international students November 8th to December 1st. Email <u>patricia.perry@maine.edu</u> if you are interested in donating; monetary donations accepted as well. Check GSG social media for the flyer.

## IV. Old Business

- V. Senator Updates & General Announcements
- vi. Adjournment @ 12:21 PM