GSG Meeting 12/12/2018

Meeting called to order at: 12:00PM

Approval of minutes from 11/28/2018: Majority apparent, APPROVED

Speaker:

Justin Buchanan (justin.buchanan@maine.edu) – CITL: There will be a Graduate Teaching Academy pilot run in the Spring semester. If you are interested, please RSVP on the website.

https://umaine.edu/citl/event/graduate-teaching-academy/2019-01-24/

President:

Development of a scope and mission statement addressing the policy on campus during first meeting of spring semester, January 23rd. We will need help with developing a mentor-mentee document for the graduate board. The Graduate Board will be creating a committee around this document and will need non-STEM graduate students to sit on the committee for feedback.

Vice President:

Will need to start finding sponsors for Student Symposium 2019 and looking to find volunteers to help.

Also looking for faculty and student judges for the Student Symposium.

There will be faculty recognition awards in the spring, to be present during the week of the symposium: Graduate Faculty Mentor Awards and the Dan Sandweiss Graduate Advocacy Award.

GRAD: a professional development series that is currently being developed in the graduate school.

Growth; Resilience; Advancement; Delivery.

Outreach and Professional Development Officer:

There will be a grant writing workshop January 16th and 28th starting at 8:30AM-2PM. Pre-registration is required, and lunch will be supplied.

Childcare Taskforce:

There will be a document to the president of faculty senate addressing all the problems with the current childcare on campus and highlighting a plan to address these issues.

Adjournment: 1:00PM