GSG meeting: 10/23/2019

Time Meeting was called to order: 12:05 PM

Approval of meeting minutes 10/09/2019: Approved by majority

President:

- Representatives from cross insurance agency would be arriving to hold a forum on insurance policies for graduate students. The Outreach and Professional Development Officer would be sending out a flyer on this.

- To the graduate student government statement condemning the posts of Umaine College republicans; the Wabanaki Center responded with a thank you note.

- The benefits offered by subscription to NAGPS (National Association of Graduate-Professional Students) with regards to individual insurance is provided here: [http://nagps.org/benefits/](http://nagps.org/benefits/)

Grants Officer:

- The first packet swap would take place on November 4th from 2-6 pm (Bangor Room, Memorial Union)

- The official reading day would be on Friday, November 15th from 2 to 6 pm (Bangor Room, Memorial Union).

- If there is a schedule conflict with respect to packet swap; please contact the grants officer.

Outreach and Professional Development Officer:

- Two Events are planned on October 31st; Goodies with Grads (Trunk or Treat with the Orono Town office) from 3:30 to 6 PM and Spooktacular Social after that.

- Volunteers are needed for the event, please contact the OPD officer for volunteering.

- The event includes some philanthropic activities and a grad event with tacorita, Music, games and a Churro bar etc. Other ideas are also welcome.

- A Volunteer is needed to be Waldo, and students who spot the waldo can take a picture and tag the GSG in the picture.

- The most unique picture or the most number of pictures will get a prize.

Treasurer:

N/A
Secretary:

- Attendance

Vice President:

N/A

Other Updates:

- Oronoka; hosted by ISA will take place on October 25th in the Common Loon from 10:00 PM. Tickets cost 10 dollars and early bird tickets cost 8 dollars.

- Grad School Mug club on Time management from 4-6 PM at Stodder 57 will be Hosted by senator Jennifer Jain.

- The Offices of International Programs is moving their offices from Estabrook to 3rd floor Stodder.

- Culture fest on November 9th from 11 AM to 3:30 PM at the New Balance Rec Center.

Meeting Adjourned: 12:25PM
Professional Development Series:

MUG CLUB
Open to all Graduate and Undergraduate Students

Time Management Tips

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Thursday, November 7, 2019
4 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Room 57, Stodder Hall
Thursday, October 31st, 2019

Goodies with Grads

At 'Trunk or Treat' in downtown Orono!

Awards for best costume, best couple/group costume, and most creative costume!

Followed by...

Spooktacular Social

6-9pm at Tacorita
Music, Games, Costumes, and... a CHURRO BAR!
2019 CULTUREFEST
SATURDAY, NOV. 9
11 A.M. - 3:30 P.M.
A celebration of food, music, activities, fashion, and more from cultures around the world.

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