# Graduate & Professional Student Association

#### **Members Present**

Diana Do – President Woodger Faugas - VP of Finance Jasmine Garcia – VP of Diversity Affairs Maxim Johnson - Pharmacy Representative Richard Ou – Physical Therapy Representative Samah Abbaker - Dentistry Representative Sydney Williams - Graduate Division (Basic Sciences) Representative Aidan Pace - Medicine Representative

Tram Pham – Physical Therapy Representative

#### **Members Absent**

David Sung - VP of External Affairs grad rep Keya Patel – VP of External Affairs prof rep Sarah Shapiro – VP of External Affairs prof rep Honglip Park – VP of internal Affairs Naureen Syed - Nursing Representative

#### **Student Present**

Joseph Kazancioglu – Dental student

#### Staff Present

Jennifer Rosko – UCSF Student Life Kathy Chew - UCSF Student Life

- I. WELCOME / INTRODUCTIONS (5:30-5:39)
- II. QUORUM CHECK / MINUTES APPROVAL (5:39-5:40)

Yes:8 / No:0 / Abstain: 0

- **NEW BUSINESS / ACTION (5:40-6:25)** III.
  - A. RCO Exceptional Funding Request-Joseph Kazancioglu
    - This request concerns the budget for a social event to be held at the Dental Center
    - The initially allocated budget for a health clinic was inadvertently used for a social for volunteers, due to a misunderstanding of the guidelines.
    - GPSA permits funding for one social event per RCO
    - The plan is for the annual social event to be held in May, with a request for approval to apply for a second social
    - Vote: Yes:8 / No: 0 / Abstain: 0
  - B. Election Calendar Jennifer Rosko
    - a. Candidate Applications Due: April 7
    - b. Voting: April 15-29
  - C. Committee Representatives Honglip Park

please note members of the academic council must sit on two committees throughout the academic year

- a. Committees
  - i. AAUCSF Student-Alumni Engagement Committee
  - ii. Chancellor's Council
    - Discussed transitioning the Nursing program from a master's to a doctoral level
    - Talked about improving transportation for students planning for rotations or externships, focusing on Bay and Muni Pass.
  - iii. Committee on Disability Inclusion
  - iv. Council on Campus Climate, Culture, and Inclusion
  - v. Miscellaneous Fee Advisory Committee
  - vi. Student Health Advisory Committee
    - Starting June 1, 2024, UCSF Health will take over primary care services for UCSF students on the UC SHIP, with a transition period allowing ongoing appointments through May 31. The shift, addressing the urgent need for physician providers, promises enhanced access with specific faculty PCPs for students at Mount Zion, with further updates on financials to come by June.
  - vii. Student Services Fee Advisory Committee
  - viii. UCSF Advisory Committee on Sustainability
  - ix. UCSF Police Accountability Board

- b. Seeking Student Representation
  - i. Committee on Education Technology 2 students needed
  - ii. Committee on Library & Scholarly Communication 1 student needed
  - iii. Housing Advisory Committee 1-2 students needed

# IV. UPDATES (6:25-6:30)

# V. PLANNING (6:30-6:50)

- A. Cultural Night March 5, 2024 @ Parnassus
- B. Alumni Social March 12, 2024 @ SPARK
- C. Last Lecture April 9, 2024 @ Parnassus
- D. Llama Visit May 8, 2024 @ Mission Bay

## VII. OFFICER REPORTS (≤3 minutes each)

- A. President Diana Do
  - a. GPSA Brunch Meeting is scheduled for March 16th at 10:30 AM
- B. VP of Internal Affairs Honglip Park
- C. VP of Finance Woodger Faugas
- D. VP of Diversity Affairs Jasmine Garcia
- E. VP of External Affairs David Sung, Keya Patel, Sarah Shapiro
- F. Dentistry Representative Samah Abbaker
- G. Graduate Division (Basic Sciences) Representative Sydney Williams
  - a. Planning Dog Day and ASGD Travel Award
  - b. ASGD Travel Award provides financial assistance to students attending conferences and meetings, offered on a rolling basis.
- H. Graduate Division (Social Sciences) Representative OPEN
- I. Medicine Representative Richard Ngo, Aidan Pace, and Stephen John Cruz
- J. Nursing Representative Naureen Syed
- K. Pharmacy Representative Maxim Johnson
- L. Physical Therapy Representative Tram Pham, Nick Covaia, Patrick Miller, Richard Ou

### XI. ANNOUNCEMENTS (≤2 minutes each)

- A. Upcoming Meetings
  - a. Monday, April 1 at 5:30 p.m. GPSA Monthly Meeting: zoom
  - b. Monday, May 6 at 5:30 p.m. GPSA Monthly Meeting: zoom
- B. Upcoming Events