## **Graduate Student Council**

General Body Meeting Minutes

07 February 2019 Stevenson Center 5326 6-7 PM

President – Mary Lauren Benton

AAU campus climate survey 10-15 minutes Continuous reminders

Alumni Hall Lounge

1<sup>st</sup> floor renovations where bamboo bistro was New furniture/construction Study space during day, social in the evening Grand opening soon?

Greg Smith (Center For Teaching) -

New hiring ops for grad students

- 1. Graduate teaching fellows 12 mos
- 2. Teaching affiliates not an entire year
- 3. Cert in College Teaching Facilitator 6-8 wks for 2 semesters 10-15 hours/week

Email Heather Fedesco (h.fedesco@vanderbilt.edu) with questions Deadline is Feb 20, 2019

Colin White-Dunzo (School of Medicine) -

Shade Tree Trot (SoM and SoN)

Fundraising event for Shade Tree Clinic + Mercury Court Clinic 5k run on April 20, 2019 at Vanderbilt Football Stadium (9AM) \$25 student, \$30 non-student Can do team registrations (10+ person) – get discount Can do a free donation ("sleep in") https://shadetreeclinic.org/archives/events/shade-tree-trot

## Amy Zheng (Graduate Student in Chemical Engineering)

Departmental 3MT

Need volunteers – review applications

Event is Feb 22 from 1-2PM

## **BREAK**

Student Life Liaison - Kelsea Best

MHBoR&R published and posted!

UCC will publish as well

Graduate Student Resource Guide

GSC initiatives

Grad student hardship and childcare funding

Money to be available next year

Treasury - Chris Taisch

**AcFee** 

Need to request application for funding Sent out Feb 8, Deadline is March 14 Deadline for feedback is Feb 22 Email gsc\_acfee@vanderbilt.edu with questions

Academic Affairs Committee – Ian Setliff and Jack Ding

Main event: March 29, 2019 (registration open now)

Workshop: February 15 (12-1PM)

Lunch provided Overview and goals

Departmental 3MT:

Chemical Engineering
Earth and Environmental Science
Student and Faculty independent events
Civil and Environmental Engineering

Sponsorships are available!

Up to half of total budget (maximum \$500)

Scholarships available

## Secretary – Corey Hayford

GSC Newsletter

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Questions, Comments, Concerns:

Inclusivity in Biosciences Association

Hosting BethAnn McLaughlin MRB3 1220 at 4:10PM