

# GSS GENERAL BODY MINUTES



The University of Vermont

**Date:** April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Time:** 1800 - 1900

**Facilitator:** Miki Beach, GSS Vice President

## Executive Board Reports

Vice President

- TA/RA survey will go out on April 27<sup>th</sup> and will be open for 1 week
  - o Senators should advocate that students fill out the survey
- Update on graduation and regalia
- Executive Council Results and comments from Executive Board Elect:
  - o President – Justin MH Salisbury
  - o Vice President – Ijaz Ul Haq
  - o Treasurer – Cara Simone
  - o Communications Director – Erica Lamkin
  - o Secretary – Sandra Nnadi

## Approval of Minutes

- Daniel Munteanu moved to approve the minutes for 04/08/2022 GSS meeting, seconded by Irfan Tahir.
  - o No dissent on the minutes. Motion Passed

## Budget

- Alison Hall, GSS treasurer reviewed the 2021/2022 budget
  - o Roughly \$3000 remaining in the food sharing budget
  - o Remaining funds will be rolled over into the budget for 2022/2023

## Old Business

Resolution to remove the name of Justin Morrill from Morrill Hall

- Justin Salisbury, senator who brought the resolution to floor was not in attendance
- Motion to table the Resolution – Made by Berke Tinaz, Seconded by Mitchell Joseph

## New Business

### Housing Committee Survey Update

- Patrick Payne provided a review of the graduate student survey conducted in 2020/2021 year with the presentation slides attached below. Presentation put together by Berke Tinaz and Patrick Payne

### Graduate Student Advocacy and Experience Committee Update

- Provided input on what social network interest graduate students are interested in for community building
  - o Most graduate students are interested in Slack (57%)
  - o Planning to move forward organizing Slack for graduate students

## Next Meeting

May 6<sup>th</sup> | 0800

Motion to adjourn the meeting made at 1847 with no objections