



ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
Graduate Student Council

A-State Graduate Student Council Meeting Agenda

Monday, February 5, 2018 | 12:30 – 1:30PM | 8th Floor of Ellis Library

I. Call to Order and Introductions

- **Rokib Hasan** called the meeting to order at 12:30PM CST.
- All GSC officers and attendees introduced themselves.

II. April 9th (election) meeting will be in the Delta Center, Room 201 from 12:30-1:30pm. All other meetings will be in the 8th floor conference room of Ellis Library (Feb. 19th, Mar. 5th, Mar. 26th, Apr. 23rd).

III. Reports

a. President's Report

- i. All attendees voted to have two awards (one Master's and one Doctoral) per graduate student award. The voting results are shown under section ii.
- ii. Updates to the GSC award nomination packets are in progress. Deadline for nominations is March 31st, 2018. Start thinking about who you would like to nominate for the:
 - Outstanding Graduate Research Award (one Master's and one Doctoral)
 - Outstanding Graduate Faculty Mentor Award
 - Outstanding Graduate Student Mentor Award (one Master's and one Doctoral)
 - Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award
 - Outstanding Graduate Student Award (one Master's and one Doctoral)
- iii. Annual GSC Awards Banquet
 - Who would we like as our invited speaker?
 - Postponed for next meeting. Everyone were requested to share their opinion through email.
 - Any food preferences? Sodexo?
 - Preliminary, Sodexo is chosen.
 - We will be introducing the 2018-2019 officer group at the banquet.
- iv. Most of all attendees supported the idea and voted to change the travel fund award. From now, students can apply twice per academic year rather than once per academic year.

b. Vice President's Report

- i. Fun day: Rokib requested everyone to share the opinion through email.
- ii. Graduate Student Day proposal: Postponed for next meeting.

c. Treasurer's Report

- Qian encouraged to apply for the travel fund for upcoming conference and presentation.

d. Committee Reports

- i. SGOC: A-State has hired a few people to handle the rogue Limebikes around campus.

IV. Open Floor – Any thoughts?

V. End: Meeting adjourned at 1:30 PM CST.