



## EGSC General Meeting Minutes

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Meeting Date: December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2015

Meeting Location: Weil Hall 307

Recorded By: Madeline Sciullo

Meeting Start: 8:30 AM

Meeting End: 10:00 AM

Attendance: Madeline Sciullo, Casey Barnard, Morgan Harding, Dr. Bolch, Mike Nazareth, Donald Watson, Brianna Posadas, Felipe Lenz, Sasha Mafusalov, Hannah Gardiner, Rommel Pabon, Colin Paulbeck, Ian Kane Hahus, Scott Strednak, Regina Rodriguez, Anne Elise Creamer, Jianguai Huang

### Reports:

#### Chair:

- Accomplishments of semester
  - Junior Preview
  - Establishment of Department EGSCs
- Three departments were not-established
  - MAE
    - Officers elected, Karen's on it, meetings set up for next semester
  - ECE
    - Email Dr. Bolch a description today
  - ISE
    - Looking for new people to join
- Ensure continuity from second entity
  - Update status of Department EGSC
  - Present semester goals of each DGSC
- Individual Development Plan (IDP)
  - "Five Year Plan"
  - Identify preferred pathway
  - Include a plan of study for courses
    - Suggest replicating Dr. Dixon's course for Industry and Government
    - Open seminars
    - Percentages of graduating jobs distribution
- Critic the student handbook and bring to the chair (Dr. Bolch! Great idea!)
- Individual Development Plan
  - Structure
  - Benefiting the students but the students have to realize its important
  - Faculty has to realize it's part of their job.
  - Pressure on students to attend from advisor and professors
  - Use as a recruiting tool

#### Mike:

- Leadership Institute Scholarship Winners and Finalists: 3 from our group! YAY!
- Junior Preview
  - Next Junior Preview is the 1<sup>st</sup> weekend of November 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> (Thursday-Saturday) at the Holiday Inn, budget significantly increased.

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- Double the students (50) and invite 50 of UF top juniors
- Junior Reception: existing posters, faculty and current graduate students.
- Summer Institute 2017
- Spring Visit
- Brunch
  - Speakers will be re-scheduled
  - Limit the speakers from the Dean, Student from EGSC, and keynote speaker
- Subcommittee
  - Please sign up for one if you can
  - Anne Elise signed up for Thursday Night Dinner/Activity with Felipe

### Secretary:

- Incentive Program
  - Raffle winners: Colin, Hannah, and Anne Elise
  - Tell Dr. Bolch what you like for your gift cards
- Attendance
  - Look out for emails after Christmas to collect schedules

### Dr. Bolch:

- Need ideas for the Graduate Student Newsletter
- Try to have two a semester, targeted months: Oct, Dec, Feb, Apr
- Tech Talk Column
- Identify Editor, send to Dr. Bolch to publish
- Send link to all the lecture seminars
- Counseling and Wellness Center – Resource Spotlight (Cheap Posters, 24/7 Printing Rooms, Broward Technical Writing)
- Rec Announcement
- Maybe have GAU give updates
- Scholarships and Fellowships!!
- Book or Movie Review
- Possible Hiring Positions – Job Announcements (local too)
- Career Resource Center – woman specific to graduate
- Research Institute Column
- Have a section for what else interested in
- Platform? PDF? Send an email with examples
- Small editorial board:
  - Felipe?

### Action Items:

#### Everyone:

- Over the next month, contact one person who has some hiring ability, ask them “What type of skills would you like to see in an candidate” email Casey Barnard [cbarnard511@gmail.com](mailto:cbarnard511@gmail.com)
- Need suggestions for keynote speaker

#### Maddie:



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- Follow up after Christmas for Spring schedules

Dr. Bolch:

- Circulate Dr. Dixon's syllabus
- Percentages of graduating students jobs distribution

### **Next Meeting:**

TBA for Spring Meetings; look out for emails from Maddie after Christmas.

### **ACTIVITY:**

Please send your response to the EGSC secretary at [secretary.egsc@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.egsc@gmail.com) for the extra 1/2 point towards the EGSC Attendance Policy.

Answer the following questions and send them to the EGSC Secretary!

- 1) How many issues of the EGSC Newsletter do we aim to publish a year? \_ \_ \_ \_
- 2) Apart from the newsletter and Spring visit, what is the goal for next semester?  
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- 3) How many people won a gift card during today's raffle? \_ \_ \_ \_ \_