

General Council Meeting Agenda: April 18, 2024

# General Council Meeting

1. Call to Order and sign in!

# Executive Board Reports

* 1. President Lacey Rzodkiewicz (ldr27@pitt.edu):
		1. Ongoing elections:
			1. Confirmation of new officers: Payne Banister (President), James Kuldell (Vice President)
			2. Adriana Cox joining

# Vice President Payne Banister (wpb20@pitt.edu):

* 1. Faculty Advisor Rosemary Capo (rcapo@pitt.edu):

# Administrative Assistant Christina Vega-Alemany (asgso@pitt.edu):

# Don’t forget to submit the purchase approval form prior to purchasing things to make sure you’re good!

# Please check our website or with Christina/Lacey/Payne for deadlines for grants and/or reimbursements and also make sure to check your email for any information from us!

# I (Christina) will be working throughout the Summer, so you can email asgso@pitt.edu with any questions!

# UPCOMING DEADLINES:

# May 31st at 5p is the last day/time to submit any reimbursements to SORC.

# The SORC office will be closed June 3-7th.

# Internal Committees

# GPSG:

# Follow up on Executive Board retreat:

# Contacted Engineering GSO, LAGOS, BGSA, CGSE

# BGSA did not respond

# Coauthored statement with EGSO, LAGOS informed by discussion with CGSE, sent Friday to advisors, VP Godley (13 April)

# Asked for three things: 1) funds be returned to GPSG account, 2) Bylaws Committee form immediately, 3) Respond prior to the GPSG meeting on Wednesday (17 April)

# Contacted on 5 April to indicate a Bylaws committee would form earlier;

# Grad Expo:

* + 1. Chair: Payne Banister
			1. **NEXT THURSDAY ON 28 MARCH!**
			2. 3MT from 9-12, Grad Expo 12-4
			3. WPU 540 primarily

# Teaching Awards:

* + 1. Members: Natalie Runkle (nataliebrunkle@gmail.com) (Philosophy), Alysha Lieurance (Anthropology), Caitlin Mace (cbm49@pitt.edu), Kathryn Carney (klc171@pitt.edu)
		2. Nominations are open here: <https://pre.asgso.pitt.edu/awards-and-grants/teaching-award/2024-teaching-awards/>
		3. **Seeking new members**

# Committee for Diversity and Inclusion:

* + 1. Members: Mihir Khanna (Physics), Arnab Dey Sakar (Math)
	1. Summer Research Grants
		1. Members: Turki Alturaifi, Jack Rechsteiner, Caitlin Mace, Nazifa Tabassum
		2. Meeting on Monday at noon! Contact Lacey to join the kick off!

# External A&S Committees:

# Healthcare task force: Allison Mahoney (amm540@pitt.edu)

# Medical Hardship Assistance Fund-will continue through next academic year

# PLEASE APPLY FOR FUNDS

# You can compile all of your EOBs/statements for one big reimbursement!

* 1. A&S Dietrich Council: DSAS Council, grad student reps
		1. Reps: Grace Naa Korkoi Amoah (GNA16@pitt.edu), Godspower Ubit (godspowerubit@pitt.edu)

# A&S PBC: DSAS Planning & Budgeting Committee, grad student reps

* + 1. Reps: Neel Patel (NEP48@pitt.edu), Edison Hauptman (ERH129@pitt.edu), Christina Vega-Alemañy (CMV66@pitt.edu)

# A&S Grad Council:

* + 1. Reps: Oluwasegun Amoniyan (OMA55@pitt.edu), Turki Alturaifi (tma53@pitt.edu), Laura Beghini Chelidonopoulos (laura.chelidonopoulos@pitt.edu), Si Wang (SIW34@pitt.edu), Akira Pinto (akira.pinto@pitt.edu)

# University Council on Graduate Studies

* + 1. Rep: Robert Marshall (rrm72@pitt.edu)

# Old or Unfinished Business:

# New Business:

# Announcements:

* + 1. <https://discord.gg/T6kWFFQ8tJ>
		2. If you’re still not a member of the Discord server, now is a good time to join!