

Events

The GSA-UW hosts events and activities for graduate students. Our current ongoing series of events to highlight are #PoliticsToday, Building Your Career (Remotely), BIPOC Graduate Community Collective, Candid Talks with Grads, and International Student Hangouts. Keep an eye out for invites in our monthly newsletters and social media platforms.

Council Heritage Minutes

August 9, 2021 (VPC, CS)



BIPOC Collective Solidarity Chat

August 11, 2020 (VPC, SEC)



Community Stroll

August 13, 2021 (SWC)



Candid Talks with Grads: TA Stressors

August 26, 2021 (SWC)



Outdoor Movie Night

August 31, 2021 (SWC)



Council Update



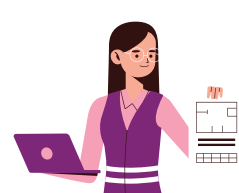
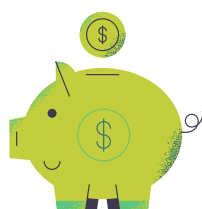
VPA provided a **summary of Management's accomplishments** since the start of her term in a farewell speech to the GSA-UW Council.

MJ Singh **presented research contract results to GSA-UW Council** on Higher Education Governance and provided alternatives to Robert's Rules.



Events & Initiatives Highlights

The **2021-2022 GSA-UW budget** was **approved** by the Board of Directors.



Provided a space for students to **talk about the stressors** they face as **teaching assistants** at the University of Waterloo through the GSA's **4th Candid Talks with Grads** event.

VPC and SWC met with **HREI** to discuss **opportunities to collaborate** on GSA-UW's **Student Advising Sessions**.



Facilitated an **outdoor community stroll** around Columbia Lake for students.

Operated a **socially distanced outdoor movie night** at the Graduate House



Stakeholder Meetings

The GSA-UW Management and Support Staff participate in multiple stakeholder meetings across campus and external to the university. These meetings are attended to ensure the graduate student voice is heard and to advocate for our graduate student community.

	P	VPA	VPC	SWC	ISC	CDC	EqC	CPC	SEC	RDA	EIC
1						X					
2							X				
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14	X	X	X								
15	X			X							
16		X	X	X							
17		X									

1. PART - Health and Mental Health
2. PART - Safety
3. PART - Equity Data Collection
4. PART - Race, Culture, and Ethnicity Awareness
5. PART - Educational Environment and the Development of Learners
6. PART - Professional and Academic Development & Mentorship
7. Provost, Students
8. Human Resources
9. Accountant
10. BEC
11. Board
12. USA
13. GLOW
14. Orientation Planning
15. PART Health and Mental Health Working Group
16. HREI
17. GSA Research Contract Student

TEAM MEMBER ABBREVIATIONS

P	President
VPA	Vice President Administration
VPC	Vice President Communications
ISC	International Students Coordinator
SWC	Student Wellness Coordinator
CC	Communications Coordinator
CDC	Community Development Coordinator
CPC	Campus Partnerships Coordinator
EIC	Elections Coordinator
SEC	Student Engagement Coordinator
EqC	Equity Coordinator
RDA	Reporting and Data Analysis Coordinator
EC	Elections Coordinator
PC	Policy Coordinator
CS	Council Speaker

University-wide Representation

VPC and VPA engaged in a **focus group by the PART Health and Mental Health Working Group** to have conversations around **creating and/or enhancing accessibility to services, and supports and resources for BIPOC students**.



Services Update

Received **573 completed applications** and **approved 482 refunds** for Spring 2021.



Our Key Performance Indicators (KPI) Reports are developed by **GSA-UW Reporting & Data Analysis Coordinator & VPA**. Please email Jacqueline at gsa-reporting@uwaterloo.ca for any questions.

Our reports can be found at:
www.gsauw.ca/news/kips

