

Meeting Agenda

November 13, 2018; 6:30 PM



ARTS & SCIENCES GRADUATE COUNCIL

Upcoming Plenary Meetings:

December 11

Philosophy Hall 301

<https://council.gsas.columbia.edu/>

1. Sign-in & Welcome
 - a. Vote to approve October minutes
2. Presentation by Office of University Life (Zach Harrell)
3. Announcements (Vice President)
 - a. Vote on what to do about the December meeting
 - b. Introductions:
 - i. Social Sciences Senator, Darold Cuba
 - ii. Community Chair, Andrew Carroll
 - iii. Events Co-Chair, Brandon Graser
 - iv. Masters Affairs Chair, Amanda Platek
4. New Student Group Recognition (Vice President)
 - a. Initiative for Diversity in Engineering and Science (IDEaS)
5. Committee updates
 - a. Alumni & Career Development
 - i. Updates
 - b. Quality of Life
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 1. GSAS Parents Meeting with Dean Alonso Monday, November 26 4-5pm
 2. UAH Internet Survey Results
 - ii. 6th and 7th Year Teaching Appointments
 - c. Events
 - i. November 15th: Carmen @ The Met (SOLD OUT)
 - ii. November 16th: TGIF @ Gin Mill
 - iii. November 28th: Mean Girls
 - iv. December 5th: Greek @ BAM
 - v. December 12th: Anastasia
 - vi. December 16th: Holiday Brass @ The New York Philharmonic
 - d. Masters Affairs
 - i. Improving MA Representation / filling vacant spots
 - ii. Input from current MA Reps
6. External Representatives Updates:
 - a. Health
 - b. Libraries
 - c. Graduate Workers of Columbia (GWC)/Union

- d. Interschool Governing Board (IGB)
 - e. Disabilities (SSD)
 - f. ISSO
 - g. University Life Events Council
 - h. PhD Council
 - i. ECGSAS
 - j. UEM/ P&P Fund
- 7. Senators' Updates (Andrew, Mike, Darold)
 - 8. New Business (Open Forum)
 - 9. Committee Meetings & Adjournment (Vice President)

ASGC plenary meetings are conducted in the style of *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised (10th Edition)*

Obtain the floor (the right to speak) by being the first to raise your department placard when the person speaking has finished. You must be recognized by the Chair before speaking.

- No member can speak twice to the same issue until everyone else wishing to speak has spoken to it once.
- The agenda and all committee reports are merely recommendations. When presented to the assembly and the question is stated, debate begins and changes can occur.