

Executive Committee Work Summary

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Position: President

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Reporting Period: May-July 2018

Consultation and Representation:

- May 10, 11, 14, July 13 – Meeting with Bipin, VP Finance
 - o Discussed variety of topics pertaining to GSA, advocacy, finances, events, etc.
- May 18 – GSA Executive Meeting
- May 18 – Meeting with GSA member and VP Finance
- May 23 – GSA Council Meeting
- June 1 – Meeting with SGS Dean and GSA VP Finance
 - o Discussed Pints & Perspectives series, graduate bursaries, grad house expansion, etc.
- June 7 – Meeting with Dean, Financial Services, GSA to discuss discrepancies with H&D fees and future reconciliation
- June 28 – Phone conference with Grant, CFS Maritimes Organizer and Bipin, VP Finance and Khaleel, VP External.
 - o Upcoming fall orientation and NB lobby week, etc.
- July 12 – PSAC Young Workers Committee Meeting
- July 19 – Meeting with SGS Dean and President UGSW

Research, Legislation, and Outreach:

- June 4 – Created GSA Newsletter and circulated to students
- June 8-13 – Attended CFS National General Meeting in Gatineau, Quebec with Bipin, VP Finance and Khaleel, VP External
 - o Attended National Graduate Caucus meetings and discussed motions for plenary
 - o Attended Budget committee and discussed 2018-19 budget

Committees and Boards:

- May 25 – GSA Funding Taskforce Meeting
- June – GSA Funding Taskforce Meeting
- July 18 – GSA Funding Taskforce Meeting
 - o Discussing survey results and working towards committee recommendations for graduate student funding
- June 14 – SGS Graduate Student Funding Taskforce Meeting
 - o Elaborated on the state of graduate student funding
 - o Reviewed comparative tuition data and enrolment data
- July 23 – SGS Graduate Student Funding Taskforce Meeting
 - o Consultation with GAUs from Science, FOREM, Computer Science, Engineering
 - o Discussed typical funding practices and levels

Events Hosted/Planned:

- July 4 – Graduate Administrators Appreciation Luncheon
- July 19 – Meeting with UNBSU Orientation organizer
 - o Discussed areas for collaboration during upcoming orientation events
- May-July – Have completed the Orientation 2018 schedule. Can be found on FB and GSA website at www.unbgsa.ca/orientation

Projects and Goals:

- Will be sending out email looking for Orientation volunteers soon. Volunteers have opportunity to select event and time. They will receive drink ticket for Grad House and are invited to volunteer appreciation night (during karaoke) where drink tickets will be provided.

Announcements:

- Orientation 2018! Be there!