Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Attendance:**

**Executives:**
In Attendance:
- President Mason Koelm
- Vice President Adriana Kotchkoski
- Cabinet Director Khyathi Gadag
- Finance Director Matthew Klaes
- Physical Safety Director McKenna Raimer
- Governmental Relations Director Sydney Wagner
- Mental Health Director Nanle Gusen
- Communications Director James R Miller
- Grants Director Shaoshuai “Shirley” Chen
- GPAC Director Eric Field

Not in Attendance:
- Interprofessional Director Robin Nilsson
- DEI Director Aimen Hameed
- International Affairs Director Raghav Sharma

**Delegates:**
- Association of Graduate Nursing Students (AGNS)
  - Nikta Kia | Present
  - Emily Puetz | Absent
- Carver College of Medicine Student Government (CCOMSG)
  - Abby Davison | Absent
  - Chandler Brown | Present
- College of Pharmacy Student Leadership Council (COPSLC)
  - Rebecca Scribano | Absent
  - Sabrina Renner | Present
  - Sarah Canfield | Present
- College of Public Health Graduate Student Association (CPHGSA)
  - Ellie Madson | Present
  - Nick Lembezeder | Absent
  - Allison Darling | Present
- Graduate Student Senate (GSS)
  - Fine Arts & Hum. - Jordan R. Ismaiel | Absent
  - Physical Science, Math, Eng. - Soheil Hosseini | Present
  - Social Science & Ed. - Celine Fender | Absent
Biology and Med. - Emily Hagan | Present
At-Large 1 – Karly Monaghan | Present
At-Large 2 – Priyanka Kailas | Absent
Iowa American Student Dental Association (IASDA)
Vi Phan | Absent
Sam Allen | Present
Arshi Munjal | Absent
Tyler Jenness | Absent
Iowa Student Bar Association (ISBA)
Rhianna Lightle | Absent
Austin McLellan | Present
Karlyn Simcox | Absent

Reports of Officers and Standing Committees

President:
• Iowa legislature budgetary allocations are in, and they look good overall.
  o One major concern is the limited funds being allocated for DEI initiatives.
  o The Senate is restructuring the bill in favor of the University and will be sending this back to the House.
  o The University will be monitoring the situation and keep student government updated.
• RVAP is being moved to DVIP, an organization operating in the Southeastern portion of the state.
  o This is a plan that has been in the works for a while.
  o A good portion of the grants received by RVAP go straight to the university and restructuring them to better support rural communities will be good.
  o The coverage is shifting away from the university, but the university will be creating a new supplemental group focused on the university.
  o There will be shifts in staffing that will occur, which is creating some pushback.
  o Aside from the staffing, there should not be a significant impact to services.

Vice President:
• No substantial updates. Just transitioning the position.

Finance Director (Budget, GPAC, Grants):
• No updates.

Cabinet Director:
• No updates.

Cabinet Updates and Period of Q&A
GPAC Director Eric Field:
• Thank GPAC for all the work they did last night and getting the legislation ready.
• Looking forward to closing out the end of his three years.

Physical Safety Director McKenna Raimer:
• Birdie distribution went well.
• Looking forward to a smooth transition.

International Affairs Director Raghav Sharma:
• Not present

DEI Director Aimen Hameed:
• Not present

Governmental Relations Director Sydney Wagner:
• We had Hawkeye Caucus the first week of this month.
  o Thanks to James and Abby for coming.
  o We had meetings with legislators.
• Next Friday we have a meeting with legislators.
  o If you have any questions, forward them to Sydney.

Mental Health Director Nanle Gusen:
• Thank you to everyone for successful mental health around the world event. Had a great turnout and everything went well. Hoping to see better wellness on campus and hosting more collaborative events in the future.

Communications Director James R Miller:
• Reminder for headshots from new executives and cabinet directors.

Grants Director Shaoshuai “Shirley” Chen:
• Overview of Grants funding.
  o We are looking at a decreased budget for the upcoming year.
  o To account for this, we are minimizing the maximum award available for categories to allow us to distribute grants to more students.
  o Believes a reputation of getting an award is still important, but we can’t control the money.
  o Tried hard to limit review bias and facilitate fairness in applications.
    ▪ Allowing repeated applications for previously denied claims.
    ▪ Set limit for discrepancy between two reviewers.

Sustainability Director Abby Crabtree:
• Saturday is the trash crawl.
• Still discussing with university regarding construction projects that are happening.
Interprofessional Director Robin Nilsson:
• Not present

Reports of Officers and Standing Committees:
Association of Graduate Nursing Students (AGNS):
• Thank everyone for a great year.

Carver College of Medicine Student Government (CCOMSG):
• Med school Gala was last month and a great success
• Doc Dash 5K is this Saturday
• Shoutout to positions entering their residency

College of Pharmacy Student Leadership Council (COPSLC):
• Recently inducted new executive members.

College of Public Health Graduate Student Association (CPHGSA):
• Just completed elections and have new incoming delegates ready for next year.
• End of year formal is happening this Saturday.

Graduate Student Senate (GSS):
• Had elections and filled all of their positions.
• Friday Night Vibes event was successful last Friday.
• Thank everyone for a great year with GPSG.

Iowa American Student Dental Association (IASDA):
• Currently in the process of electing new members. There will be new individuals in the near future.

Iowa Student Bar Association (ISBA):
• Barristers Ball held last month and was a massive success.
• Held elections but have been unable to fill some positions.
• Congrats to Mason on your nuptials.

Old Business:
• Reminder to vote for the end of year awards!
  o Delegates need to vote by midnight tonight.

New Business:
• D.B. 11, D.B. 12, and Director Elections

D.B. 11 – FY25 GPAC Funding Cycle Approval Act:
Floor opened for questions and comments | None
Floor opened for debate | None

Resolution Passed

D.B. 12 – GPAC Funding Tenets and Bylaws Amendments:
Floor opened for questions and comments | None
Floor opened for debate | None

Resolution Passed

GPSG Elections:
- For each director position up for election:
  - Present candidates were afforded the opportunity to provide statements and delegates were offered the opportunity to ask questions of candidates.
  - Delegates then engaged in deliberations regarding the candidates.
  - After deliberation, votes were taken for each candidate.
- Election Results:
  - Sustainability Director: Josie Welker
  - Interprofessional Director: Brigitte Ledferd
  - Government Relations Director: James R Miller
  - Communications Director: Ganrong “James” Fu
  - Physical Health and Safety Director: Austin Olberding
  - Grants Director: Nanle Gusen
  - International Affairs Director: Krishna Venkatapur
  - GPAC Director: Nathan Chen
  - DEI Director: Lara Zeng
  - Mental Health Director: Bethany Walczak

Meeting Adjourned