Senate Brief - December 2, 2021 Meeting

Please be mindful about who you share information with concerning GPSS. More importantly, be careful about whose information you share so that nobody is put in danger.

Housekeeping and News

➢ Election season is upon us! Check out our website to learn more about the elected Executive Board positions and other non-elected roles. If you have any questions about a specific position, feel free to email the current members.
  ○ Click here to declare your interest in an Executive Board position.
  ○ Click here to declare your interest in a non-Executive Board position.
➢ Do you know of any graduate groups on campus that we could invite to take part in the GPSS? Let us know!
➢ Strategic Affairs for the university is soliciting feedback to help curate the university plan more effectively alongside its members. Please fill out this form to respond to their question, "If you had a magic wand, what would you change about the University?" All responses will be anonymous and sent in batches to them directly.
➢ No more meetings this semester! Have a great break, everyone!

Old Business

All three resolutions passed by significant margins (one unanimously) and will be moved out to shared governance (commissions and ultimately other senates). You can read those resolutions here. The abbreviated resolutions that advanced are:

24. GPSS Resolution 2021-22T: Resolution to Establish Equal Opportunity Hiring Practices for Graduate Assistantships
25. GPSS Resolution 2021-22U: Resolution to Make Student Services More Readily Available for Graduate Students During the Semester and Summer
25. GPSS Resolution 2021-22V: Resolution for Secure Equitable Funding for Cook Counseling

New Business

Preliminary President’s Committee on Governance Changes for GPSS Consideration