August General Body Meeting

Agenda

Welcome/Icebreaker

President Vision—President

• Sustainability and the 2017 motto

Committee Introduction—Deja

- Alumni and Membership Affairs—Justin
 - o Eat, Play, and Network
 - Tailgate the UNC game on September 3rd
- GAPSFit
 - Healthy eating
 - Nutrition Kitchen
 - o C25K and the AIDS Athens 5K
 - o Rush Athens
 - Weekly Track Exercise
- Community Outreach
 - o AIDS Athens October
 - o Tiny Public Libraries and Little Free Pantries
 - o River Day

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- Issues and Concerns
 - Constitution Revision
 - o Wellness Initiative—monthly mental health professional and speaker event
 - o Elections Timeline
 - Educational Programs
 - Representative for GPSA
 - Athens Area Resource Guide
 - o Thursday (possibly virtual) Meetings in Southwind?
- Mary Francis Early
 - Call for speakers
- Social Affairs
 - o Socializing and bonding—promote an inclusive idea
 - Ideas
 - o Karaoke
 - Bowling
 - o UGA Football Watch Party
 - Game Night(s)
 - Local Concert(s)
 - o Atlanta Weekend Trip--October

- Mixer with BUGA
- o Cabin Trip
- Black and White Affair
- Meeting every first Wednesday
- Professional Development
 - 2 workshops with the Career Center
 - Networking and negotiating
 - Life after Grad School
 - o 2 faculty workshops with Issues and Concerns
 - Microaggressions
 - Horizontal allyship
 - MSP Social Justice Series
 - Ideas
 - Writing retreat—Cabin with Issues and Concerns
 - Grad student panel for undergrads

Budget/Concessions

- Treasurer's Report
 - o \$11,545.59 currently
 - o Fundraising and Philanthropy—needed
 - o GAPS student allocated budget—stipulations for spending
 - No more than 20% for food
 - \$1600
 - No more than 10% for travel
 - \$2000
- Concessions
 - o Thorough explanation of the struggle and the rewards
 - o 67% of members from last year were against concessions
 - This year: Coliseum Events
 - Gym dawgs, basketsball, baseball, softball etc.
 - Require 8 people
- Other fundraising
 - Percentage Nights
 - Partner with Seles
 - GAPS President monthly contribution
 - o Conversations with President's Office, OID, Graduate School
 - Being thoughtful about what we are spending
- Call for help
 - Strategic planning
 - Coliseum volunteers

Research Presentation

• Micah Miles- Reptile and Amphibian Distribution across an Urban Gradient