



GSS Session 7 Agenda

5:30 pm, Tuesday, March 7, 2022

Student Union, Room 169

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Attendance**
- 3. Review of Agenda**
- 4. Public Comment**
 - Members of the public may address GSS members on any item appearing on this posted agenda or matters impacting students.
- 5. Approval of Minutes**
 - a. None
- 6. Scheduled Guest Speakers**
 - a. None
- 7. Reports**
 - a. President's Report: George T. Fields, GSS President
- 8. Unfinished Business - None**
- 9. New Business**
 - a. Action: Judiciary Committee Justice Confirmations**
 - The Senate will consider the following Senators for the role of Justice on the GSS Judiciary Committee for the rest of the GSS year.*
 - i. Kollin Johnson
 - ii. Nicole Wiggs

b. Action: External Committee Nominee Confirmations

The Senate will consider the following Senators for leadership positions representing GSS for the rest of the GSS year.

- i. Faculty Senate Libraries and Information Committee
 - Rachel Paganelli
- ii. Faculty Senate Research Council
 - Max Neveaux
- iii. Title IX Prevention Team
 - Taylor Baird
- iv. University Technology Fee Advisory Board (TAB)
 - Kollin Johnson

c. Discussion: Legislation Writing Guide

GSS Senator #71, Alexis Gillmore, will review a document outlining and explaining the various types of legislation the Senate can pass and providing examples of how they are used and relevant templates.

d. Discussion: GSS Elections

GSS Program Coordinator, Nick Jakel, will review the GSS Election process and answer questions.

e. Discussion: Open Floor

Senators may bring up any topic of their choice to share information, start a conversation, or ask questions.

10. Announcements/Member's Privilege

Senators may share out any information to the group. This could include announcing any of the following: upcoming events in their department, GSO, or anywhere on campus, sharing a deadline for a grant or scholarship, raising awareness about a new or underused resource on campus, etc.

11. Final Attendance + Adjournment

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 29, 2023 at 5:30 pm in SU 169

Upcoming Event(s):

- UT Basic Needs Survey: tiny.utk.edu/needssurvey - available now through 3/31
- [Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week](#), March 27-31
 - Game Night immediately after the GSS Session in Hodges Library on 3/29
- GSS Awards Banquet, March 27
- Grad Student Night at UT Baseball, 4:30 PM - March 28
- Gather in the Gardens -
- Get to Know GSS - New Office Open House and Candidate Meet & Greet - March 31
- Tie Dye Event at the Pride Center March 31
- GSS Elections April 3-5