

**SOBGS Elected Representative Meeting Agenda**

March 20th 2023

Zoom, 3:30PM

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**Present:** Eileen Barac, Rada Tazhitdinova, Jordan Maglov, Gabriella Sidhu, Jordan VanderBurgt, Abbie Bechard, Katarina Kukolj, Thomas Galfano, Kiana Lee, Josh Bulfango

**Regrets:** Samantha Hopkins, Sophie Killam, Amalie Hutchinson, Libesha Anparasan, Carly Charron, Henrique Cesar, Matheus Lima

**Absent:** Lorena Yeung, Will Yeung, Andrew Beauchamp, Andrew Cook, Justin To, Erin Brownscombe, Kristina Laus, Brynne Duffy, Kathryn Lamoureux

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1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of Minutes
3. Chair
  - a) Two new SOBGS members! Tommy Galfano will be joining the Social Committee, and Sophie Killam is our new BGRF chair.
  - b) Department meeting is coming up later this week.
4. SOGS Committee
  - a) New SOGS president starting in May.
  - b) Need to start sending out emails summarizing council meetings to bio grads.
5. Treasurer
6. PSAC Rep
  - a) Stewards meeting coming up where changes to bylaws get approved.
  - b) Trying to get a pride standing committee made.
7. Grad Ed Committee
8. Seminar Committee
  - a) Only two seminars remaining, will discuss over the summer how they will arrange for next year.
9. Undergrad Ed Committee
10. Research Committee

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### 11. Outreach Committee

- a) Openhouse this Saturday (March 25th).

### 12. Social Committee

- a) Trivia night was successful with ~40 attendees. Hoping to do it again with faculty and staff invited as well.
- b) Not much Bio Ball planning still, planning to do a yoga fundraiser.

### 13. Sustainability Committee

- a) All bins are going well.
- b) Wanting to add a razor recycling program and an oral hygiene program. Speaking with Carrie and the BGS building manager about where they could put this.

### 14. AAFC Rep

- a) Held a meeting for Ag-Can students to discuss any potential issues they are having but nothing was brought up.

### 15. EDI Rep

### 16. BGRF Chair

- a) Gathered committee members and held first meeting, and currently in the process of forming subcommittees.
- b) Planning to start applying for funding early April and secure a keynote speaker by the end of April.

### 17. Other Business