



## Graduate Student Council

### General Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, June 5th, 2018 from 5:30PM to 7:30PM – Carson L01

#### **VOTES:**

1. Meeting minutes, passed.
2. Agenda, passed
3. Fund transfer \$1,000 from Social budget to GSAC
  - a. Vote passes
4. IGMP Indoor Rock Climbing Funding Request \$500 (Alan Collins, presenting)
  - a. Vote passes
5. Cancel meeting for July
  - a. Vote passes

#### **DISCUSSION:**

1. Dean Kull – Guarini School of Graduate and Advanced Studies
2. Council on Graduate Studies meeting update
  - a. Increase in admissions, but decrease in yield: working on ways to fix this issue
  - b. Initiative to increase diversity in applicant pool and within each department
3. Finance Update, Daniele Bellutta
4. Feldberg Second Floor update
  - a. Temporary lounge space for graduate students with GSC representation on the planning committee
  - b. Tuck, Thayer, MEM, Arts and Sciences all meeting to design the space
  - c. This committee will continue to meet until the space is ready
  - d. Current idea: create a relaxing space with room to nap and socialize

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Update on new graduate student lounge construction
  - a. Aggressive timeline for this to be complete by Fall 2019

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

1. Graduate Investiture Ceremony – Sat June 9th, 4pm, Spaulding Auditorium HOP
2. Commencement – Sun June 10th, 9:30am, Dartmouth Green