

General Assembly Meeting – V

Meeting Minutes

11/4/2009

5.1 Meeting was called to order at 4:35 pm

5.1. Attendees

E-board: Jaskirat Sodhi, Ashish Borgaonkar, Ashumeet Singh Samra, Vignesh Bharathwaja, Chitra Sridhar, Anurag Verma.

Representatives: Neha Mittal, Gaurav Singh, Ashini Shah, Daniel Cargill, Victor Mwangi, Jason Piest, Katie Locke, Guangyu Zhang, Samarth Trivedi, Ankur Agarwal

5.2 Motion to approve the meeting minutes for the general assembly meeting held on 10/21/2009 was passed by Daniel Cargill and seconded by Katie. Motion was approved with 10-0-0 voting.

5.3 Research day progress was briefed. It was a very good response. 52 abstracts were selected. Ashish updated on judges and timings. Department representatives were appreciated for their work.

5.4 Feedback sessions that are conducted were updated.

Any concerns or questions the representatives were asked to contact the GSA e-board. Ashish added that all representatives should submit the reports and Jaskirat briefed on reimbursement and banner system.

5.5 Chitra briefed on the updates of the reimbursements.

Dr Kane also added on the procedure of the system.

5.6 Cultural remix is to be held on Nov 11th from 8:00 pm – 11:00 pm. All clubs were encouraged to participate.

5.7 Thanksgiving trip was briefed. Trip will be to Washington DC and Philadelphia. Guests will be starting from NJIT on 27th at 2:00 pm. Capitol Hill entry is obtained. Holiday Inn is booked for the stay.

Other attractions include Imax movie show at Air and space museum, International spy museum, Battleship and Camden Aquarium. Price will \$90 for NJIT Grads and \$120 for guests.

5.8 Nov 16th at 4:30 pm there is a mandatory meeting for reps and clubs with computing services and IST. Handouts were passed and they were asked to interact with students.

5.9 Travel awards deadline is on Dec 4th. Travel from Summer 09 is included. It will be a sum of \$ 600 for presentations and conferences and \$200 for general travel.

Its on a reimbursement basis.

5.10 Annoucements

- Photography workshop presentations are up on the website.
- Yoga workshop was conducted on 10/29 and had a good response.
- Ravi Shankar tickets were sold out and had a good time.
- Stomp (11/14/2009) tickets sales have started. Its \$25 for grads and \$35 for guests.
- Email was requested from Engineer without Borders to send out to the list server and information's for updating the website.

5.11 Other Business

- Representatives were asked to maintain the office hours.
- Grievances committee requested issues that are pertaining to student's community.

5.12 Meeting was adjourned at 5:20 pm. Motion was passed by Daniel Cargill.