GSA EXECUTIVE MEETING 11/17/14 Tentative Notes

Attendance: Mike Hooker visiting from Biology, Leigh Ann, Paul, Sabrina, Brian, Elizabeth, Thom, Adam, Alecia, Tonya, Jaime

1. Provost Meeting Plan: Mimi is not comfortable with us meeting with Dr. Morrison-Shetlar at this time. She wants us to have accomplished more of our goals. Brian is advocating for us to have her and the Chancellor come in the spring at different times. Lots of discussion.

2. Chancellor/Dept. Head Meetings: Perhaps ask the Chancellor come to the GSA meeting where we ALSO invite all the department heads to have an open Q&A with meet n greet. Perhaps this is not the best time for the GSA to meet with the Provost since we are still becoming established. Elizabeth was thinking Feb.18th (second full meeting) for program heads so we can get valuable information for us. Lots of discussion. What do we want to show off? What do we want to ask for? We need to set dates for the speaker series, set up our volunteer dates/locations, etc.

3. MEETINGS FOR SP 15: We will meet exec. in the Grad. School, and regular meetings in the Library
   Exec. Meetings- Wed. (11-1pm) Jan. 21, Feb 11, March 4, April 1, May?? maybe- close to graduation
   Full Meetings: Wed. @ 11 & 4- Jan, 28-11am, Feb 18-4pm, March 18-11am, April 8th-4pm

4. Discussion: Some discussion about surveys for graduate students about current issues. We need a better representation of our collective voice. Maybe Zoomerang surveys.

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5. Strategic Plan: Break up the large documents into small chunks to work on. Leigh Ann will bring parts of the strategic plan to each meeting to work on so we can make slow progress.

We will work to bring representatives to the next meeting.