

# GSAC Meeting

Driscoll Student Center Suite 1880, 9am

Jan 13<sup>th</sup>

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## EVENTS

- Social Event
  - Rockies Game – Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup> @ 6:40pm
    - Tickets and food purchased – Best way to distribute tickets?
    - Advertising to come out soon
    - Those interested will need to send an email to [gsac@du.edu](mailto:gsac@du.edu)
- Professional Development Event
  - Topic is finances: how to manage, paying back student loans, etc
    - Waiting to hear back from Financial Aid
- Community Service Event
  - Updates on the collection effort
    - Send Genevieve an email

## CONFERENCE AND RESEARCH FUND REQUESTS

- Requests from graduate students prior to the unrolling of the Graduate Student Professional Development Funds (GSPDF)
  - These requests are for attendance in conferences only. Vote to approve.
    - This is the last time we will consider attendance only

## CHANCELLOR'S DINNER DEBRIEF

- Thoughts from those who attended
  - Enjoyed it; thought the conversation was good
- Points of discussion
  - New Career Center Reorganization
    - The goal of this is to improve services offered to graduate students without a program-specific career center, increase collaboration between career centers, and increase connections with alumni and employer development

- Connecting international students to the campus
  - Ask your GSA and colleagues if they are aware of any particular issues and if they have any ideas on how to better connect the international students to the campus
- Academic rigor of the programs
  - Ask your GSA and colleagues about their thoughts of the academic quality of their programs

#### UPDATES / ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Promoting Multicultural Excellence in the Academy (see Attachments)

#### ISSUES / CONCERNS / INTERESTS

- Orientation Fair next fall – Possible locations?
  - Driscoll Green did not work; Will look into DCB green
- Anything for the good of the order?
  - Nothing



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