Graduate Student Relations Committee

December 1, 2013

The committee has met 3 times thus far.

We are preparing for our first event called "The Graduate Survival Kit." For this event we will be collaborating with The Office of Student Activities. This event will be held on December 9, 2013 from 5-7 PM.

The event will be held in the Student Union. We will be offering soup, cornbread and graduate survival kits containing chocolate, soup, popcorn, etc. This graduate survival kit is modeled after the current "bagged snacks" that are offered to the undergraduates. The Graduate Committee felt that graduate students needed a bagged survival kit to help get them through finals.

After the upcoming event, we will be preparing for another event in the Spring. This event is an ice-cream social. We have had this event before in collaboration with the Office of Student Activities and it has been very successful. We served appetizers and spirited and non-spirited drinks. We did run out of food and have asked for additional funding.

We have asked the Finance Committee for additional funding and it has been approved. There is a provision that we submit a proposal outlining what we need the additional funding for. This will be completed and submitted prior to December 6.

The Graduate Committee is strong and committed.

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