

GSA Meeting Agenda

• JANUARY 22 2021 •

WELCOME

- Attendance

DEPARTMENT & RELATED EVENTS (MICAYLA SPIROS)

- Anthropology Spring Workshop Feb 12 @1-5 PM (1-3 PM first years, 3-5 PM RCR)
 - *Dr Mindy Morgan— History of Racism within the Discipline*
 - Email Dr. Morgan if there is anything else you
- Faculty Meeting moved to 1/25/2021
- Cory/Thomas grants due to department by Feb 1

COGS UPDATE (RHIAN DUNN)

- Student Legal Services
 - www.Studentlegalservices.com
 - 517-353-3716
 - brianjeffries@studentlegalservices.com
 - davidmeyers@studentlegalservices.com
- GradPlan
 - Not completely ready for new system yet
 - Old system still re-uploads to new system every night which is why some features aren't live yet (some changes would revert back when the old system updates every night)
 - Should be live by June, but if you need something before then, email Grad Life office directly
 - Notice any bugs or need something updated before June that isn't live?
 - office@cogs.msu.edu
 - mdelrio@msu.edu
- Spit Testing
 - Not required for grad students but highly encouraged
- New Director of Equity and Anti-Discrimination - Renee Wilmot
- COGS Upcoming Events
 - January 27 – Financial Wellness Workshop
 - February 4 – Slavery to Freedom Lecture: Dr. Monique Morris
 - February 11 – Slavery to Freedom Lecture: Patrisse Cullors
 - February 20 – Graduate Academic Conference
 - February 22 – MLK Jr. Week – Experiences of MSU Black Male Students
 - February 25 – Slavery to Freedom Lecture: Dr. Cornel West

TREASURY UPDATE (ELENA WATSON)

- Current Amount
 - Same as before (none has been spent)
- MSU Work Life Office

GEU UPDATE (JEFF BURNETT)

- Meeting Next Week

GSA ACTIVITIES UPDATE (EMILY MILTON)

- Symposium Update— Email
 - Will not be held this year
 - Hoping to hold it next year as soon as we're in person again
- Beginning Spring Semester Happy Hour
 - University deadline on Feb 5, so many a happy hour after that point but before the semester really gets going

OPEN FLOOR

- Any questions, comments, concerns?

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