

## GSA chair meeting minutes

December 1st, 2021

The meeting was conducted on December 1st, 2021.

Welcome chair:

1. ask for input for prospective faculty
2. Welcome related event:
  - a. AMS reception
  - b. checked with Dee, no incoming grad student in spring
  - c. Welcoming prospective students is coming up? after 2/21-3/7
  - d. graduate program committee meeting next Wednesday,
  - e. Open house for applicants in future years

Treasurer:

1. Calendar
  - a. benefit
  - b. diversity type event, for marketing
  - c. welcoming intro day, corn maze, and other small events to spend the money like dinner?
  - d. Cookie decoration?
  - e. Holiday white elephant gift exchange at the end of the cookie decoration. Maybe after GSA, potentially on Dec 20th. Look out for dietary restrictions.
2. treasury document

DEI

1. website, the first rollout of the DEI
2. how do we select the representatives?
3. make sure people get a choice to defend themselves

GSA position rally

1. travel award on for AMS reception.
2. broadening requirements for PhD should include outreach service
3. if we end up doing swag facilitator gable, get people to participate
4. Award or Plack on 8th floor
  - a. GSA has a student contribution award
  - b. GSA faculty/ mentorship award

Seminar

1. seminar colloquium selection comes from a few groups, so we only have remote sensing and dynamical talks
2. March 2022 for nomination, April 2022 for voting
3. attendance at the seminar