



# GSA Funding Board

April 5th 2024, 12pm – 1pm

<https://gvsu-edu.zoom.us/j/98392619577?pwd=RWYrR3A5QldZYmEwYzNpZlMxbnRRUT09>

Meeting ID: 983 9261 9577

Passcode: 121245

**Chair: Brooks Twist (GSA FO)**

Narelle Hickmon (GSA AO)

Jhon Kerby Gerlin (GSA CO)

Sheri DeVries

Albert Okwei

Mary Claire KCON GSO

Kyle Shultz

Aastha Guragin

Name	Organization	Attendance	Name	Organization	Attendance
Taylor Carlson	Student Affiliates in School Psychology	Yes.	Jeffrey Laatz	School Counselor Graduate Student Organization	No.
Nishi Patel	COTAD Chapter	Yes.	Allison Munyer	Medical Dosimetry Student Organization	Yes.
Heather Colombo	Kirkhof College of Nursing Graduate	Yes.	Alisa Shipton	Nonprofit Professionals Graduate Student Organization	No.

	Student Organization				
Cameron Munroe	Traditional Student Occupational Therapy Association	Yes.	Garrett Falk	Richard Paul Clodfelter Student Society	Yes.
Jered Holland	Healthcare Professionals Graduate Student Alliance	No.	Anna Briem	Biology Graduate Club	Yes.
Anna Biggs	Master of Social Work Student Organization	No.	Caleb Story	Doctor of Physical Therapy Organization	No.
Varsha Jawahar	Professional Association of Graduate Scientists	No.	Hayley Wilson	Student Affairs Graduate Association	Yes.
Melanie Koto	Phi Theta Epsilon - Occupational Therapy Honor Society	No.	Long Ho	International City / County Management Association Graduate Student Chapter	No.
Faith Smith/Jacqueline Clark	Graduate Public Health Society	Yes.	Janel Ritt	Hybrid Student Occupational Therapy Association	Yes.
Maxwell Ritchie	Graduate Communication Association	No.	Kellie Corbett	Graduate Organization of Applied Linguistics	No.
Calysta Bailey	Masters Students in Rec Therapy	No.			

1. Welcome
2. Announcements
  - a. Welcome to the new GSA Executive Board
    - i. New Finance Chair - Albert Nii Noi Okwei
  - b. 2024/25 Funding Cycle - April 19 meeting

3. Call for Quorum
4. Old Business - Recaps
  - a. call for write ups
5. New Business -
  - a. Maxwell Ritchie - GCA - Central States Communication Conference - \$360.00
    - i. [Central-States-Communication-Association-Conference-Funding- 19-Mar-2024 Budget.pdf](#)
    - ii. **Request not approved.**
  - b. Zane Walters - PAGS - Botany Conference - \$475.00
    - i. [Botany-2024-Conference 28-Mar-2024 Budget.pdf](#)
    - ii. **Motion:** Janel Ritt (Hybrid SOTA)
    - iii. **Second:** Garrett Falk (RPC)
      1. **Passed.**
  - c. Aastha Guragin/Leah Bishop - Individual - GL Bioinformatics conference - \$993/\$1000
    - i. [Request-for-Registration-and-Transportation-coverage-for-the 28-Mar-2024 Budget \(1\).pdf](#)
    - ii. [GLBIO-2024-Funding-Request 29-Mar-2024 Budget \(1\).pdf](#)
    - iii. **Motion:** Cameron Munroe (Traditional SOTA)
    - iv. **Second:** Janel Ritt (Hybrid SOTA)
      1. **Passed.**
6. Reminder for funded RSO's - Sheri [devries3@gvsu.edu](mailto:devries3@gvsu.edu)
7. Next meeting – 4/19, 12pm via Zoom – Deadline for requests: 4/12 - 12pm

12:25pm-12:27pm: Discussion with Anna Briem regarding a question for July funding for a student. Present at this discussion was Brooks, Narelle, Jhon, Jacqueline Clark, Anna Briem, Albert, and Aastha Guragain.

12:27pm-12:32pm: Discussion with Jacqueline Clark about any other potential needs for the request and the process of the request. Present at this discussion was Brooks, Narelle, Jhon, Jacqueline Clark, Albert, and Aastha Guragain.

12:32pm-12:34pm: Discussion with Aastha Guragain about timeline for receiving funding that was approved. Present at this discussion was Brooks, Narelle, Jhon, Albert, and Aastha Guragain.

12:35pm-12:43pm: Discussion with Jhon Gerlin about a submitted funding request. Present at this discussion was Brooks, Narelle, Jhon, and Albert.

12:43pm-1:00pm: Discussion with Albert about the process for requests after the funding meetings are adjourned. Present at this discussion was Brooks, Narelle, and Albert.

8. Adjourned at 1:00pm.