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GENERAL MEETING

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Agenda

1. Recent Events
2. Upcoming Events
3. SBSA Event Incentive System
4. Program Proposals
5. CGAP and Faculty Senate
6. SBSA Slack
7. Open Floor

Recent Events

Dec 17 **Holiday Trivia Night**

6pm, Logan Leak

Upcoming Events

March 5 Recruitment event (ideas???)

3:30 pm, Katherine Nico

March 10 SOAR (Student Outreach to Alumni Resources) Mentorship Event

6-8 pm, Monica Nesselbush and Joe Gonzalez

Survey link [here](#)

Upcoming Social Events

- Paint 'n' Sip 2: Electric Boogaloo
- Trivia Part 3
- Book swap
- Virtual game nights
- Graduate student finance/tax workshop
- Knitting club
- Virtual cooking class

SBSA Event Incentive System

- Want to encourage attendance at more SBSA events!
 - Following model of Stanford Athletics
- Attendance at any SBSA event earns you points
 - Each point = 1 entry into an end-of-year raffle!
- Possible prizes:
 - AirPods!
 - Echo Dots!
 - Hydroflasks!
 - HelloFresh subscriptions!
 - ~75 students with the most points at the end of the year will receive custom sweatshirts!

Meetings w
current officers to
see if you want
to apply for their
position next
year!!

Social
events!!

General
body
meetings!!!

Program
proposal
events!!

Wellness
first
Fridays!!!!

Program Proposals

- Deadline for winter quarter proposals was Thursday, January 21
- How does the system work?
 - You have an event that you want to happen for biosciences students. You fill out a short form telling us about the event and how much money you need. Then, SBSA votes on events for the quarter and, if approved, you run the event and are reimbursed by SBSA!
- How much money can I request?
 - SBSA has roughly \$2000 per quarter to allocate to program proposals. Events in the past have received \$1000+ in funding! Most events request around \$200-\$500.
- Examples:
 - Decorate Your Lab Space!
 - Care Package Giveaway
 - Zoom Game Night
 - Membership to a useful/entertaining service, like a masterclass
- Questions? Email Edel (emmcrea@stanford.edu)

CGAP 1/13/21

- Recruitment
 - Wednesday, March 3 - Friday, March 5
 - Wednesday 8:15-9:45 am - Welcome “breakfast”
 - Friday 12-1 pm - Visibility and Representation Gathering (previously Diversity Lunch)
 - Resources fair TBD
 - Will be using Socio app
 - Possibility of Stanford Biosciences video
 - Overall, slight decrease in the number of applicants (2812 in 2020, 2590 in 2021)
 - Committee to discuss changes to the application
 - Potentially changing to 2 program choices
- Resilience Workshop
 - NIH directed program to build resilience specifically for students
 - Ashby Morrison, with Dan Herschlag
 - Check your emails for details

Faculty Senate 1/19/21

- COVID vaccination rollout
 - Dependent on county
 - Up until last week, vaccination strategy was focused on healthcare workers, shift towards the general public recently
 - Medical student run “Flu Crew” is gearing up to do COVID vaccines in the community once approved

SBSA Slack Workspace

- Please fill this out if you want to be added to the workspace:
<https://forms.gle/evUA3jK1EmITgCH98>

Open floor for questions/input

- Grad Student Advisory Committee (GSAC) on COVID-19
 - Lucy (lucyxu@stanford.edu) is the SBSA rep
 - Let her know if you have feedback on COVID-related things that should be passed to the admin (VPGE/VPSA)

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