

Student Bar Association General Meeting

April 9, 2015 11:00am Room 2406 lunch, call to order 11:15

Notes:

Call to Order

Present: Board: Stephanie, Dave, Chad, Brett, Richelle, Tess, Sveta,

- I. Overview of what SBA's role is at the law school
 - i. What is SBA and what does the SBA do?
 1. SBA's role in the ABA- voting member on resolutions.
 - a. ABA Rep
 2. SBA's role in student funding – GPSA- gives SBA funds based on enrollment
 3. SBA's role on behalf of the students – scheduling.
 - a. Committee Representatives
 - i. 1L, 2L, 3L Faculty Representatives
- II. Individual Student and Student Group Funding-
 - a. General update to funding procedure – Students supposed to come to SBA first and then to GPSA. Gives money to student groups and individual students. Charter mandatory. GPSA Crackdown!
 - b. Individual Student Funding
 - i. Possible increase in the amount an individual student may receive for funding
 - ii. Procedures (Stephanie on how to submit)
 - iii. Call for students to submit requests for Spring and Summer funding
 - c. Student Group Funding
 - i. Possible increase in the amount student groups may receive
 - ii. Procedures and limitations
 1. Must submit budget to SBA – Use same procedure as submitted to GPSA. Before June 1st. for 2015-2016 Year. Submit to Brett unmsba@gmail.com and any outside funding please indicate
 - a. The SBA may take the budget you requested from GPSA into account along with the GPSA approved budget into account
 - i. What to do if you are requesting additional money from the SBA that is not in your requested budget
 - ii. \$6500 in PB funds. Will SBA be able to keep this money? Tentative. Discussion.
 2. Procedure – Please submit funding request before not after trips.
 3. Call for Student Groups to submit budgets for FY 16
 - d. Other Sources of Funding
 - i. ABA – check out website for potential funding
 - ii. GPSA – after getting sba funds approach the gpsa
 - e. Call for GPSA Representatives
 - i. The President must nominate GPSA Reps – or accept nominations? Mabel Arellanes- GPSA potentially 3 spots available SBA will talk to Diego.

- ii. What does a GPSA Rep do? This is an important job to keep UNSOL student's funded like the med school and other graduate programs are funded
 - f. Student Feedback –
Barrister's Ball Thank you to Barrister's Ball Committee!
Isotopes Game – May 12th
- III. Call to adjourn