

SOBGS Elected Representative Meeting Minutes

Jan. 24, 2022

Zoom, 11am

Present: Eileen Barac, Carly Charron, Josh Isaacson, Quintin Jarrett, Abbie Bechard

- e. New chief steward coming in next school year – Abbie is graduating
- 7. Grad Ed Committee
 - a. No updates; meeting soon
- 8. Seminar Committee
 - a. At the end of term, will be organizing the student-selected speaker for the 2022-2023 academic year
 - b. Seminars will be on Zoom for the remainder of the semester
 - c. One of the departmental seminars (Esther Ngumbi) will be held during Thursday Physiologicals (Mar. 10)
- 9. Undergrad Ed Committee
 - a. No updates; haven't met since last term
 - b. Will be talking about BMSC and BIO 2290
- 10. Research Committee
 - a. Currently working towards a column in the biology newsletter highlighting graduate students. If anyone from SOBGS has a recent publication or knows someone who should be highlighted in the department, send it to the research committee reps (Jordan, Holly, Brynne)
- 11. Outreach Committee
 - a. N/A
- 12. Social Committee
 - a. No updates
- 13. Sustainability Committee
 - a. SOBGS has received an invitation from the Engagement Coordinator @ Sustainability to build a network of sustainability-related clubs and groups on campus. Looking for one more rep. First meeting at 3-4pm on Feb 11 (virtual)
 - b. Sustainability-focused interactive events – still working on it

14. AAFC Rep

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