

Meeting Minutes  
4/18/24

- Theo Reed (*GSG President, Biological Sciences*) introduced guest speakers
  - Rose Ashley, Gender Equity & Lead Assistant Director, GRC
  - Dominic Sanfilippo, LGBTQ Student Initiative Assistant Director, GRC
    - Both spoke about the [Gender Relations Center](#)
      - Founded in 2004
        - Primarily was for women's issues & healthy relationships
      - Today the GRC designs & implements educational programs about healthy relationships, gender, and sexuality
      - Committed to spiritual, emotional, and intellectual development of students
      - Lots of support given to clubs
      - Located on 2nd floor of LaFortune Student Center, Rm. 222 as part of the new Center for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
      - Students may email [grc@nd.edu](mailto:grc@nd.edu) to make an appointment
      - [Sign-up for GRC weekly newsletter](#) to stay up to date with all [GRC programs and events](#)
- Committee Reports were briefly discussed (See agenda packet for full reports)
- Question was raised about getting Adobe extension to personal computers at home
  - Etinosa Osaro (*Academic Affairs Chair, CBE*)
    - Need to go through the library but library says you must use a library computer
- Adedoyin Okanlawon (*Department Rep, Psychology*)
  - Noted the Transformational Leaders program is only for undergraduates
    - Mike Hildreth, (*Dean of the Graduate School*)
      - Suggested she reach out to the leader of this program
- Announcements
  - Mimi Beck (*Director of Grad Student Life, Advisor to GSG*)
    - Passover Blessings!
    - [GOTeam applications due May 5](#)
    - [Mass & Picnic for Fr. John - Tuesday, April 23](#)
    - [Notre Dame Day - April 23-24](#)
    - In Progress: Car Loans for International Students from First Source Bank
    - Department Reps for Next Year
    - [Saturday - MFA Reading](#)
    - [Sunday - ND Symphony Concert](#) (featuring our very own Theo Reed!)
    - Thanks to our outgoing officers!
- Final Remarks
  - Theo thanked multiple people for all of their help, hard work & continued support for graduate students through the GSG
- Mike Hildreth asked for a round of applause for the outgoing officers

- Swearing In of New Officers
  - Thomas Poitevin (*President*)
  - Angela Albarca-Perez (*Co-Vice President*)
  - Jacob Diehl (*Co-Vice President*)
- Meeting was adjourned at 7:32 p.m.