

GSA IN A NUTSHELL

OR, GRADUATE STUDENT ASSEMBLY



64 NUMBER OF GSA REPRESENTATIVES

64 No. OF GSA REPS WHO WERE ELECTED BY PEERS IN DEPARTMENTS WITHIN THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

areas of focus:

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YES THREE

+ PUBLICITY
A standing publicity committee oversees the promotion of GSA initiatives.

ACADEMICS & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



issues that concern graduate student teaching, mentoring, professional development, libraries, and international and master's degree students. Projects include improving the graduate school's online fellowship database, helping graduate students find teaching positions in and after their teaching years; promoting professional development; and mentoring.

TRANSIT AND SECURITY



transit and security covers issues such as shuttle and minibus routes; bicycle safety; transportation and traffic safety; laboratory safety; and campus security, lighting and parking.

FACILITIES AND HEALTHCARE



issues of graduate student housing; the access and improvement of Payne-Whitney gym; healthcare access; dental, vision, and medical insurance; insurance while away from Yale; mental health services; legal services; student study space, and renovations to the Hall of Graduate Studies.



it's all about REPRESENTIN'

GSA represents the concerns of students in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences to Deans and other administrators, the University Library, and other on-campus institutions.

AND DECIDIN'

GSA also reviews policy decisions that concern Graduate Students in the arts and sciences and makes recommendations on them.



You'll quickly learn how to make a motion, gain clarification, add new information, or express your assent or dissent in GSA-speak when we vote at General Assembly meetings.

IT ALL GOES DOWN



IN THE HALL OF GRADUATE STUDIES, a.k.a. HGS, at 320 York Street. A lovely edifice!

other important facts & figures

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No. of MEETINGS PER MONTH

2

No. of TIMES PER YEAR THAT GSA ELECTIONS HAPPEN

4

No. (CONFERENCE TRAVEL FELLOWSHIP) CYCLES A YEAR

\$15k

No. of DOLLARS GIVEN OUT EACH CTF CYCLE
THAT'S THOUSANDS, PEOPLE.

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No. of PEOPLE WHO GET TO USE A GAVEL IN GSA MEETINGS (it's the Chair's prerogative!)

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT
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