



## Council

### Notice of Meeting

Date: Wednesday, April 11, 2018

Time: 4:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.

Place: NH 3308 & NH 3318

### AGENDA (Draft)

Time	Item	Action
4:00 pm	<b>1. Chair's Welcome and Opening Remarks</b>	-
	<b>2. Adoption of the Agenda (Changes, if applicable, will be noted with **)</b>	For Approval
	<b>3. Declarations of Interest</b>	-
4:05 pm	<b>4. Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting</b> a. March 21, 2018	For Approval
	<b>5. Consent Items+</b> a. Board Reports b. Executive Reports c. Committee Reports	For Information
	<b>6. Council Membership Report</b>	For Information
	<b>7. University of Waterloo Committee Membership Report</b>	For Information
4:10 pm	<b>8. Delegations, Discussions, &amp; Other Business</b> a. International Students – Federal Policy Change Darlene Ryan, Student Success Office b. York U c. June Provincial Election	For Information
4:50 pm	<b>9. Update from the Board</b>	For Information
5:00 pm	<b>10. Motions</b> a. Motion to ratify the University of Waterloo Committee	For Approval

	Appointments b. Motion to set May Council meeting date c. Motion to investigate next steps for international student visa policy d. Motion to offer support to York University e. Confidential: Motion to recommend the appointment of the President of the GSA-UW	
5:45 pm	<b>11. Members' Discussion</b>	
	<b>12. Notices of Motion</b>	-
6:00 pm	<b>13. Adjournment</b>	-

+ Consent Items are those items that in the judgment of the Executive Committee require the attention of Council but that neither require nor imply a decision by Council on any procedural or substantial matter. By adopting Consent Items, Council formally receives information for entry into the minutes. Council may discuss Consent Items at its pleasure.

Lindsey Daniels  
 Chair of the Council  
 GSA-UW

April 4, 2018

## DELEGATIONS

International Student Visa Policy Change  
 Darlene Ryan, Student Success Office

The federal government has recently made a policy change to international student visas, where students are not allowed to take a leave of absence from their program to work for a term, unless their program specifically allows for this type of leave (e.g. co-op).

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/corporate/publications-manuals/operational-bulletins-manuals/temporary-residents/study-permits/campus-work.html>

## RESOLUTIONS

### **10a Motion to ratify the University of Waterloo Committee Appointments**

**BIRT** the GSA-UW Council ratify the appointments as detailed in the report for item 7.

### **10b Motion to set May Council meeting date**

**BIRT** the GSA-UW Council meet on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 from 4pm to 6pm.

### **10c Motion to investigate next steps for international student visa policy**

**BIRT** the GSA-UW Council delegate to the Council Executive Committee that the committee investigates, determines, and recommends to the association next steps on the international student visa policy change.

### **10d Motion to offer support to York University**

**BIRT** the GSA-UW Council offer its support to the striking graduate students of York University.