Graduate Student Government, Colorado School of Mines

I. Executive Officer Reports
   a. President
      i. Business Cards Update:
         The business cards now have multiple field options on the website. You can put your department as well as your research center
      ii. Cooking Classes = Success. Summer?
         If we have residual money, should we have a few summer events?
         - General approval from council
      iii. Coffee Days. Summer?
         Different coffee shops that we are partnered with agreed that they could keep doing it during the summer
      iv. REMINDER: $600 budget for Dept. Socials
         We still have quite a bit of money allocated for departmental social events so the social events need to happen soon
      v. RECAP: Creative Conflict Resolution Academic Workshop
         Went over very well. We had a good attendance.
   b. Vice President
      i. NAGPS Regionals: Apr 18-20.
         National Association of Graduate Professional Students – It’s an event where we can pull ideas from other universities and bring them back to Mines
   c. Academic Chair
      i. RECAP: LyX Workshop
         About 40 people attended
   d. Treasurer
   e. Social Chair
      i. Mt. Toad this Friday, April 11 at 12PM
         Grease fire so it’s been moved 1 week. BBQ for the first 200 people
   f. Advisor Report

II. Department Representative Reports
   a. E-mail Retention: Discussion with CCIT
      Suggested that we purchase an alumni email from Mines Alumni for $95 per year (fee for being a Mines alumni). We could revisit this later on down the road
III. Committee Reports

IV. Old Business

V. New Business
   a. Gregory – Research in the West Bank
      Wanting to use his presenter grant funds to work on his research in the West Bank. Research is on water resources in the West Bank. Wants to focus on how small social groups are adapting.
      Motion to approve the travel grant for Gregory
      14 Yeas, 0 Nays, 0 Abstentions
   b. FA14-SP15 Officer Elections
      i. President
         JK Slyby
      ii. Vice President
         Ben Goertz
      iii. Academic Chair
         Hanah Aucoin
      iv. Social Chair
   c. Strategic Plan: Yearly Review
      What are some 1 year, 3 year, and 5 year goals? Department reps need to find out from their constituents before the next meeting.

VI. Announcements
   a. BBQ?

Next Meeting: April 21, 2014, Hill Hall 300 at 5PM