## HESA General Body Meeting 4.4.17

## I. Finally General Body Meeting

- A. Retreat Goals
  - 1. Get a seat at the table
  - 2. Create space for faculty and students to engage outside the classroom
  - 3. Provide funding and partnerships with professional organizations, attend conferences together, provide information on how to get funding
  - 4. Professional Development
  - 5. Market and Recruit

## B. Feedback

- 1. Meeting times....
  - a) SK: middle of the day is easier, brown bag lunches
- 2. More doctoral students participate
  - a) mentoring, collaboration, and community
  - b) Professional development events with doctoral students
  - c) Talking to faculty/doc students about how to engage doctoral students
- 3. Disconnect between students and faculty
  - a) HESA and Faculty Meetings: voice our opinions
  - b) Would they allow HESA rep. at their table
- 4. Prospective Students
  - a) We need names/emails
  - b) Could they send an email and tell students to contact HESA Exec.
- 5. Community service
  - a) Move to once a semester...once a month?
- 6. Fight for assistantships
  - a) Way above our head
  - Externship process opened some eyes as to how many offices/departments need help
  - c) Our program and student life partnership, and other departments with more access to funding
  - d) Work with GSA to advocate for GA positions
  - e) If we are going to have a competitive program, we need GA positions
- 7. Feedback
  - a) Add form on website for quick thoughts/ideas
- C. Org Chart
  - 1. Open up the Executive Board
    - a) Total of 9
    - b) Some first year
    - c) Some second year

- d) Want everyone to feel they have some ownership
- e) Give first and second years ability to serve together in equal numbers
- f) Want everyone to know what is going on
- 2. Co-Presidents hopefully this will be the last year
- 3. VP: 1st year
  - a) Could be president but not necessarily)
  - b) Mainly want 1st years to get Exec positions
  - c) Social Media, Blog, Website
- 4. One Co-President supervises task positions
- 5. One Co-President supervises event positions
- 6. Treasurer: 2nd year
  - a) Dues
  - b) Membership for ACPA and NASPA
- 7. Recruitment: 2nd year
  - a) So important that it needs to be its own
  - b) Potentially change to 1st year?
- 8. Secretary: 1st year
  - a) Notes, room reservations, e-mails
- 9. Professional Development: 2nd year
  - a) Have experienced first year and know what BOTH cohorts will need
- 10. Social: 1st year
  - a) Holiday Party
  - b) Banquet
  - c) Bar Crawl
  - d) Athletic Events
- 11. Alumni: 1st year
  - a) Build connections with alumni
  - b) We do have a short list
  - c) This person will try to build names and try to connect with the alumni base here on campus 1st
  - d) Potentially change to 2nd year?
- 12. Non-Exec
  - a) If you're in HESA, you're here to show up and be part of the events and help out as needed -- e.g. preview weekend
- 13. IDEAS:
  - a) VP of...
  - b) Executive VP
  - c) Treasurer
  - d) VP of Recruitment
  - e) Secretary
  - f) VP of Professional Development

- g) Social
- h) VP of Alumni
- i) Recommend a 1st year or 2nd year for a position but not require it