Graduate Council General Body Meeting November 29th, 2023



Agenda



- Welcome & Intros
- GC Structure & Overview
- Save the Date: GC Winter Retreat
- Action Items

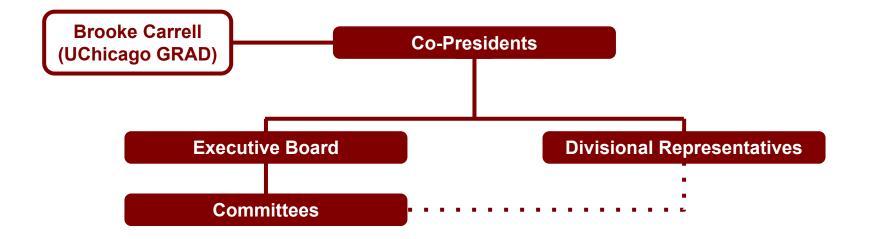
Introductions

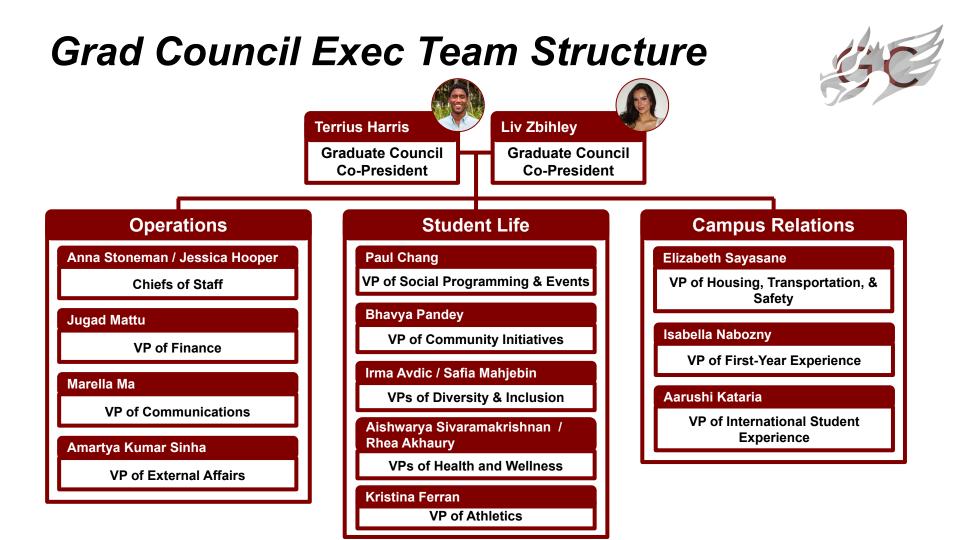


- 1. Co-Presidents
- 2. Executive Board
- 3. Divisional Representatives
- 4. Non-member students



Grad Council General Body Structure





Graduate Council Initiatives



Advocacy: through its Divisional Reps, GC remains in tune with student needs across campus and works with administrators to advocate for UChicago grad students.

Collaboration: GC interfaces and collaborates with other on-campus entities and student groups, such as DAB, IGSAB, GSU, and the Board of Trustees.

Funding: this year, GC combined 3 separate funds into a single application for individuals and groups. Funding is provided for individuals (up to \$750) and groups (up to \$1500) for conferences and hosting events.

Legal Services: GC provides attorney office hours to full-time G+P students seeking legal consultation and to make referrals for students seeking legal representation. Students are eligible for one thirty-minute appointment per legal issue.

Programming: our Student Life VPs provide a variety of programming for graduate students, such as: large-scale formals, wellness events, guest speakers, and outings around Chicago.

Save the Date!



Grad Council Winter Retreat

- Sunday, January 21
- UChicago Graduate Student
 Lounge



Action Items



Reps: Please fill out the <u>Committee Interest form</u> by December 6

If you are not a Divisional Rep but are interested in joining a Committee, visit our website (**gc.uchicago.edu**), head to the "**Get Involved**" tab, and fill out the application!

Adjourn!

Our next meeting will be in January 2024. Good luck on your Final Exams!

