

GSA Updates and Remarks

Hello, my name is Emerson Moon, and I am the President of the Graduate Student Association for the current academic year. Beyond my role as President, I am a current second-year in the Master of Public Administration here at UGA, and serve in roles that support Historic Athens, a local non-profit here in Athens focused on Historic Preservation and Community Heritage.

At this time, I am proud to report on behalf of the GSA that we have almost 40 council members across fifteen departments thus far. Upon the semester's start, we distributed a well-being survey to both directors of graduate studies as well as the graduate student listserv with a solid response rate with over four hundred responses an counting. Former president Will Walker Jr. has begun coding some of this data so we can best use it in future programming and initiatives we take on. We hope to continue our discussions on a broader university-level about graduate student engagement and how we can best support students with resources we already have.