I. Announcements and Updates

1. Past Events
   a. GSA Coffee Break: Hosted by Rice Iranian Society on February 20
      i. Popular with over 150 attendees (food gone within 1.5 hours)

2. Upcoming Events
   a. Willy Week Coffee Break on Wednesday, March 20
      i. Hosted by Indian Students at Rice
      ii. 150 GSA Coffee Mugs!!!! Mugs will go fast, so get here early!
   b. Beer Bike on Saturday, March 23
      i. Kick-off Party: Friday, March 22, 5:30 - 8:30 pm
         1. Teams will be introduced; live band will be present
      ii. Beer Bike Race: Saturday, March 23, 10 am - 1:30 pm
      iii. After-party: Saturday, March 23, 2:30 pm - 7 pm
      iv. Please volunteer!
         (https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/ccc?key=0AksS6dO6VFfSdGfJfSC1Ld3E4ZkJNWRocWIYUTNvanc&usp=sharing)
      v. Pick up a poster of events and post them in your departments!!!!!
      vi. T-shirt is required to enter the GSA area at the track - T-Shirts are being sold at Valhalla, $10
   c. GSA Awards Selection Committee - Need volunteers! Email Kiri, kek2@rice.edu
      i. Received over 115 nominations (great pool this year)
      ii. GSA Awards Committee: consists of 4-5 grad students, will need volunteers, email Kiri Kilpatrick or Michael Sinai
iii. Need to start planning now! Meeting will occur in the first week in April.

d. Elevator Pitch Competition on April 12, 2013, 5-9pm
   i. Working with GPS and PWOVC to make this a professional event.
   ii. Will be a formal competition (for example, all of the deans have been invited)
   iii. Need volunteers for putting on the event (logistics, day of coordination, etc.)

III. New Business

1. GSA Bylaws: Addendums, Deletions, Revisions
   a. Deleting a section on GSA’s relationship with Valhalla; GSA no longer maintains
control over Valhalla.
   b. Constitution Amendment: APPROVED

2. Clubs
   a. Humanities GSA
      i. Working on establishing this organization since September
      ii. Primary Purpose: setting up programming/communication between all
          humanities departments and the dean of humanities
      iii. Constitution has already been approved by Dean of Humanities and GPS
   b. Club Initiation: APPROVED

   a. President
      i. M. Goat Domeracki (Religious Studies): ELECTED
   b. Internal Vice President
      i. Navid Sakhavand (Civil and Environmental Engineering)
      ii. Michael Sinai (Architecture): ELECTED
      iii. Melissa Venator (Art History)
   c. External Vice President
      i. Jonathan (Jd) Dornell (Biochemistry and Cell Biology): ELECTED
      ii. Navid Sakhavand (Civil and Environmental Engineering)
   d. Treasurer
      i. Abhishek Jha (Jones)
      ii. Navid Sakhavand (Civil and Environmental Engineering): ELECTED
   e. Secretary
      i. Melissa Venator (Art History): ELECTED
   f. Community Service Chair
      i. Abhishek Jha (Jones)
ii. Cheryl Thompson (MLS): ELECTED

g. Historian
   i. Anne Hellebust (Bioengineering): ELECTED
   ii. Carolyn Van Wingerden (Art History)

h. Publicity and Marketing Chair
   i. Michelle Downey (Ecology & Evol Biology): ELECTED

i. Lounge Manager
   i. Chris Dohna (Philosophy): ELECTED

j. International Student Liaison
   i. Abhishek Jha (Jones)
   ii. Barbara Redeker (MLS): ELECTED