Approval of minutes (2017 February 20)
* motion to approve; passes

E-board report
- Meeting with graduate affairs and academic deans (February 21)
  - Discussed grad affairs roadshow, group recognition procedure
- Report on the graduate affairs town hall/roadshow (February 23)
- Meeting with dean Sanchez (February 28)
  - Discussed sexism issues in grad life and work

ELECTIONS
* No nominees

* Motion to elect Ben to GPSA coordinator position, provided that no-one else is nominated by this Wednesday; if someone else is nominated, we will vote via email. The motion carries

FUNDING REQUESTS
- Holi
  Discussion:
  - Q: Are there tickets for this event? A: Possibly, but only for food.
  - Q: What do the event costs include? A: Colors for Holi, sound system, tables
  * Motion to fully fund; the motion carries

- Understanding and using machine learning
  Discussion:
  - Q: What fraction of attendees of your previous event were Homewood grads? A: 6 of 10.
  - Q: What fraction of your money are you getting from the GSA? A: $75 of $226.89.
  - Q: Will you be requesting funding again? A: No, but we'll be having an event on your campus later in the semester.
  - Q: Can you get this money from GSA? A: Not in time for the event.
  - Should we be fully funding a group from
  * Motion to fund same amount as GSA ($75)
  * Motion to fully fund; the motion carries

- ANSE Lecture 2017
  * Motion to fully fund; the motion carries

- Spring Case Competition
  Discussion:
  - Q: We funded this event last year; what fraction of attendees were grads? A: 80%
  * Motion to fully fund; the motion carries
UPDATES FROM E-BOARD MEMBERS

Diversity:
- Met with Christine; talked about:
  - a diversity-related potluck/food event
  - establishing diversity teams to come to grad recruitment events
- putting together/updating a diversity booklet to send to accepted students
  - Diversity group/council
    - About 10 grads, all unpaid
    - This group will work mostly on the second event
  * Motion to establish a diversity group/council; the motion carries

Advocacy:
- Planned a graduate affairs town hall, which turned into Christine and Renee's graduate affairs roadshow
- Will invite someone from the Provost's Office to a GC to talk about academic issues
- How can we get better attendance at town halls? Should we have town halls vs. should we have extended GC meetings with invited people?
- Maybe have GC reps collect questions/comments from their departments and present these
  - Some of both formats -- town halls and extended GC meetings -- might be good

DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE SUBJECTS FOR UPCOMING TOWN HALLS
Ideas:
- Health care
- Diversity (but who to invite? no clear sitting administration members specifically dedicated to this issue)
  - Progress on making JHU a sanctuary campus
  * Motion to conduct an advocacy town hall to check in on progress on making JHU a sanctuary campus; the motion carries

UPDATE ON THE STATUS OF THE HUMANITIES CENTER
- Summary of emails on the status and future of the Humanities Center

SCIENCE MARCH
- Happening April 22nd
- Please talk to people in your department
- I will write an email with information/instructions
COMMENTS/QUESTIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS
- Wednesday is International Women's Day; there will be marches; a JHU contingent will be leaving from the Beach at 2:15pm