



HARVARD GRADUATE COUNCIL

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THE HARVARD GRADUATE COUNCIL

The Representative Body for All of Harvard's Graduate and Professional Students

October 6th, 2022, 7:30 pm - 9:30 PM EST (potential to run over)

IMPORTANT Location Information:

For those who are in degree programs that are currently **on-campus (only exceptions are certain HES and HGSE programs that are fully-remote)**, you are required to have at minimum one voting representative present in-person to cast the vote for your school. If you cannot attend in-person, please send a proxy!

The 2022-2023 HGC Election will be held at the following location:

Graduate Student Lounge, Lehman Hall, 8 Harvard Yard, Cambridge, MA 02138

***Contact:** For any questions or concerns at all (e.g. if you are unable to find or access the room, please contact **Carlos Gonzalez at 717-224-6485**) or if you are a rep/exec member, use the #general slack channel!

For those who are in degree programs that are currently **fully virtual**, you will be allowed to attend the HGC meeting virtually. The Zoom information for participating remotely is below:

Join Zoom meeting

<https://harvard.zoom.us/j/97519553328?pwd=d1NEck5QUnh4enEraEZJanpibHFEQT09>

Password: 760417

Other Important Information

REMEMBER to bring your ID. Dress in Business Casual, if possible!

PLEASE be sure to arrive/log in 15 minutes early prior to the start of the meeting (this applies to everyone - those running for Executive Board positions, our HGC School Representatives, and our current HGC Executive Board). The meeting will begin promptly at 7:30 pm ET.

Food will not be provided so please be sure to bring your own food. HGC Representatives and current Executive Board members will be reimbursed up to \$20 for their meals on the day of the election.

ELECTION INFORMATION - If you are not familiar with how HGC elections are run, please refer to our [Election FAQ](#).

AGENDA

I. Roll Call and Welcome – *Carlos and Mayank* (7:30 pm - 7:35 pm)

- Roll Call of School Representatives

Schools	First Name	Last Name	Individual Present?	School Present?
SEAS	Mark	York	Y	Y
GSAS	Tammy	Lan	Y	Y
	Chanthia	Ma	N	
HLS	Tolu	Alegbeleye	Y	Y
	Alice	Hu	N	
	Dee	Um	N	
HBS	Maxine	Nesbitt	N	Y
	Daniel	Applewhite	N	
	Ryan	Rivera	Y	
HSDM	Subin	Jeong	N	Y
	John	Couri	Y	
HES	Brett	Monson	Y	Y
HKS	Eliazar	Chacha	Y	Y
HSPH	Heather	Olden	Y	Ye

HMS	Kosti	Psimopoulos	Y	Y
	Gaby	Kembuan	N	
HGSE	Athena Cole	Tassis Wilson	Y	Y
	Aakanksha	Jain	Y	Y
	Amna	Pervaiz	N	
HDS	Nicole	Collins	N	N
	Keisha	Bush	N	

- Collecting Representative Declaration Forms
- Approval of the Agenda
 - Approval of the Agenda - **MOVED** by Eliazar, **SECONDED** by Kosti, **NO DISSENT APPROVED** at 7:43 ET PM

II. Elections – (7:35-9:25)

- Interest in HGC Elections
- Candidates who are not elected may still join HGC as Representatives
- HGC Elections Procedure
- **Important Voting Information for HGC Representatives**
 - ONE representative per school should log onto the voting poll using the following link: pollev.com/carlosgonzalezsierra065
 - OR text [carlosgonzalezsierra065](https://pollev.com/carlosgonzalezsierra065) to 22333 to join
 - When asked to provide your name, type the name of the school you are representing.
- Below are the candidates running for elections this year (in alphabetical order).

Chair of Academic Affairs:

- Arya Rao (HMS)

Co-Chair of Student Wellbeing:

- Annie Kim (HES/HGSE)

Chair of Diversity & Inclusion:

- Shabeha Haque (HGSE)

Motion to extend meeting by 30 minutes made by Cole (HGSE), second by Tammy (GSAS), unanimous

Chair of Student Advocacy & Engagement:

- Janan Iranbomy (GSAS)

Motion to extend meeting by 15 min made by Eliazar (HKS), second by Cole (HGSE), unanimous

III. Announcements (8:55-9:00)

- Sign up to host our meeting! Contact operations@hgc.harvard.edu
- University-wide Student Groups Applications due October 21th: <https://usg.harvard.edu>
 - Contact Marshall Page with any questions: marshall_page@harvard.edu
- Need sponsors for Harvard v. Yale football game tailgate
 - Many thanks to HLS Student Government
- Harvard v. Yale football game graduate section tickets: <https://gocrimson.com/gradsection-HYFootball>
- Submit your meal reimbursements here (for HGC Exec Members and HGC Representatives only!: <https://hgc.harvard.edu/reimbursement>)
- **NEW EXEC JOIN SLACK:** https://join.slack.com/t/harvardgradua-l4t8153/shared_invite/zt-1hgkd414g-V7RIKCS8V7Q8j_Y0R_mi3g

IV. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Kosti HMS , seconded by Tammy GSAS. dissent, meeting was adjourned at 10:08 PM .

Next Executive Board Meeting: Monday, October 10th, 6:30 PM via Zoom

Next General Council Meeting: Monday, October 17th, 6:30-9 PM, TBD