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# Graduate Student Council

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This meeting addressed many different issues in short form:

- Having seen useful material presented by the student members of PAC, Cynthia Barnhart and Suzy Nelson expressed desire to have more conversations with the GSC around bridging the academic, research and student life sides of campus when they need to coordinate on an issue, and avoiding conflicting communication
- Cindy kindly agreed to connect the GSC Officers:
  1. With the head of the SHASS DEI Assistant Dean Search Committee, for which we are working to find a good grad student member
  2. With OGC to find out if a more detailed anti-retaliation policy/procedure is ready to be publicized yet.
    - That would include implementation details for [this policy](#)
- The GSC Officers agreed to coordinate with the RISE leaders to represent grad students on a working group related to anti-retaliation and transitional funding
- Finally, we discussed suggested best practices for streamlining work with graduate student leaders so that we can give our best input without the work detracting from our education and research, such as:
  1. When reaching out to the GSC/grad student leaders, reach out to the [most specific offices](#)
  2. Use modern tools to coordinate work: use When2Meet to choose meeting times with grad student leaders, use Google Docs to get input on draft letters from multiple grad offices
  3. When inviting grad student leaders to a meeting, clarify explicitly in the beginning whether they need a GSC Officer/Executive specifically, or are open to any grad student leaders who want to give detailed input/are interested in the topic
  4. Try to give at least 24 hours' notice when we need to review a document, even if it means sharing a slightly earlier draft (in return, we always maintain confidentiality).