

**Minutes of  
Geology Graduate Student Association  
2/12/2014**

- I. Call to order: The meeting was called to order by Elizabeth Ceperley at 12:00pm in the Map Room (HOCH 439).
- II. Attendance: Elizabeth Ceperley, Carolyn Roberts, Sandra Cronauer, Avriel Schweinsberg, Elodie Macorps, Marissa Mnich, Dominick Ciruzzi, QingYuan Yang, Matt Celestino
- III. Approval of Minutes: A motion was made to approve the minutes of February 12, 2014. The motion passed unanimously.
- IV. Issues Discussed:
  - Officer Updates
    - President:
      - Donating raffle proceeds to Hospice in honor of the late geology secretary Marty Roth
      - 13 people currently on UBLinked – Join if you haven't already
      - Do you want to borrow the club projector to practice your thesis/dissertation defense?
        - E-mail [eceperley@gmail.com](mailto:eceperley@gmail.com)
    - Faculty Liaison:
      - Carolyn Roberts will attend faculty meeting on 2/13/2014 and report on 2/26/2014 at next club meeting
    - Senator
      - Town hall meeting for GSA Budget
        - February 20<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm in Room 110 Knox Hall
  - Upcoming events
    - AGU Webinar
      - Women in Geosciences: Improving your chance for success
      - Tuesday February 25 at 3-4pm in Cooke 419
      - Register prior to coming at: <http://sites.agu.org/careers/career-advice-webinars/>
    - NEGSA Conference
      - Poster tubes are available for check out, e-mail [eceperley@gmail.com](mailto:eceperley@gmail.com)
      - Vans available
        - From Buffalo to Lancaster, PA
          - 3/22 @ 2pm
          - 3/23 @ 7am
        - From Lancaster, PA to Buffalo
          - Both vans will leave conference on 3/25 @ 1pm
        - <http://doodle.com/wqmquvuab5ma2hed>
    - Relay for Life
      - UB Geology Team?
      - April 11, 2014
- V. New Business:
  - 1. **The next meeting of the Geology GSA will be Wednesday, February 26 , 2014 at 12:00 pm in HOCH 439**
- VI. Adjournment

*Respectfully submitted,  
Sandra Cronauer  
Geology Graduate Student Association Secretary*