

MGB Agenda

October 1st, 2025

1. Notifications from Chair and Vice Chair

- (a) Account Balance: \$ 313.46
 - i. I know where the GoldRush money is, but I'm working with people to figure out how to get it to our account.
- (b) Start thinking of nominations for next year's officers! We will be nominating people at the next MGB meeting.

2. Officer Updates

- (a) General Liaison
 - i. A survey for moving furniture in or out of offices will be sent out at some point.
- (b) Social Co-Chairs
 - i. The Fall Picnic went well and was under budget.
 - ii. Halloween Candygrams will be starting soon.
 - iii. There is a Joes night this Friday at 6:30pm at Joes Place.
- (c) Newsletter/T-shirt Ministers
 - i. Still working on the T-shirt design. There will be a generic option available.
 - ii. Please send in things for the Newsletter! An email was sent out about it on September 23rd.
- (d) GAUSS & DRP Co-Chairs
 - i. No show, did not say anything. Shame.
- (e) Heartland Chair
 - i. No show, did not say anything. Shame.
- (f) International Liaison
 - i. No show, did not say anything. Shame.
- (g) Webmaster
 - i. No show, did not say anything. Shame.
 - ii. Website needs to be updated please with the minutes from each meeting, the newsletters, and GAUSS talks.

3. SIAM Updates

- (a) Writing groups will happen monthly and there will be coffee!!
- (b) There will not be a field trip to a local company, but that local company will send people to campus to talk at some point.
- (c) Working on inviting an important person from industry to campus next semester to spend the whole day with us.

4. GSS Updates

- (a) No show, did not say anything. Shame.

5. COGS Updates

- (a) Political Action Committee: This Thursday at 6, COGS will hold a candidate Q&A with Amy Hospodarsky for Iowa City Council and Dan Stevenson for Iowa City Community School District. This will be in-person at 120 N. Dubuque St. and on Zoom (<https://ueunion.zoom.us/j/89850260646>). Afterwards, there will be a discussion on response and action items concerning surveillance and ICE on campus.
- (b) Stewards' Council: Friday, 4:00–5:00pm, UE Local 896 COGS, 120 N Dubuque St #210, Iowa City, IA 52245, USA. <https://ueunion.zoom.us/j/9427846403?omn=88271988692>
- (c) Stewards' Training: Friday, October 3, 5:00–6:00pm, UE Local 896 COGS, 120 N Dubuque St #210, Iowa City, IA 52245, USA. <https://ueunion.zoom.us/j/9427846403?omn=88271988692>
- (d) Payday Beers: Celebrate getting your monthly paycheck by meeting the union at Joe's Place Oct. 3 at 7pm. COGS will pay for beer pitchers from 7 until 8pm!
- (e) Organizing Committee (OC): Meets every Sunday at noon at the COGS office (120 N. Dubuque St. #210) or on Zoom (<https://ueunion.zoom.us/j/9427846403>). OC plans how COGS members can talk to other graduate students by walking through campus buildings and finding graduate students where they are.

6. AWM Updates

- (a) No show, did not say anything. Shame.

7. Comments/Suggestions

- (a) Officers need to show up for the MGB meetings and do the jobs they agreed to do.

8. Thank you for attending!