*Boston University School of Theology Student Association*

**General Meeting**

**March 22nd, 2016**

1. Welcome/Meeting Commenced
2. Dates for Upcoming Events
   1. TONIGHT: Raices Latinas “Theology and Anarchy” 6-8 PM
   2. March 23rd: Town Meeting, Diversity and Inclusion Steering Committee
   3. March 24th: Meet STH Alumni Therapists 12PM-1PM, Room 325
   4. March 28th: Disability 101, RSVP so we can get a correct food order
   5. March 29th: STH Website Focus Group , 3:30-5:00
   6. April 5th: Last Meeting with Organization leaders, Food with Clean-Up/Set-Up
   7. April 9th: BTI Social, Green Briar,
   8. April 12th: Final Vocation & Voice with Dr. Barbod Salimi
3. Elections
   1. March 23rd-April 1st: Nominations Open
   2. April 4th- April 8th: Elections
   3. April 11th: Results Announced
4. Public Relations Officer Zepher presents her letter about the Undergraduate Congress Incident/Students Against Silence
   1. Also brings up the recent controversy of racial profiling at a Hillel House event
   2. Goal of statement is to help validate SAS, and defend those who were silenced or received blowback for their views
   3. Small changes and edits are spoken about and agreed upon, general tone and feeling is agreed upon
   4. Anne Hillman moves to approve this letter with all edits withstanding, motion **PASSES** unanimously
5. Anne Hillman presents her letter concerning Community Lunch, and the funding possibilities between STHSA and the STH itself going forward
   1. Cites growth of Community Lunch as an event, attended by all students, faculty and staff, plus prospective students and guests
   2. Notes the fluctuations of disbursements from SAO concerning the STHSA funding
   3. Proposes funding option for faculty/staff, as well as implores them to attend Community Lunch and not simply take food “to go”
   4. Edits include shifting the tone of the second part to acknowledge the reality of funding without placing blame/whining on STH, Acknowledge the contributions of Steph Braman, focus as well on record keeping
   5. Secretary Dooley moves to approve Anne’s letter with all edits proposed, motion **PASSES** unanimously
6. Graduation Celebration
   1. Food Situation, **HEAVY** hors d'oeuvres agreed over a dinner
   2. Faculty Award
   3. Montage?
   4. Prayer/Poem?
   5. Thursday, May 5th 6:30-8:30, 9th floor of Photonix Center
   6. Bar must be booked a month in advance
7. Other announcements
   1. Help stuff Easter eggs!
8. Meeting Adjourned

Attendance

**Lauren DeLano**

**Art Gordon**

**Matt Llewellyn**

**James Dooley**

**Jordan Zepher**

Anne Hillman

Alisa Harris

Alyssa Baker

Bailey Brawner

Lise Miltner