In our first GSA Annual Report, we wanted to give you—GSA members, the graduate student leaders—and the staff team charged with supporting their work—a glimpse into some of the work we accomplished over the past year.

## Highlights of the 2019-2020 Academic Year

### Student Services

- **Graduate Students Assistance Program (GPAP)**
- **Scholarships and Awards**
- **Emergency Bursaries**
- **Health and Dental Insurance**
- **Housing Resources**

### Advocacy

- **Financial Support for Domestic Graduate Students**
- **Student Travel Grants**
- **Graduate Fellowships and Awards**

### Outreach and Engagement

- **GSA Departmental Presentations**
- **Graduate Students' Association (GSA) and the Alumni Association**
- **Community Social Work Team**

### Special Events

- **Halloween Event for Parents and Children**
- **Graduate Collective Tea Time**

### Communications

- **New Communication Platforms**
- **GSA Advertising on SUTV Screens**

### Provincial Advocacy

- **Development of an Immigration Stream**
- **Advocacy Work Towards Mandatory Health and Safety Training**

### Financial Support

- **Disbursement of GSA Emergency Bursaries**
- **Support for Campus Food Bank**

### University Planning

- **Remote Access to Supports**
- **Graduate Student Lounge**

### Staff Development

- **Training for Employment Supervisors**

### Milestones

- **Memorial Plaque Designed**
- **Health and Dental Agreement Signed**
- **Employed Graduate Students Negotiated**

### Future Goals

- **Expansion of Services**
- **Continuous Improvement**

## Looking Forward

We hope you will direct any questions that arise during your reading of this report to us via email at gsa.frontdesk@ualberta.ca.

Thank you for all you do to support the graduate students at the University of Alberta. 

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