11th GSA Meeting, March 2, 2009 Meeting Minutes:

**Attendance:** Exec: Baker, Valora, Indar, Carr, Lau; Dept. Reps: Gade, Tovar, Uriarte, Ngonyani, Miller, Chandler, proxies for Metallurgy/Materials and Petroleum.

**Reports:**

**President:** No report

**V.P. Communications:** No Report

**V.P. International:** Nothing

**Treasurer:** Budget requests are due by March 27th

**Social Chair:** Considering an IMAX theater show at a museum in Denver as an activity. Stephanie would like ideas on how to organize it and also a report on how many people will come so she doesn’t waste any money renting the theater. Stephanie also asked for ideas about when a pub crawl would be best on or around E-days. The Friday before, the Wednesday before, and the Friday after were all mentioned as decent dates but nothing was decided.

**Academic Chair:** Asked for ideas for Academic Chair events. Wine tasting was proposed by President Baker. Other ideas are welcome: anything where we learn something.

**OGS Report:**

**Department Reports:**

None

**Old Business:**

**New Business:**

None

**Announcements:**

The Grad Council met to deal with changes to the Grad Bulletin, Thesis Committee Guidelines, and Thesis Writer’s Guidelines. Changes were made to the Thesis Committee and Thesis guidelines. New copies are already available.

Changes were also made to the Family Assistance Grant. If students have a spouse but no children they are still eligible. However, preference will be given to those with children.

Meeting adjourned.