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Forum Report
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I have spent this part of the quarter engaged in a number of GSA subcommittees, which I report on below.

- 1) On February 8, the other officers and I met with the executive council of Grad Division. We discussed the idea of the GSRC Writing Center, which you will hear about in the later presentation. The deans were overwhelmingly supportive of the initiative.
- 2) As chair of the Student Activities Center Board of Governors (SACBOG), I have been working with other graduate students on the board to secure additional graduate student space in the building, including prioritized meeting room space for the GSRC. We are also working on a display for the lobby area to commemorate student activities in the history of this campus. Please direct any suggestions or comments about the functions of the building to me, and I will bring them to the board.
- 3) I hosted the first meeting of the Student Interest Board on Thursday, February 9, in the new office. Unfortunately, only two groups attended the meeting, but we have worked out some of the details surrounding the use of the space. These groups will begin to use the office immediately, and others in the near future.
- 4) I will host a meeting of the Weyburn Terrace Residents Association leaders on Tuesday evening, February 14. Topics to cover include financial assistance to help publicize the group and the process for making the organization an official Student Interest Group.

We would like to arrange a group photo of the 2005-2006 Forum for the March 8 meeting. This would hopefully take less than 10 minutes. Please encourage your fellow forum reps to attend next meeting to be in our photo!

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