

GRADUATE COLLEGE OF SOCIAL WORK STUDENT ASSOCIATION

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GCSW

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Welcome Back!

We are excited to start the 2009-2010 academic year at the GCSW! SA is a place where we can further our learning outside of the classroom and benefit from the support and community of our peers, faculty and administration.

Mission:

The purpose of this organization is to promote unity among all students of the GCSW. Our goals are:

- (1) to promote cohesiveness among students,
- (2) to promote student scholarship and leadership,
- (3) to enhance community awareness of our school and its students,
- (4) to promote communication among students, faculty, and administration

Committees:

Beginning this year, SA will operate in a committee format, including committees for *community service, social activities, fundraising, student advocacy, graduation, communication, GCSW environment, membership, and elections & awards*. Each committee will hold their initial meeting in the coming weeks. Members are encouraged to join committees and take an active role in the life of the GCSW! The upcoming committee meeting dates and times can be found in the "Upcoming Events" section. Location and details to follow

How to Join:

- **BEST DEAL! Dues, Shirt, Locker: \$30**
- Dues, Shirt: \$25
- Dues, Locker: \$20
- Shirt, Locker: \$20
- ONLY Dues: \$15/yr
- ONLY T-shirt: \$12
- ONLY Locker: \$10/yr

We will have membership forms available at New Student Orientation or you can visit our website to join via paypal:

<http://www.sw.uh.edu/currentstudents/gsswsa.php>

Upcoming Events

Social Committee Meeting	8/14 11:00am
New Student Conference	8/15 9:00am
Continuing Student Classes Begin	8/24
Foundation Year Classes Begin	8/20
Continuing Student Classes Begin	8/24
Fundraising Committee Meeting	8/31 12:00pm
GCSW Environment Committee Meeting	8/31 5:00pm
Communications Committee Meeting	9/1 5:00pm
Graduation Committee Meeting	9/1 5:00pm
Community Service	9/8

Bowling Night!

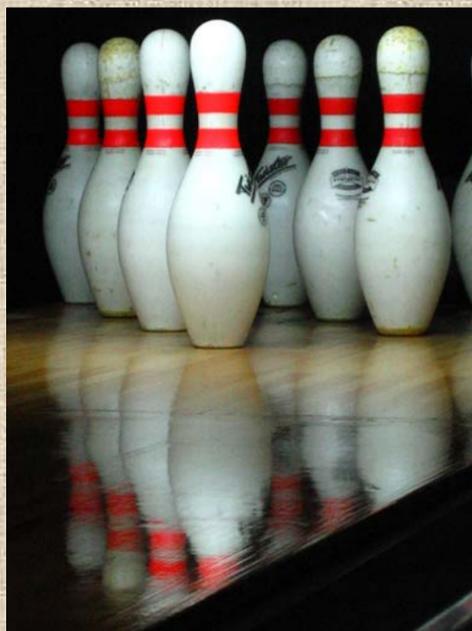
GCSW Student Association is having a bowling social after the New Student Conference! Get your socks and meet us at the Bowling Alley at the University Center (Downstairs) for a bowling, pizza, and a chance to meet and mingle with fellow GCSW students!

When: Saturday, August 15th at 5pm

Where: UC Bowling Alley

Who: All GCSW Students

More details to follow!



Meet your 2009-2010 Officers

Co-Presidents: Amber McCarthy and Tara Bates

Vice-President: Lorena Abitante

Secretary: Erika Thompson

Treasurer: Tony Aucoin

Director of Outreach & Communication: Kimberly Buckert

NASW Representative: Januari Leo

Clinical Track Representative: Jeanne Higgs

LAA Track Representative: Katie Abraham

Part-time Representative: Sonya Hereford

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GCSW Student
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OPEN OFFICER POSITIONS:

- (2) Foundation Year Reps
- (1) Student Government Association Rep
- (1) Advanced Standing Rep
- (1) Ph.D. Rep

If you are interested in running, please e-mail:

gcsw-student-association-officers@googlegroups.com