STUDENT SENATE CABINET APPLICATIONS 2017-2018

Name: Current Class Year: Fy So Jr Sr Email: Major(s): Minor(s): Circle when you will be on campus: Fall Semester January Term Spring Semester Faculty/Staff Reference: Current/past campus involvements:

Campus involvements for 2016-2017:

For which Cabinet positions are you applying? Rank all that apply in order of interest.

- ____ Diversity Committee Chair
- ____ Public Relations Committee Chair
- ____ Health & Housing Committee Chair
- ____ Student & Academic Affairs Committee Chair
- ____ Parliamentarian
- ____ Finance Director (\$250 stipend per semester)
- ____ Finance Controller (\$250 stipend per semester)
- _____ Technology Director (\$250 stipend per semester)
- ____ Administrative Director (\$250 stipend per semester)

Written Responses (please type a 200-600 word response to all that apply)

- 1. What are the primary responsibilities of Student Senate?
- 2. How can Student Senate be improved?
- 3. What perspective and voice do you bring to the Student Senate Cabinet and Body?
- 4. What specific projects or initiatives do you have for each of the positions you have listed?
- 5. Position-Specific Question (respond for all positions for which you are applying):

Diversity Committee Chair: how should Student Senate contribute to issues of diversity in the Gustavus community, and how will you lead that contribution?

Public Relations Committee Chair: what issues does the Student Senate image face, and how will you resolve them? Separately, what graphic design experience do you have?

Health & Housing Committee Chair: how does Student Senate fit the network of organizations and departments advancing the wellbeing of the Student Body?

Student & Academic Affairs Committee Chair: how are you capable of keeping a pulse on the Student Body and campus community?

Finance Committee Chair: what experience, if any, do you have handling budgets? In what ways can the Senate finance process be improved, and how will you handle conflict over budgets?

Technology Director: what are some ways Student Senate can remain informed of the technological needs of the students?

Administrative Director: how will you collect, preserve, and share the various information you will curate in this position?

Parliamentarian: to what degree of rigidity and formality should Student Senate utilize Robert's Rules of Order, and what are the benefits of using parliamentary procedure?

Controller: what are the primary responsibilities and benefits of serving as the controller of *Student Senate's accounts?*