October 6: MEETING MINUTES

SUBCOMMITTEE GOALS

Grants

* advertising more. send info from uchicago grad listhost
* reordering application
* putting application online as a form.
* shared google folder for the organization
* list last year’s projects on the website. pictures of the events.
* Put it on the OIA page.
* Make changes in guidelines- recipients should mention ISAB in event.

OUTREACH

* consistent meetings may be unnecessary.
* ISAB forums for all members and international students once very two months.
* helping the grant group with outreach.
* OIA is working on name tags.

EMPLOYMENT

* Making info about visa status and work permits more accessible to the general international populace.
* students have to follow existing OPT system.

State Tax Process

* Implementation of new software that may include state tax/ get opinions about cost vs. inclusion of state tax.
* Video tax advising presentation for international students.

OTHER GOALS

Who do we want to invite?

* Student Government: college and graduate council
* Think about it for a couple of days and send Varak  in a week.
* Possibly RSO s with international leanings could come present their ideas to the board.
* Career Advancement and UChicago Grad
* Exchange students from college and graduate schools

Perhaps have ISAB members sit in on other board meetings.

Do we need more Sub-committtees?

* Academic advising? Academic “expertise” fair for international students.
* specific event for exchange students early in the year. Incorporate institutional support system for exchange students
* Mentoring program. Host program.

MEMBERS

Send in Bios by next wednesday.

Do a group ISAB shot for the website.