

Bill # 70-15

**The Graduate and Professional Student Association
(GPSA)
The Pennsylvania State University**



of the 70th Assembly
February 3, 2021

Be it decided by the Assembly of Elected Delegates,

Grad Cup 2021
Funding for Grad Cup 2021
(Decided: [Y / N / A])

1 **Nature of the Situation:**

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Grad Cup is an annual event started in 2013 by GPSA. This signature event gives graduate and professional students the opportunity to socialize in a friendly competition featuring different outdoor events. This event is consistent with GPSA's mission to enrich the lives of graduate students by providing a welcoming atmosphere for graduate and professional students to unwind. The Programming Committee will investigate new methods to increase the inclusivity of Grad Cup to all students at Penn State.

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This year's Grad Cup is tentatively scheduled to begin Monday, March 1, 2021 through Monday, March 29, 2021. We are anticipating 150 participants in the Grad Cup this semester. The 4-week long event includes weekly tasks that promote self-care and wellness. Each team consists of up to 5 people. The top three teams with the most points will receive gift cards for each member of their team which will be distributed by mail. All participants will get an apparel item with the GPSA logo for registering--which will be distributed under COVID-19 safety guidelines.

18 **Recommended Course of Action:**

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2 The Graduate and Professional Student Association authorizes the Programming
3 Committee to purchase the following items for the Grad Cup to begin on Monday, March
4 1, 2021:

5	5x \$50 giftcards	\$250
6	5x \$35 giftcards	\$175
7	5x \$20 giftcards	\$100
8	150x \$30 Grad Cup apparel	\$4,500

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11 **Total: \$5,025**

Respectfully submitted,

Jocelyn Delgado
Delegate, IGDP
Programming Committee Chair

President _____ Veto

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