COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

Michigan State University

Resolution: 17-FS-15

Title: A Resolution to Co-Sponsor Personal Finance for PhDs Seminar

Introduced on: Dec 6, 2017 **Introduced by:** GWC

Supported by: Executive Board 2017-18

THE COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY **ENACTS:**

WHEREAS, Graduate and professional students at Michigan State University earn an average of no more than \$15,000 per year, making financial stress one of the primary causes of anxiety in graduate and professional students;

RECOGNIZING, That Dr. Emily Roberts' mission is to inspire and empower earlycareer PhDs to make the most of their money;

RECOGNIZING, That Dr. Roberts' passion for personal finances is rooted in her experiences as a graduate student, allowing her to speak and coach from an experienced and understanding perspective;

RECOGNIZING, That Dr. Roberts has given this seminar at over two dozen institutions all over the United States, several of whom have chosen to bring her back on multiple occasions;

BE IT RESOLVED, That COGS will co-sponsor the Personal Finance for PhDs Seminar in the amount of \$1,000;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED. That this resolution will take effect at the end of the Full Council meeting in which it was adopted.

INTRODUCED ON:

VOTE TOTALS:

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Recording Secretary

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