

**COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS
Michigan State University**

Resolution: 21-SS-54

Title: A Resolution to Support ComSciCon-Michigan 2021

Introduced by: VPIA Hugentobler

Introduced on: April 21, 2021

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

WHEREAS, ComSciCon, a science communication workshop for graduate students, is a unique professional development program organized both by and for STEM graduate students; and,

WHEREAS, The 4th annual ComSciCon-Michigan conference will take place August 20-22, 2021 in a virtual setting; and,

WHEREAS, MSU graduate students who participate in ComSciCon-Michigan will have the opportunity to interact with world-renowned STEM speakers while promoting their own research; and,

RECOGNIZING, Misinformation and fake news have perpetuated a growing distrust in science, therefore graduate student researchers must be trained as effective communicators, proficient in discussing their work and its value with the general public; therefore, be it,

RESOLVED, The COGS Full Council agrees to contribute \$1,000 to ComSciCon-Michigan 2021; and, be it,

RESOLVED, COGS will be acknowledged as an official sponsor of ComSciCon-Michigan; and, be it further,

RESOLVED, That this resolution shall take effect at the conclusion of the Full Council Meeting in which it is adopted.

INTRODUCED ON: 4/21/21

VOTE TOTALS:

FOR 26

AGAINST 0

ABSTAIN 1


Recording Secretary


President