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To whom this may concern,

my name is Bryan Cadena, I am a current master's in health administration student as part of the UW School of Public Health. I am from the Chelan/ Wenatchee area and hope to continue my healthcare career back home. My background involves leading a team of 11 in my Outreach Department which included 2 Physician Assistants (PA-C) while maintaining financial budgets. This includes staffing as well as funding for projects or events I led. I am interested in the role of Vice President of Finance and know I'm competent and confident in my finance related background to take this role and ensure financial sustainability and growth for GPSS and all affiliated clubs/ organizations. For further identification of qualifications, please refer to my resume. Additionally, I'd like to introduce my Statement of Objectives if given the privilege and opportunity to secure this role.

## **Statement of Objectives**

**Profit Margins:** The GPSS budget is hovering on the edge of sustainability. I will work to improve the budget deficit by looking at different avenues of additional funding and an area of expertise for me, cost savings. In healthcare, cost savings is how many healthcare organizations improve their budget if attaining additional funding is not feasible, and this can be applied within GPSS as well with my help. After my conversation with the current VP of finance, I know I'd also have their support and knowledge as I translate my healthcare skills into this role. Additionally, auditing previous years finances will help in finding opportunities for savings in the future.

**Clubs/ Organizations:** Funding for different clubs and organizations from GPSS is crucial for their programs and events. It is in my best interest to ensure continued funding opportunities for events that involve UW graduate students. My goal will be to continue appropriate use of funds for clubs/

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organizations. Rejections are not taken lightly and our distribution of funds will be crucial to ensure satisfaction from other leaders and their events or programs.

**Culture:** Even with this role, every leadership position has a responsibility to ensure a safe and collaborative culture among their peers. I aim to take this role and be a leader who is inclusive, open, honest, and looks to others for thoughtful contribution in discussions. This includes involving those of diverse backgrounds, cultures, and viewpoints in open discussions and decisions related to finances and GPSS. I aim to create a culture of inclusivity where everyone feels welcome and able to contribute.

I can confidently say that I would like to be considered for the role of VP of Finance at GPSS. My skills and experience in healthcare can translate well into this role. This is a big responsibility, and a qualified candidate like myself should be comfortable working with a set budget and ensuring its proper distribution throughout the year. I am committed to ensuring responsible financial leadership while being a representative of the graduate students at UW.

Thank you,



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