The following organizational goals for the 2018-19 academic year are set in accordance with the stated purpose of the Graduate & Professional Student Senate (GPSS), as described in the GPSS Constitution:

“The GPSS shall, in every way possible, attempt to improve all aspects of graduate and professional student life at the University of Washington. It shall consider any matter that directly influences or affects the graduate and professional student body as a valid item for its interest and deliberation.” Article II. Section A.

1. **Promote engagement between, and equitable access to, GPSS senators, executive senators, University of Washington graduate and professional students, and University of Washington administrators.** Connections will be promoted at all levels, including increased student involvement within GPSS, as well as with decision-making entities impacting the graduate and professional student experience. These relationships will foster community and a shared sense of purpose within the graduate and professional student body on the UW campus.

2. **Provide purposeful programming for graduate students through GPSS events, in coordination with other campus committees and organizations.** Efforts will align with the GPSS mission, and should include opportunities for both personal and professional development for UW graduate and professional students.

3. **Maintain a transparent, responsible, and sustainable internal structure to ensure GPSS operates efficiently and effectively.** GPSS elected Officers and staff will be held to standards focused on availability to the student body, clear record keeping for current and future use, and a commitment to excellence. Standards will be developed internally, and all employees will be held accountable.

4. **Develop the GPSS brand on the UW campus.** Existing outreach efforts across campus will be enhanced and expanded. GPSS will be presented as a resource for campus connections, personal or professional problem solving, and active engagement in the legislative process.