



Resolution Reaffirming GPSO's Commitment to Equality and Support of President McRobbie's Statement on the IN "Religious Freedom Restoration Act"


WHEREAS, it is the vision of the Graduate and Professional Student Organization to advocate for an inclusive and empowered graduate and professional student community;

WHEREAS, "Indiana University remains steadfast in our longstanding commitment to value and respect the benefits of a diverse society. It is a fundamental core value of our culture at Indiana University and one that we cherish." [President Michael McRobbie, [3/29/15](#)];

WHEREAS, [Indiana Senate Bill 568](#), the "Religious Freedom Restoration Act," is unnecessary legislation that has already damaged the reputation of Indiana;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Graduate and Professional Student Organization Assembly that, as the official representative of graduate and professional student body at Indiana University – Bloomington, GPSO wholeheartedly and enthusiastically supports the Indiana University administration in its call for reconsideration of the unnecessary Religious Freedom Restoration Act, and the President's reaffirmation of the university's commitment to serve persons without regard to their age, race, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, marital status, national origin, religion, sexual orientation, or veteran status.

Respectfully submitted to and passed by the Graduate and Professional Student Organization Assembly on this 3rd day of April, 2015.



GPSO President

04/03/2015

Date