## **Campaign Statement for GSO President**

Dear Graduate Students,

I'm Dhanush Manem, aspiring to be the next GSO President. With my background as president of the NULL club during my undergrad, where we promote cybersecurity awareness, I have the experience and passion necessary to lead our graduate community effectively.

My experience has honed my abilities in organizing, facilitating, and educating, preparing me to address the unique challenges we encounter as graduate students. I'm committed to enhancing our collective journey, making it more rewarding and efficient.

As GSO President, my priorities will include:

- 1. Enhancing transparency and keeping students informed through regular updates.
- 2. Building a supportive environment that prioritizes the well-being and academic success of all students, ensuring your voice is integral in university decisions
- 3. Simplifying administrative procedures, particularly reimbursements, to ease your student experience.
- 4. Creating concise, instructional videos to clarify GSO procedures and benefits, helping students utilize available resources effectively.

I'm dedicated to enhancing our academic and social experience, promoting a culture of support and inclusivity, and ensuring that the GSO serves the best interests of all graduate students.

Thank you for considering my candidacy. Together, we can achieve a more connected and empowered graduate student body at SBU.

Sincerely, Dhanush Manem