

Dear Graduate and Ph.D. Colleagues,

I'm excited to share my candidacy for GSO Vice President with the same enthusiasm I bring to every connection I make. Known for a calm demeanor, punctuated with humor, my goal is to bring lightheartedness and steadfast commitment to our graduate community's empowerment.

My vision? To champion our rights for better funding and support, fostering a sense of belonging and vitality among us, especially our international peers. I aim to create engaging professional development opportunities with a mix of enjoyable workshops and enriching networking events, reflecting our collective and vibrant journey.

I also plan to tackle financial hurdles head-on, ensuring a more accessible and efficient reimbursement process for our academic endeavors. Think of it as a streamlined service designed to keep our scholarly pursuits strong and consistent, much like our resolve.

With a gentle spirit and a dedicated approach, I'm here to serve and bolster every voice in our community. Together, let's shape a future at Stony Brook where camaraderie and success go hand in hand. **Vote for a future where your voice is amplified, your needs are met, and your success is guaranteed.**

Warmest regards,

VS Chandra Mourya  
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