

Defending and Enhancing Education and Research Funding

Student Legislative Action Days

September 14–17, 2013

Washington, DC

WE MUST STAND TOGETHER

Graduate and professional education is the engine of America's future competitiveness and growth, and is fueled by public investment in research and education programs. This critical investment is threatened by proposed budget cuts, and students must stand together to defend and enhance our nation's future.

WHO WE ARE

We are over 600,000 graduate and professional students standing together to ensure that our nation continues to produce top quality research, creative and artistic works, and invests in American education. We are the backbone of research and teaching at universities across the US, and play a key role in building our nation's technological innovation and artistic and cultural heritage through scholarship and community engagement. We are tomorrow's business, political, and intellectual leaders. We are the future.

90+

universities
across the US

600,000+

graduate-professional students

one voice



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
GRADUATE-PROFESSIONAL
STUDENTS

TRAINING AND PREPARATION

Students will speak directly with Congress and key staff about their research, why education and research funding is necessary, and how it is benefiting schools, communities and states. At the event participants will engage in the following:

POLICY WORKSHOPS

Intensive orientation to education, student loan, and research funding policy issues

ADVOCACY TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Practical training from professional advocates, mentorship and feedback, and opportunities to meet with members of Congress and key staff

RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

Opportunities to build connections with other student leaders, congressional and agency staff, and advocacy leaders

SEND A STUDENT TO CONGRESS

If you or your organization are interested in sponsoring a student researcher to attend Legislative Action Days, contact Meredith Niles, NAGPS Director of Legislative Affairs at legislative@nagps.org.

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