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POSTPONED: Curbside pickup of swag bags

The Graduate Students' Association (GSA) is committed to taking its operational decision following up-to-date information about the global pandemic of COVID-19 and associated public health risks. The GSA wants to ensure that it organizes its activities following the guidelines provided by the Federal, provincial, and local government's health and regulatory authorities along with the University of Saskatchewan COVID-19 policies.

We are all aware that the Omicron variant of COVID-19 is rapidly spreading across the globe, including Canada. Unfortunately, the COVID positive cases across Saskatchewan, including the city of Saskatoon, show a skyrocketing trend. Considering the above circumstances, after extensive discussion at the GSA executive meeting held on January 6, 2021, the GSA decided to **postpone** one of the Winter Orientation events (Swag Bag Pick Up) until further notice. As soon as the university resumes its in-person class activities, the GSA hopes to announce the Swag Bag Pick Up schedule.

The virtual orientation session hosted by the GSA to welcome new graduate students will take place as per the earlier schedule on January 12, 2022, from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (Saskatchewan time).

We thank you for your patience and understanding.

On Behalf of the GSA Executives

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