

# Biomedical Graduate Student Association



## Who We Are

The Biomedical Graduate Student Association (**BGSA**) is the student government representing all students in BGS, including graduate students, Master's, and Certificate students.

## What We Do

We advocate for the biomedical graduate student community by:

- Addressing student concerns and engaging with University leadership
- Promoting improvements in graduate education
- Connecting students across programs
- Hosting academic and social events

# Get Involved!



## Attend **General Assembly Meetings**

Usually **second Tuesday** of each month at 5pm

**First meeting: Tuesday September 16th**

- Vote on funding requests,
- Find out about upcoming events hosted by BGSA or GAPSA
- Learn about GAPSA initiatives, bring issues to our attention that you want us to address with BGS administration

Dinner provided

Open to all BGS students

## Run for an **Executive Board Position**

Open positions:

- Social Co-Chairs (1-2)
- Social Media Chair (1)
- IDEAL Chair (1)
- GAPSA Representative
- Grad Group Representatives

What you will do:

- Attend GA meetings + monthly EB meetings.
- Specific position details here:



# What past events are like:

 BGSA Presents

## CAREER EXPLORATION

Academic Entrepreneurship and Biotech Spinout

Speakers :



**Yi-Yen Chen, PhD**  
Associate Director  
PCI Ventures



**Lex Johnson, PhD**  
Co-Founder/CEO  
Dispatch Biotherapeutics  
Penn IGG Alumni

Wed Feb 26, 2025 4 PM - 5 PM  Biomedical Research Building

Reception to follow  
<https://lu.ma/v3arxm2>

RRSVP



## Inter-Philly

BIOMEDICAL GRAD MIXER

Thursday, March 27th  
5:30 pm-7:30 pm  
Top Tomato, Center City

Hosted By:  
The Biomedical Graduate Student Associations of



RSVP Below  
<https://lu.ma/e1dnca1n>



Join us in our  
first event of  
the semester!



# BGSA SUMMER SOIRÉE

WELCOME (BACK) SPEED  
FRIENDING MIXER

THURSDAY AUGUST 28<sup>TH</sup>, 6PM-8PM

RITTENHOUSE SQUARE

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