



National Student
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“Win a Smartwatch” Sweepstakes Rules

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN THE SWEEPSTAKES (“SWEEPSTAKES”)
Entry into this Sweepstakes constitutes your acceptance of these Official Rules.

SWEEPSTAKES ENTRY DATES: Sweepstakes start time will be when the exhibit hall at the 2024 AACRAO Annual Meeting opens on Sunday, April 7 at 6:45 pm, ET. The sweepstakes will end on the 9th of the month, with the winner being chosen at 3:30 pm, ET, on the 9th (“Sweepstakes Entry Period”).

WHO MAY ENTER: Sweepstakes is only open to U.S. legal residents over the age of 18 with valid email address and U.S. mailing address. When entering the Sweepstakes, an opportunity to sign up to receive follow-up information from National Student Clearinghouse may be available. Entrants are subject to all notices posted online including but not limited to Privacy Policy and Terms of Use. Employees and their immediate families (spouse, parent, child, sibling and their respective spouses, regardless of where they reside) or those living in the same household (whether or not related) of National Student Clearinghouse (“Sponsor” or “Sweepstakes Parties”) are not eligible to enter or win. Entrants may need to provide proof of residency upon request.

SWEEPSTAKES ENTRY: To enter, get your AACRAO Annual Meeting attendee badge scanned at the Clearinghouse booth, #423, by 2 pm, ET, on Tuesday, April 9, and be at our booth, #423, at 3:30 pm on Tuesday, April 9, to see if you win. You must be present to win. There may only be one entry per participant. All entries must be received during the Sweepstakes Entry Period.

Sponsor reserves the right to disqualify any Entry for any reason, in its sole and absolute discretion.

Odds of winning depend upon number of entries received.

SWEEPSTAKES WINNER: A winner will be chosen at random from all valid entries received during the Sweepstakes Entry Period (“Winner”).

WINNER NOTIFICATION: Winner will be determined at 3:30 pm, ET, on Tuesday, April 9th, and must be present to win. Winner will be required to provide mailing address which will be used to fulfill the prize. At the discretion of the Sponsor, Winner may be disqualified for any of the following reasons: if charged with or convicted of a felony or misdemeanor, is not eligible based on the eligibility requirements set forth above, or if delinquent on a government ordered payment, such as, but not limited to: child support, spousal support, alimony, tax payments, etc. In the event it is determined that the Winner has not complied with these Official Rules, has made false statements or a prize notification is returned as undeliverable, then the Winner will be disqualified and at Sponsor’s sole discretion, another Entry shall be randomly chosen as an alternate Winner.

PRIZE & APPROXIMATE RETAIL VALUE (“ARV”): There will be one winner selected, who will receive an Apple Watch Series 9 (GPS 45mm) Smartwatch with an Approximate Retail Value (“ARV”) of \$429. Winner is solely responsible for all expenses, costs or fees associated with transportation and acceptance and/or use of the prize not specified herein as being awarded, including without limitation, any and all taxes (if any). Winner is not a recipient of a prize until s/he has been verified as the Winner by

the Sponsor. Upon fulfilling prize, Sponsor will be deemed to have awarded the prize to the Winner and such Winner assumes full responsibility for the prize. All prize details are at Sponsor’s sole discretion.

The Sponsor reserves the right to, at its discretion, reschedule the Sweepstakes, entry and/or end dates, modify the entry procedures, or cancel the Sweepstakes. Prize(s) are not redeemable for cash.

GENERAL CONDITIONS: Winning constitutes permission (except where prohibited by law) to use Winner’s name, images, hometown, likeness, prize won, and photograph (all at Sponsor’s discretion) for future advertising, publicity in any and all media now or hereafter devised throughout the world in perpetuity, without additional compensation, notification or permission. Sweepstakes Parties and their respective officers, directors, agents, representatives, and employees (collectively, “Released Parties”) are not responsible for lost, late, misdirected, damaged, stolen, altered, garbled, incorrect, incomplete or delayed Entries; all of which will be void. Released Parties are also not responsible for problems related to technical malfunctions of electronic equipment, computer online systems, servers, or providers, computer hardware or software failures, phone lines, failure of any Entry to be received by Sponsor on account of technical problems, traffic, congestion on the internet or the website, or for any other technical problems including telecommunication, miscommunication or failure, and failed, lost, delayed, incomplete, garbled, or misdirected communications which may limit an entrant’s ability to participate in this Sweepstakes. Released Parties are not responsible for any other errors or malfunctions of any kind, whether network, printing, typographical, human or otherwise relating to or in connection with the Sweepstakes, including, without limitation, errors or malfunctions which may occur in connection with the administration of the Sweepstakes, the processing of Entries, the announcement of the prize or in any Sweepstakes-related materials. Sponsor reserves the right to modify, suspend or terminate the Sweepstakes in the event it becomes infected by a computer virus or is otherwise technically impaired, and to cancel or suspend the Sweepstakes in its entirety should tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures or other causes corrupt the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper play of the Sweepstakes and, if terminated, at Sponsor’s discretion, determine the Winner using all non-suspect, eligible entries received up to time of cancellation using the procedure outlined above. Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to disqualify any individual (and void his/her Entries) it finds to be tampering with the Entry process or the operation of this Sweepstakes or website, intending to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other entrant, Sponsor, or any of its representatives or to otherwise be acting in violation of these Official Rules. **CAUTION:** Any attempt by an entrant to deliberately damage any website or undermine the legitimate operations of the Sweepstakes is a violation of criminal and civil laws. Should such an attempt be made, the Sponsor reserves the right to seek damages from any such entrant to the fullest extent permitted by the law and to disqualify such entrant from the Sweepstakes.

MISCELLANEOUS CONDITIONS: Failure to comply with these Official Rules may result in disqualification from the Sweepstakes. Sponsor reserves the right to permanently disqualify any person it believes has intentionally violated these Official Rules. Sweepstakes is subject to all federal, state and local laws and regulations. Void where prohibited by law.

ARBITRATION & CHOICE OF LAW: Except where prohibited by law, as a condition of participating in this Sweepstakes, entrant agrees that (1) any and all disputes and causes of action arising out of or connected with this Sweepstakes, or any prizes awarded, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action lawsuit, and exclusively by final and binding arbitration under the rules of the American Arbitration Association and held at the AAA regional office nearest the entrant; (2) the Federal Arbitration Act shall govern the interpretation, enforcement and all proceedings at such arbitration; and (3) judgment upon such arbitration award may be entered in any court having jurisdiction. Under no circumstances will entrant be permitted to obtain awards for, and entrant hereby waives all rights to claim, punitive, incidental or consequential damages, or any other damages, including attorneys’ fees, other than entrant’s actual out-of-pocket expenses (i.e., costs associated with entering this Sweepstakes), and entrant (or, if an eligible minor, his/her parent or legal guardian) further waives all rights to have

damages multiplied or increased. All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Official Rules, or the rights and obligations of Entrants and Sponsor in connection with this Sweepstakes, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the substantive laws of the State of New York, USA without regard to New York choice of law rules.

WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT: Winner will be announced in the National Student Clearinghouse booth, #423, at the 2024 AACRAO Annual Meeting at 3:30 pm, ET, on Tuesday, April 9, 2024.

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