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## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	SECURITY INTEREST

### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
StepStone Group LP		09/20/2021	Limited Partnership: DELAWARE

### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	JPMorgan Chase Bank, N. A., as Collateral Agent		
Street Address:	4 Chase Metrotech Center		
Internal Address:	Mail Code NY1-C413		
City:	Brooklyn		
State/Country:	NEW YORK		
Postal Code:	11245		
Entity Type:	National Banking Association: NEW YORK		

### **PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 2**

Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	4082805	STEPSTONE INSIDE PRIVATE MARKETS	
Registration Number:	3515030	STEPSTONE	

### **CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

Fax Number:

Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.

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Correspondent Name: Justin Charles c/o Fried Frank et al

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ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:	10940-217
NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Justin Charles
SIGNATURE:	/Justin Charles/
DATE SIGNED:	09/20/2021

**Total Attachments: 5** 

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### TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

This **TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT**, dated as of **September 20, 2021** (as it may be amended, restated, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, this "**Agreement**"), is made by the entities identified as grantors on the signature pages hereto (collectively, the "**Grantors**") in favor of JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as collateral agent for the Secured Parties (in such capacity, together with its successors and permitted assigns, the "**Collateral Agent**").

WHEREAS, the Grantors are party to a Pledge and Security Agreement dated as of September 20, 2021 (the "Pledge and Security Agreement") by and among each Grantor party thereto from time to time and the Collateral Agent pursuant to which each Grantor granted a security interest to the Collateral Agent in the Trademark Collateral (as defined below) and are required to execute and deliver this Agreement.

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Grantors hereby agree with the Collateral Agent as follows:

### **SECTION 1. Defined Terms**

Unless otherwise defined herein, terms defined in the Security Agreement and used herein have the meaning given to them in the Security Agreement.

### SECTION 2. Grant of Security Interest in Trademark Collateral

**SECTION 2.1 Grant of Security**. Each Grantor hereby grants to the Collateral Agent for the benefit of the Secured Parties a security interest in and continuing lien on all of such Grantor's right, title and interest in, to and under the following, in each case whether now owned or existing or hereafter acquired, developed, created or arising and wherever located (collectively, the "**Trademark Collateral**"):

all United States, and foreign trademarks, trade names, trade dress, corporate names, company names, business names, fictitious business names, Internet domain names, service marks, certification marks, collective marks, logos, other source or business identifiers, designs and general intangibles of a like nature, whether or not registered, and with respect to any and all of the foregoing: (i) all registrations and applications therefor including, without limitation, the registrations and applications listed or required to be listed in Schedule A attached hereto, (ii) all extensions or renewals of any of the foregoing, (iii) all of the goodwill of the business connected with the use of and symbolized by any of the foregoing, (iv) the right to sue or otherwise recover for any past, present and future infringement, dilution or other violation of any of the foregoing or for any injury to the related goodwill, (v) all Proceeds of the foregoing, including, without limitation, license fees, royalties, income, payments, claims, damages, and proceeds of suit now or hereafter due and/or payable with respect thereto, and (vi) all other rights of any kind accruing thereunder or pertaining thereto throughout the world.

**SECTION 2.2 Certain Limited Exclusions**. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, in no event shall the Trademark Collateral include or the security interest granted under <u>Section 2.1</u> hereof attach to any "intent-to-use" application for registration of a Trademark filed pursuant to Section 1(b) of the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1051, prior to the filing of a "Statement of Use" pursuant to Section 1(d) of the Lanham Act or an "Amendment to Allege Use" pursuant to Section 1(c) of the Lanham Act with respect thereto, solely to the extent, if any, that, and solely during the period, if any, in which, the grant of a security interest therein would impair the validity or enforceability of any registration that issues from such intent-to-use application under applicable federal law.

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### **SECTION 3.** Security Agreement

The security interest granted pursuant to this Agreement is granted in conjunction with the security interest granted to the Collateral Agent for the Secured Parties pursuant to the Pledge and Security Agreement, and the Grantors hereby acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of the Collateral Agent with respect to the security interest in the Trademark Collateral made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Pledge and Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are incorporated by reference herein as if fully set forth herein. In the event that any provision of this Agreement is deemed to conflict with the Pledge and Security Agreement, the provisions of the Pledge and Security Agreement shall control.

### **SECTION 4.** Governing Law

THIS AGREEMENT AND THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES HEREUNDER (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY CLAIMS SOUNDING IN CONTRACT LAW OR TORT LAW ARISING OUT OF THE SUBJECT MATTER HEREOF) SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND SHALL BE CONSTRUED AND ENFORCED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK WITHOUT REGARD TO CONFLICT OF LAWS PRINCIPLES THEREOF THAT WOULD RESULT IN THE APPLICATION OF ANY LAW OTHER THAN THE LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK (OTHER THAN ANY MANDATORY PROVISIONS OF LAW RELATING TO THE LAW GOVERNING PERFECTION AND THE EFFECT OF PERFECTION OF THE SECURITY INTEREST).

### **SECTION 5.** Counterparts

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts and by different parties hereto in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be deemed an original, but all such counterparts together shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** each Grantor has caused this Agreement to be executed and delivered by its duly authorized officer as of the date first set forth above.

STEPSTONE GROUP LP

By: StepStone Group Holdings LLC, its general partner

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By: Name: Johnny Randel

Name: Johnny Randel

Title: Partner, Chief Financial Officer

[Signature Page to Trademark Security Agreement]

Accepted and Agreed:

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as Collateral Agent

Name: Alfred Chi

Title: Vice President

[Signature Page to Trademark Security Agreement]

# SCHEDULE A to TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

# TRADEMARK REGISTRATIONS AND APPLICATIONS

Mark	Serial No.	Filing Date	Registration No.	Registration Date
STEPSTONE	85299154	Apr. 19, 2011	4082805	10-JAN-2012
STEPSTONE INSIDE PRIVATE MARKETS				
STEPSTONE	77280174	Sep. 14, 2007	3515030	14-OCT-2008
STEPSTONE				

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