

Supplemental Funding Tenets

Prior to making any funding decisions, GPAC members developed objective, broad-spectrum criteria to apply to all requests given the disparity between the aggregate requested and the funds available to GPAC to allocate. When the minutes from the allocating session refer to the tenets, these are what GPAC decided:

- GPAC Funding Priorities
 - GPAC will seek to follow these priorities in making funding decisions (1=highest priority; 5=lowest priority) :
 1. Events/activities of primary appeal to Graduate/Professional students – for organizations that did not receive an annual budget from GPAC.
 2. Events/activities of primary appeal to entire University – GPAC will partially fund, to the best of their ability, wide-reaching events.
 3. Events/activities of primary appeal to Graduate/Professional students – for organizations that received an annual budget from GPAC.
 4. Events/activities of primary appeal to Undergraduate students.JFC recognized Collaborative Funding Organizations – CFO's who received fiscal year budgets from the Finance Committee.
- Speakers
 - Will be considered on a case by case basis; GPAC may only fund one speaker. Funds allocated will offset the total need and will be discretionary for honorarium, lodging, and travel expenses.
- Performances/Entertainment
 - Most performance and entertainment costs will be \$0 funded. We encourage organizations to find low cost or free options in the interest of cost savings.
- Marketing/Publicity
 - To promote innovation in marketing/publicity and student outreach, we generally accord lower priority to requests for funds for fliers, posters, and other types of analog media.

These Supplemental Funding Tenets were revised and adopted September 16, 2012. All previously published versions of this document are superseded.