

Supplemental Funding I Pre-Recommendation 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 (approximately \$290,000) and the funds available to GPAC to allocate this cycle (\$14,000). When the minutes from the allocating session refer to the tenets, these are what GPAC decided:

- Lancianese – discussion about establishing funding limits on a per/occasion basis.
 - Consider allowing groups to use \$X conference allocation on Y number of people.
 - Diehl motion to \$400 all day for conference. Walsh 2nd. Fails.
 - Diehl amends to lower to \$200 discretionary. Tandon 2nd. Unanimous pass.
- Office Supplies
 - Tandon motions to \$0 fund if no evidence organization has an office or equivalent solely organizational office space. Diehl 2nd. Unanimous pass.
 - Tandon: Max fund office supplies \$25 with an office. Thomas 2nd. Unanimous Pass.
- Speakers
 - Walsh motions that honoraria will be considered on a case by case basis, while GPAC will only fund at most one speaker. Funds allocated will offset the total need and will be discretionary for honorarium, lodging, and travel expenses. Nica 2nd. Unanimous pass.
- Performances/Entertainment
 - Lancianese motions that most performance and entertainment costs will be \$0 funded. We encourage organizations to find low cost or free instead in the interest of cost savings. Diehl 2nd. Unanimous pass.
- Conference Travel
 - Diehl: If a conference meets GPAC criteria for funding per the funding guidelines, \$200 will be allocated discretionary (registration, travel, lodging, meals) to be used as a supplement. One conference per organization. This is regardless of distance, scope, travelers, etc. shuster 2nd. Unanimous Pass.
- Food/Beverage/Supplies
 - Nica: Given the amount of requests vs. our ability to fund, we will \$0 fund food/beverages/food supplies and give preference to funding other aspects of the event per funding guidelines and bylaws. Walsh: 2nd. Unanimous Pass.

- GPAC Funding Priorities
 - Lancianese: We will establish a list of funding priorities. We will ensure that events are funded in the priority order stated below. Reichart: 2nd. Unanimous Pass
 1. Events of primary appeal to Graduate/Professional students – for organizations that did not receive an annual budget from GPAC.
 2. Events of primary appeal to entire University – GPAC will partially fund, to the best of their ability, wide reaching events.
 3. Events of primary appeal to Undergraduate students.
 4. Events of primary appeal to Graduate/Professional students – for organizations that received an annual budget from GPAC.
 5. Finance Committee Collaborative Funding Organizations – CFO's who received fiscal year budgets from the Finance Committee.